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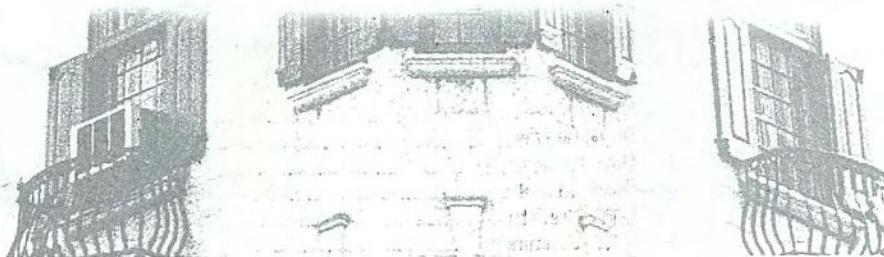
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HEADMASTER'S REVIEW



Following the unconditional surrender of the German forces, Churchill, on the 8th May 1945, praised and thanked everyone in Britain who stood for the quest for freedom. In his VE speech to the British on this day, he said "God bless you all, this is your Victory."

As Principal of this school, I can justifiably be very proud of what has been achieved during the year and, like Churchill, I can say to all the parties concerned - staff, parents and pupils - thank you for your contribution that ensured the success of this year.

We have always, and will always, set very high standards at Bryanston High School. To achieve these standards, obviously requires team work. I am indeed fortunate to be blessed with a very committed, loyal and hardworking staff. I would like to express my deepest gratitude to the staff who have served us so well during 1998 - academic, secretarial and grounds staff. I must express my gratitude to the Governing Body for their support and assistance and compliment the P.A. on their valuable contribution. One of the most rewarding aspects of teaching is the pleasure of working closely in a team such as ours. Unfortunately, we had to say farewell to Mr Cuthbertson who was appointed Head of Lowveld High School in Nelspruit. Although we were extremely sorry to see him go, we rejoiced with him on his promotion. It is quite interesting to note that Bryanston has already produced five headmasters: we are obviously a nursery preparing teachers for principalship. In-service training for the staff is a priority and will remain a priority for as long as I am the head of this school. With the assistance of the GDE and with support from outside organisations and individuals, several training sessions were held during the course of 1998.

We have always encouraged a very high level of pupil participation at Bryanston High School. Once again, our pupil body did not disappoint us this year. The vitality and vigour displayed by our pupils has set new standards in all spheres of life at the school. Something that is very pleasing to me is that the cultural side of the school is rapidly developing and growing. I would also like to commend the staff and the pupils who were involved in the major production, for a most professional show. My compliments also go to the pupils who were involved in the house plays. I am sure that the high standard set during the house play festival provided a firm foundation for the success of our major production. The Rhetoric Society has once again produced orators and debaters of a very high calibre. For the many hours of commitment by the pupils and staff, I thank you.

Bryanston High School was once again one of the venues for the recent Eisteddfod. 61 of our pupils entered and overall we achieved 15 silver medals (over 69%), 37 gold medals (over 79%) and 9 diplomas (over 90%) and won the overall best performance for a high school by 11 points over Saheti.

Our pupils who entered the Olympiads also achieved phenomenal success.

English: 19 wrote this Olympiad - 2 received gold certificates, 2 silver, 10 bronze and 5 merit certificates.

Afrikaans: This year excellent results were achieved. 5892 pupils from

329 schools participated. Lindi Korf came second countrywide with an average of 96%. She received a cash prize from the A.T.K.V. Tracy Fletcher came eighth with an average of 93%. Thirty four Bryanston High pupils participated and achieved a group average of 77%.

Mathematics: Two senior pupils were in the top 20% and 6 junior pupils were in the top 100.

Four of our pupils also reached the Mintek Science Quiz finals.

The importance of technology in the education of our children has become a major topic of discussion in recent years. I am proud to announce that a group of staff members, parents and pupils are currently preparing a proposal that will be presented to the Governing Body in the very near future. This proposal will deal with the upgrading of our computer centre as well as the implementation of Computer Science as a full matric sixth subject at Bryanston High School. (With this in mind,) in keeping with the new trends in education, a life skills programme in each subject field was established and implemented during the course of this year.

On the sports fields, there were many notable achievements. Our badminton and tennis teams did admirably. Thanks to a generous sponsorship of R10 000, a development programme has been introduced at the school to improve the standard of our squash, and I have no doubt that we will reap the benefits and rewards of this programme in the near future. The boys hockey teams played with commitment and I would like to thank them for their contribution during the year. The girls hockey teams once again produced some good results. The fine performance of our netball girls confirmed that Bryanston High School is one of the strongest netball schools in Gauteng. The standard of rugby produced by our rugby team, was of a very high calibre. We must compliment our first rugby team on their superb season. Our swimming teams continued to perform well, with our A team coming second at the Inter-High. One of the highlights of the sporting season of 1998 was the outstanding performance of our athletics team who came second at the Inter-High.

All in all, 45 provincial colours were attained in the following extra-mural activities: Girls Hockey, Hockey Umpiring, Boys Hockey, Shooting, Rugby, Cross Country, Swimming, Chess, Squash, Athletics, Cricket, Basketball, Judo. In addition, 10 national colours were attained by Bryanston High pupils in Tumbling, Gymnastics, Fencing, Waterskiing, Judo, Baseball and Swimming.

These highlights of the extra-mural programme simply record the achievements at the highest level of competition. Although they are an indicator of the success of some of our pupils in many spheres, it does not reflect the life blood of our extra-mural programme and the regular participation and involvement of hundreds of our pupils at all levels. The fact that so many different extra-mural tours and excursions took place this year reflects the level of our staff and pupil involvement. The number of tours which took place also indicates something of our range of activities from sports such as netball, hockey, cricket, rugby, athletics and swimming, to leadership camps, wildlife tours, not to mention a host of various short excursions.

Under the leadership of our Head of Department: Guidance, Mr Essex-Clark, and with the financial assistance of MTN, the MTN School Against Crime Campaign was launched, to create and develop an awareness of crime and the role that teenagers can play to combat it. The group of pupils involved have, during the course of the year, visited various schools in the townships and suburbs to make our youth aware of the dangers of crime.

As part of our outreach programme, Bryanston High School, in conjunction with the GDE, has been involved in in-service training with our twin school, which is Alexandra High School. Our Science Department is also involved in tutoring teachers from former DET schools.

I think it is pretty obvious, ladies and gentlemen, that Bryanston High School is indeed alive and well, and more than that, it is actually hyperactive and extremely dynamic. An aspect of the vision of Bryanston High School is to establish itself as one of the finest schools, not only in Gauteng, but in the country. Our inclusion in the Sunday Times listing of the Top 100 schools in the country, confirms that we have realised part of our vision.

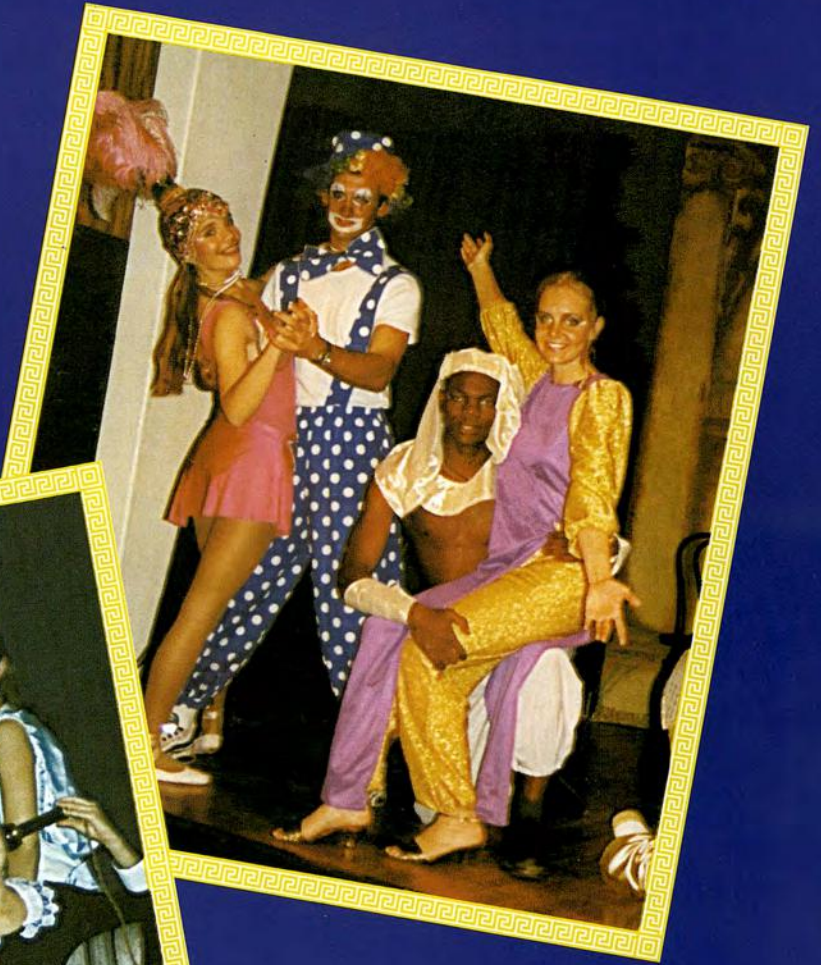
In conclusion, I would like to commend and honour my staff, the pupils and the parents for their input and their involvement.

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MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNING BODY CHAIRPERSON



THIRTY YEARS ON

*True hope is swift and flies with swallow's wings;
Kings it makes gods, and meaner creatures kings.*
(W. Shakespeare, Richard III: V.ii.23-23)

At the start of the year the Governing Body had developed a difficult challenge for the School community. Our hope was to get the annual expenditure of the School under control again and begin the process of reducing the School's indebtedness. It was clearly a "true hope" and one that has enjoyed enormous support from every sector of the School. As we edge towards the end of 1998 it looks as though we will have begun the necessary process and, if we are able again in the coming year to operate well within our means, we should have achieved this goal.

This swift movement will be achieved by the joint endeavours of: parents meeting their financial obligations (as so many praise-worthily do each year); staff striving to limit expenditure; the Parents Association raising significant sums through their carefully planned events; discovering and tapping further new sources of income; the wise application of funds under the leadership of the Principal.

The thirtieth year of the School's existence brought with it a moment to savour. Our vision for Bryanston High School is declared in the strategic plan which was developed in the latter half of 1997. It is to make "Bryanston High School - the best English medium, co-educational, high school in the northern suburbs." It is a great tribute to the staff and pupils that in September 1998 we were adjudged worthy of inclusion in the National Top 100 Schools list published by the Sunday Times. While there are many aspects of this survey that are open to criticism and one should note that several prominent schools refused to participate in the survey, the assessment nevertheless emphasises the merit of the vision we have adopted for the School.

The School has been loyally served during 1998 by a representative Governing Body. Since I last reported in this publication, we were saddened by the loss through transfer of Mr K. Taylor and Mrs S. Frost (who had also served the School so well as the tuckshop convenor) and through resignation of our treasurer Mr B. Cain. We pay tribute to these volunteer parents for the work that they did for the School. Their places

were taken by three parents co-opted for their financial expertise: Mr S. Dold, Mr M. Bashe and Mr T. Lydall. At the end of 1997 we also bade farewell to Miss S. Summerley and Masters B David and G. Ansell, the first learner representatives on the Governing Body. At the start of 1998 their places were taken by Tessa Blane, Lorien Swemmer and Daniel Cabral. More recently the representative of support and services staff, Mr J. Alkema, left the School. In the statutory election of the office bearers in May, Mrs D. Meikle stepped down as Governing Body secretary and Mrs V. Webb was elected in her stead. Mr Dold was elected treasurer, Mr B. Rodda was appointed deputy chairperson and I was returned as chairperson for a second year. All of the members of the Governing Body deserve special mention for their service and devotion to the School.

As we jointly pursue the many facets of our recently revised and enhanced strategic and development plan, I know that the members of the Governing Body will continue to apply their collective wisdom and insight in guiding the affairs of the School. I pay tribute to them as we strive to enrich the traditions and excellence of Bryanston High School as we near the end of the millennium.

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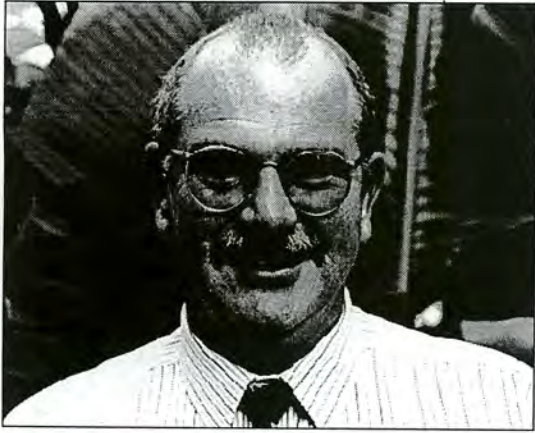
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Parents' Association 1998:

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Mrs B. Fisher (Chairlady
Mothers' Committee),
Mr R. James, Mrs H. Russell,
Mrs L. Blane, Mr M. Plaskitt,
Mr A. de Bruyn**

At the end of 1998, a year during which Bryanston High School reached new heights in all its activities, I am proud and privileged to report on the fine work done by the Parents' Committee.

The parent members of the P.A. Committee are totally dedicated to raising as much money as they are able to, and a number of sub-committees were formed for this purpose.

With the help of Mrs L. Blane and the much appreciated assistance of the teaching staff, the PA managed to bring in a sizeable profit by the sale of the flower bulbs. Thank you to all the parents and the learners for your support.

In March the annual Golf Day took place at the Bryanston Country Club and was a tremendous social and financial success. The substantial amount of R19 846 was raised. A big thanks must go to Roland James and his sub-committee, comprising of parents and staff, and to all the volunteers who assisted on the day. Thank you also to the sponsors of the event and the donors of the prizes. I can honestly say that it was the most enjoyable and most successful Golf Day that Bryanston has held to date.

Under the auspices of the Matriculation Art Teacher, Ms K. Hofmeyr, and Mr Roland James, an art exhibition was held in the Pavilion at the end of August. It took a great deal of organisation and effort to make this an exciting new event.

Once again the annual Parents and Bryanston Staff party was held in the Roy Paige Pavilion to thank the staff for their dedication throughout the year and for the extra mile which they put in for the benefit of our children and their futures. It was a highly successful and entertaining evening with scrumptious food, excellent company and a well-balanced disco. Many thanks to Rosemary Warfield, Pat Hainsworth, Betty Fisher and Andre Paris for their hard work and to all those who helped to prepare the venue and to clear away afterwards.

The Fireworks Display, which we plan to make an annual

event, was as magnificent as it was, the first time it was held. We are most grateful to Mr. John Meiring and his committee of parents and staff for the most enjoyable evening with its carnival atmosphere, skydivers and Harley Davidson Club display. Thank you also to all pupils and parents who were responsible for the sale of the refreshments and for the donations of competition prizes.

We were extremely fortunate to have Andre de Bruyn join the Committee earlier in the year. In his most efficient and capable manner he has taken on the daunting task of getting the "Woolworths Project" off the ground. The school stands to benefit enormously from this venture. He will also be resurrecting the 100 Club early in the new year.

I would like to thank the entire Committee for their enthusiasm, dedication and support during my term of office and I wish the School all the continued success of the past and a most successful 1999.

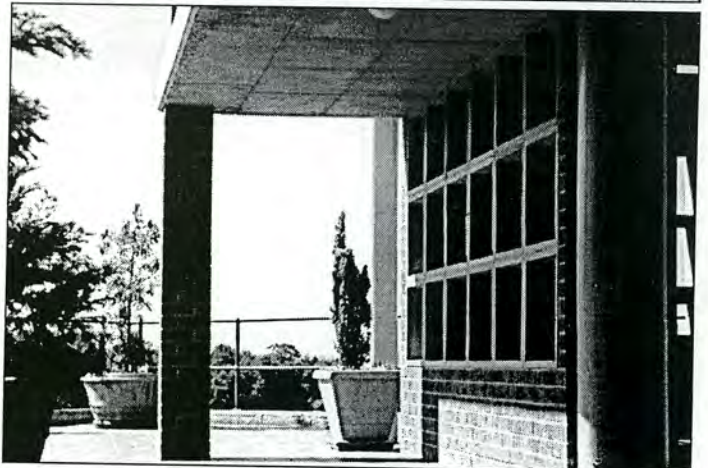
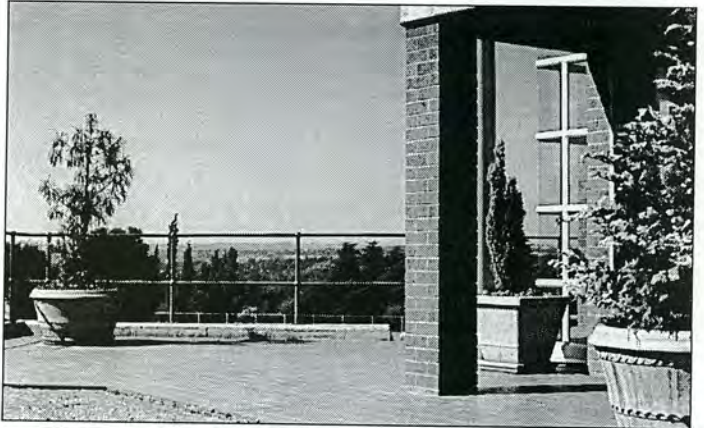
Steve Waddell

FAREWELL TO STEVE WADDELL

Mr Steve Waddell has been the Chairman of Bryanston High's P.A. for the past four years and through his excellent leadership and hard work has contributed significantly to the sound functioning and superb standards of Bryanston High School.

Although it is primarily the staff and teachers' competence and dedication that has made Bryanston High possibly the best high school in South Africa, well run P.A's and Sub-Committees are also strong contributors for which Steve Waddell deserves high praise.

Mike Plaskitt



ART GALLERY



Gr 9 Art Class - Group work - Paint on paper



Nicole da Silva - Gr 10 - Acrylic on board



Rowan Williams - Gr 10 - Acrylic painting



Kristian Jung - Gr 12 - Triptych

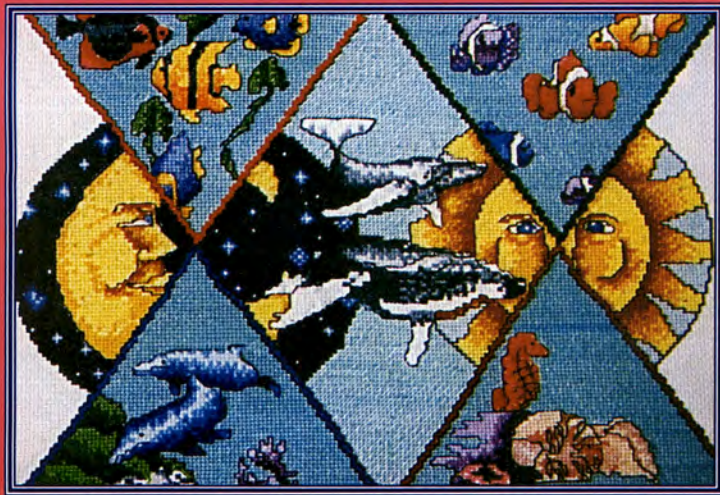


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Sam Robottom
Gr 11 - Poster for
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Right:
Robert Janse van
Vuuren - Gr 12 -
Pencil crayon
abstraction



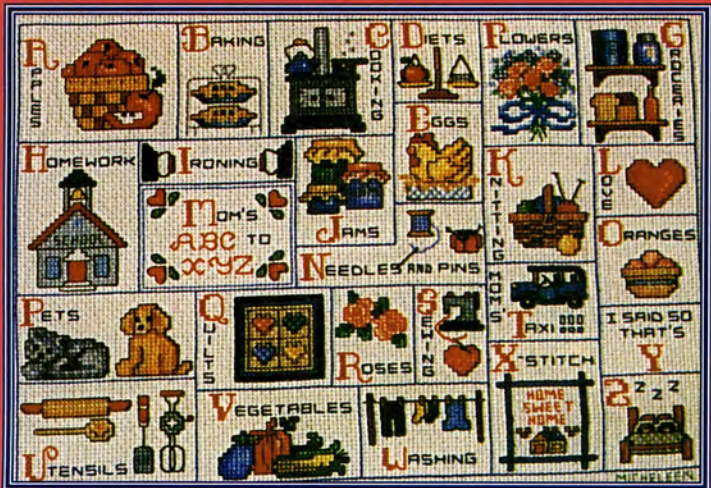
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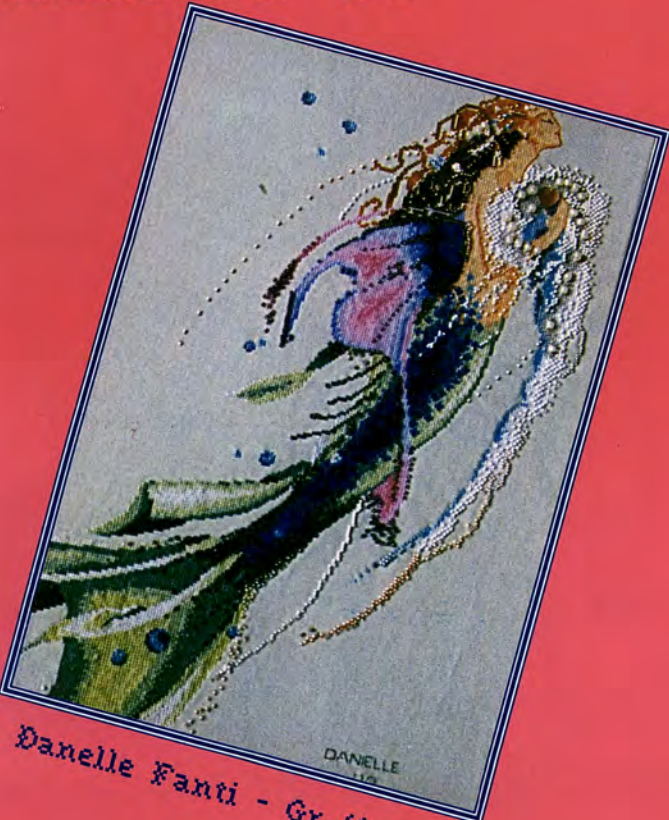
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MOTHERS' COMMITTEE REPORT

As yet another year draws to a close, the Mothers' Committee can once again reflect on a successful and very busy 1998. We have worked hard as a team, catering for the various (and ever increasing!) events held at Bryanston High. The Mothers' Committee fulfils an important function in the school and is seen by many outsiders to mirror the high standard of Bryanston High.

Many of our functions stretch well into the night and I would like to take this opportunity of thanking the members of the committee for their loyalty and dedication.

The tuckshop said farewell to its convenor, Shirley Frost, who, together with her family, has "emigrated" to the Cape. We wish you every happiness Shirley. The reins have been taken over by Sue Laughton, who is efficiently managing the tuckshop - how we welcome you, Sue!

This year Kay Gregory, the vice chairlady, and Mary Moat, will be leaving us. May I take this opportunity of thanking Kay for her loyal support and to wish her well in the years ahead.

Our sporting functions were all well catered for and I thank all the mothers who made themselves available to assist with what must have been at least 200 afternoons and Saturday mornings this year.

As I write this report, we have just completed the farewell breakfast for the matrics, which followed the night of their Valediction. We are yet to hold our tuckshop breakfast which is held annually to thank our band of willing tuckshop Moms - we could not do without them!

Thanks to Di Hardress-Williams and her ladies, who quietly and efficiently ran our Lost Property and Swop Shop. This is a very difficult job and was done so well.

In conclusion, I would once again like to thank my committee, who have so willingly given of their time. I would like to welcome Kathy James as the vice chairlady for 1999.

May I wish you all a happy and blessed Christmas and a Prosperous 1999.

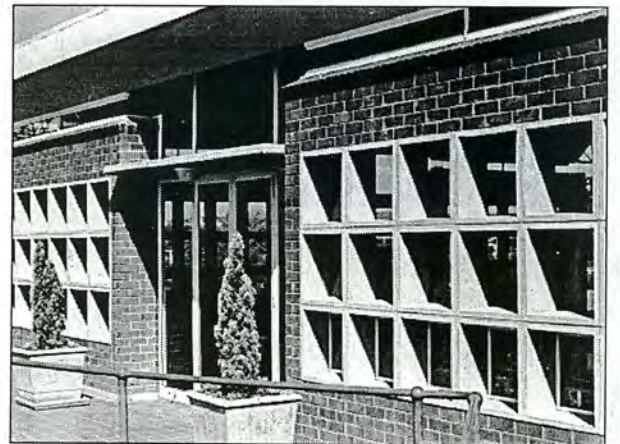
Betty Fisher



Back Row (left to right): Mrs A. Monahan, Mrs K. Gregory, Mrs S. Welsh
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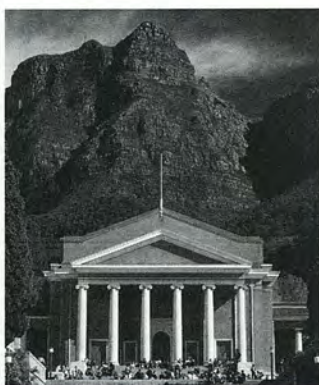
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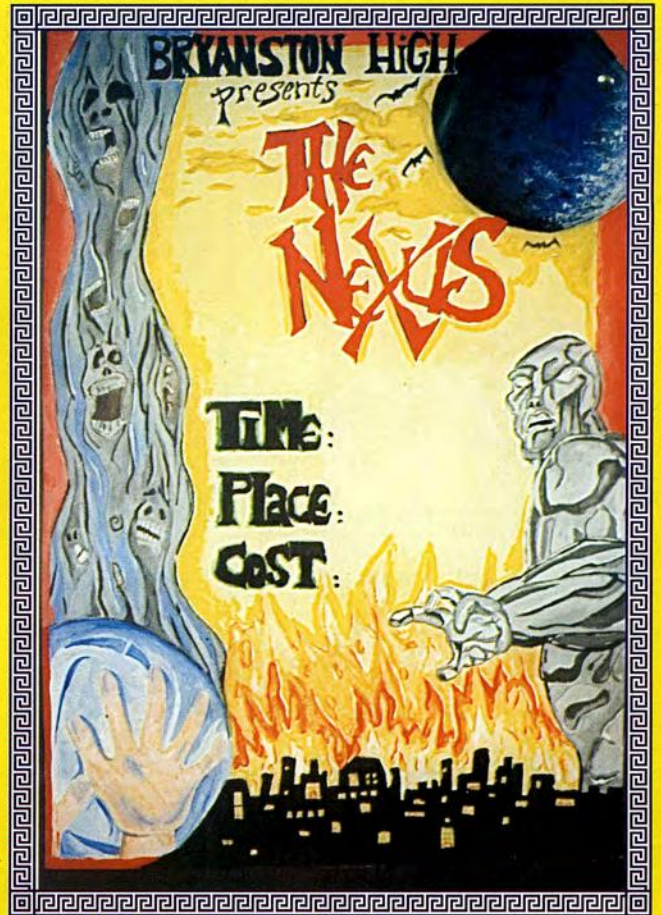
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ART GALLERY



Cheryl Sampson - Gr 10 - Water colour abstraction



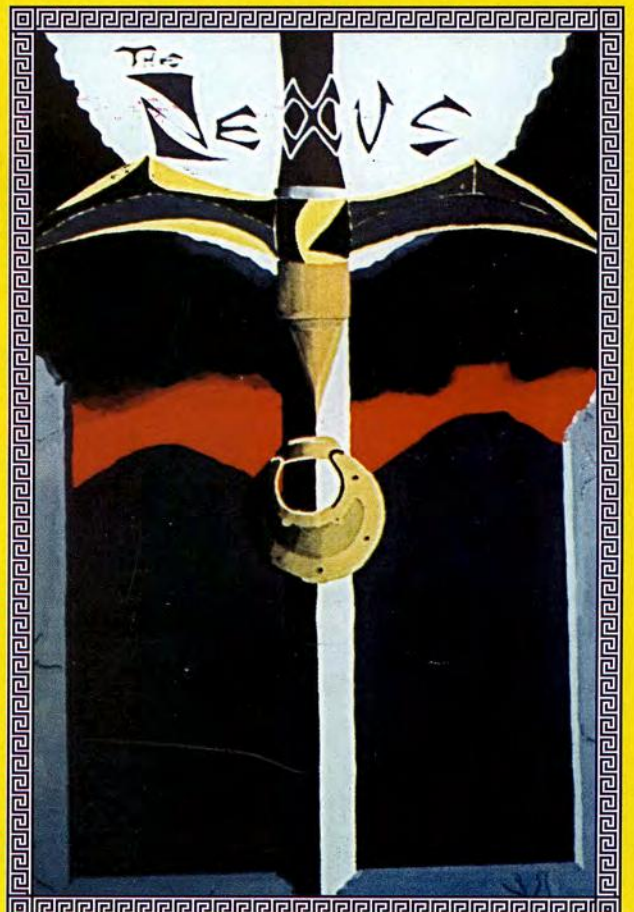
Panos Vasiliou - Grade 11 - Acrylic painting



Natalie Small - Gr 10 - Acrylic painting



Robyn Coleman - Gr 10 - Abstracted nature acrylic painting

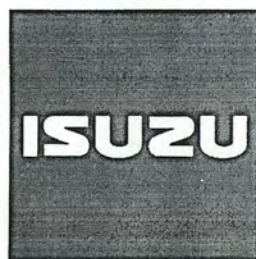


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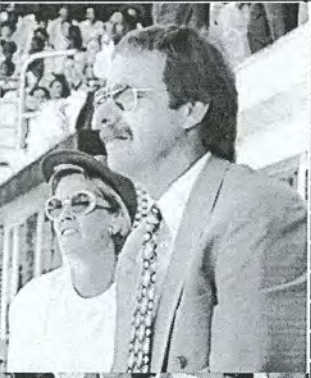
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**STAFF AT WORK
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1998**

STAFF NEWS



SENIOR EXECUTIVE

Left to right: Mrs B. Weir, Mr. D. Visser (Principal)
Mrs V. Webb (Deputy Principal)



AFRIKAANS DEPARTMENT

Left to right (Back Row): Salomé Snyman, Elmarie Basson
Middle row: Arien Botha, Brigitte van der Colf,
Nelia Schreuder
Front row: John Skelton, André Basson

AFRIKAANS STAFF NEWS

Miss E. Basson joined our department in the beginning of 1998. Extramurally she was involved in Netball and Athletics. Mrs du Plessis sadly left Bryanston to go into the private sector. We were fortunate enough to replace her with the very experienced, Mrs S. Snyman. With a tremendous sense of sadness we have to say goodbye to Mrs C.M. Schreuder, Head of Department - Afrikaans, who will be moving to Australia next year. She will be sorely missed. Mrs B. van der Colf will be taking over the duties of subject head for Afrikaans. Miss A. Botha will be joining the Art Department in 1999.



ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

Left to right: Jennifer Freer, Sandy de Villiers, June Corlett,
Michelle Henderson, Barbara Stroud, Jenny Saunders,
Nadya Abt

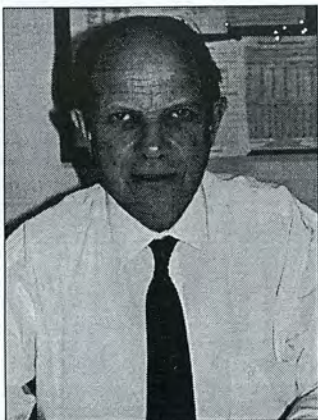


ART DEPARTMENT

Left to right: Mrs D. Kromm, Ms K. Hofmeyr
We had an exciting year with the European Art Tour and Bryanston High Schools' 30th Anniversary Art Exhibition. We also had a WITS Art Student, Miss Janine Van Eyck who brought in new exciting ideas to the Art Department, "visit" us for the third term.

With the introduction of the new Art books - a combination of hard work by Mrs Kromm and myself - we experienced a very successful year in terms of History of Art. We achieved five distinctions with our matrics of 1997 and we wish our talented bunch of Art pupils lots of luck for this year. Let's see if we can make it six distinctions!

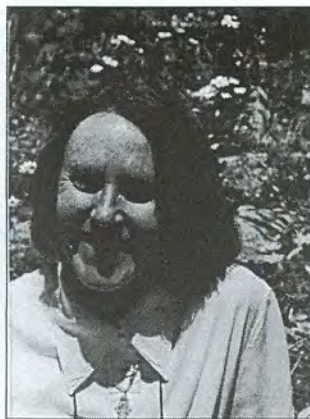
Ms K. Hofmeyr



Mr Brian Mullen - Bursar



Mr P. Waite - Groundsman



BIBLE EDUCATION

Ms. E. Pretorius

Miss Pretorius has been teaching Bible Education at Bryanston High since 1983. Now, the sole teacher of this subject, from Grade eight through to Grade twelve - no mean feat - she says she loves her work more than ever before.

Bible Education covers a five year period in which a vast array of subjects and

topics are covered - ranging from the historical content of the Bible to exploring the mysteries of the Universe. Tremendous emphasis is placed on establishing strong family values, good and healthy relationships based on sound Biblical principles. A strong emphasis is also placed on the tolerance and acceptance of other faiths and religions and active participation is encouraged in all her classes. Her love for God and the Bible are evident in all her lessons and she sincerely hopes that all her students will benefit from the twenty years of extensive knowledge and experience she has gained in this field. Her deepest and most sincere desire for all her students is that they will come to recognize the love God has for them and to come into a personal relationship with Him.

Many thanks go to Mr. Visser for all his kindness and support - thank you, Sir.

May the Lord continue to bless our school in the years to come.



BIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Left to right: Mrs H. Lever, Mrs L. Gladwin, Mr M. Bowie, Mrs K. Winson, Mrs G. du Preez, Mrs D. Gerry

1998 saw an influx of new faces to the Biology Department at the beginning and during the course of the year. Mrs Gerry, also a Home Economics teacher at Bryanston, joined the department at the beginning of the year. She has coped very well, running a Biology laboratory, cookery and sewing centre.

In July we bade farewell to Miss Alkema who left for Britain to further her studies in Education. Miss Frisch also left in July and is presently enjoying her travels around Europe and Great Britain.

A familiar face returned in July in the form of Mrs Winson. After managing to survive a year of relief teaching in London, she is well equipped to cope with the unexpected in the classroom!

Mrs Gladwin and Mrs du Preez, who both have a deep interest in Botany and Zoology, also joined us in July and have taken over the senior and junior classes respectively.

The stalwarts of the department are Mrs Lever and Mr Bowie. Mr Bowie's involvement in the subject of Biology is not only limited to Bryanston as he is also involved as matric examiner and moderator for this subject in Gauteng.

Mrs Lever and Mrs Gladwin are burning the midnight oil as part-time students in Post-graduate courses. We wish them well in their examinations.

Mrs H. Lever.



COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT

*Back Row (Left to right): Mrs M. Tomlinson, Miss Lucke, Mr A. Crichton
Front Row: Mr S. Quinn, Mr J. Skelton*

The Commercial Department underwent a major staff change in 1998. During the year we lost the services of Miss J. du Plessis, Mr W. Rogers and Mr C. Waddell.

We were fortunate enough to gain both experience and youth when Mrs M. Tomlinson agreed to return to Bryanston in a full time capacity. Mr S. Quinn brought new ideas and enthusiasm to the department. Miss S. Wagenaar also joined the department later in the year, but unfortunately had to resign due to ill health. Our best wishes go to her and her family, and we all hope to see her back soon at Bryanston. Miss Lucke joined the department in the latter part of the year.

The old stalwarts of the department, Messrs A. Crichton and J. Skelton, have been trying to adapt and keep up to date with this change of teachers and classes and hope that the turnover of staff in the Commercial Department will now settle down.

Mr J. Skelton



GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Left: Mr. W. Essex-Clark
(Head of Department)



HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Left to right: Mrs T. Letcher, Mrs W. Armstrong,
Mrs J. Skeen

Absent: Mrs Caron

At the beginning of 1996, the History Department consisted of three full-time teachers, all young, enthusiastic and single. But soon these ladies succumbed to the temptation of their loved ones, and now the department is still young, enthusiastic, but also married.

1998 has been an exciting year for the History Department. Mrs Caron returned to Bryanston High in the second term. Her wealth of experience and knowledge has helped to make us one of the best departments in the school.

We have also undertaken day excursions to the War Museum and Gold Reef City. Our pupils have participated in the History Olympiad and the Young Historians Conference, and in both cases, success was the order of the day. The grade nine pupils also had the opportunity to show off their artistic and historical skills by producing the most imaginative models of World War I and World War II.

The History Department has been growing rapidly as more and more pupils realise the benefits of studying History as a matric subject. The skills and knowledge the pupils gain, is invaluable.

We wish the 1998 History matric pupils the best of luck. Remember our motto: "Be Prepared!"

Mrs W. Armstrong



ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

Front row, left to right: Ms C. Walls, Mrs M. Schumann
(H.O.D.) Mrs J. Tarlton

Second row: Mrs R. Fourie, Ms L. Wilkinson,
Mrs H. Tucker, Mrs C. Buchan, Mrs L. Corbett

Absent: Mrs J. Frost

Two new members, Mrs J. Tarlton (part-time) and Mrs. H. Tucker, were welcomed into a very active English department. What makes it so active? The answer lies in the enthusiasm and commitment that each one has towards the subject and the school.

During the first term all English staff were involved in coaching pupils for the Guild of Speech and Drama Teachers' Public Speaking Festival. In addition each staff member "carved" a particular niche depending on expertise and interest.

Mrs Buchan teaches senior English classes while "scraping" news together for the school newsletter, coaching the English Olympiad pupils, overseeing the cycle examination "late" writers as well as the S.C.A. and was elected to be the staff N.U.E. representative. She is also the Grade 10 girls' grade controller!

Mrs Corbett (a.k.a. "Mother") teaches junior English classes, co-ordinates the Grade 8 English syllabus while minding the Media Centre, the Reading Laboratory and proof-reading and typing for the school magazine. In addition she dispenses much needed TLC through First Aid on our many sports fields.

Mrs Frost ("Let the babies enjoy English") teaches across the spectrum of junior and senior English classes, co-ordinates the Grade 9 English syllabus, organises the Eisteddfod entries, administers the Rhetoric Society and coaches the participants for all aspects of the senior public speaking, debating etc.

Ms Walls - "Is this a magazine article which I see before my eyes?" (apologies to William S. !) - has a foot in both camps of junior and senior English teaching. She co-ordinates the Grade 10 syllabus and is a most valuable member of the Cultural Society as she co-directed the major production "The Boyfriend", oversaw the Apollo house plays, the BHS entry in the RAPS festival and the Gauteng Cultural Play Festival. She also co-administers the Rhetoric Society, coaching enthusiastic junior public speakers and debaters, and finally she oversees the mammoth task of "The School Magazine" - in fact the rest of the English staff considered turning a storeroom into a bedroom for her!



Ms Wilkinson - "A puppy, a puppy, my kingdom for a puppy" (apologies to William S. yet again !) - may well have to consider sharing that storeroom-bedroom ! Besides teaching English to junior and senior classes, co-ordinating the Grade 11 English syllabus, she was also assistant grade controller to our *babies*, Grade 8. On top of that she monitors the Remedial English and Tutoring systems, and is actively involved in coaching and administering athletics, cross-country and the inter-high dance competitions. She still found time to acquire a puppy and is using the remainder of her "spare" time (?) to complete her Masters degree (or should that be a Mistress degree ?). We thank her for her valued and informed contributions in guiding us into the mysteries of the new OBE system.

Mrs Tucker - "the new kid on the block" - has been a tremendous asset; she meets all demands on her time, e.g. taking on extra teaching in her "free" periods or helping to co-ordinate the Grade 9's - with the words "no problem!". Her knowledge and input about OBE have been much appreciated. She has taken over "front-of-house" organisation for the various functions falling under the large umbrella of culturals, e.g. talent shows, plays and the Eisteddfod. Being the "baby" and therefore very active, she has helped in various sporting areas, viz swimming, hockey, indoor hockey and athletics - she even had enough energy to help in co-ordinating the activities of the matric dance committee.

Mrs Fourie, a part-time English teacher shared with the Geography department, helped with the Public Speaking Festival in the first term, with certain aspects of the Eisteddfod and was involved with the badminton administration.

Our part-timer, Mrs Tarlton, has provided us with valuable input in our junior classes - no doubt gleaned from her current studies as she is in the process of completing her B.Ed. degree !

The H.O.D., Mrs Schumann, not only administers the English department and the Media Centre, but also co-ordinates the various aspects of the matric syllabus, teaches senior English classes and helps to coach the English Olympiad pupils. She assists with Remedial English, badminton and certain aspects of the Cultural Society. She is also the BHS representative on the Eastern Metropolitan Eisteddfod committee and was venue controller for 12 of the Eisteddfod events held at the school. She says she is proud to be head of such a diversely active English department !



HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

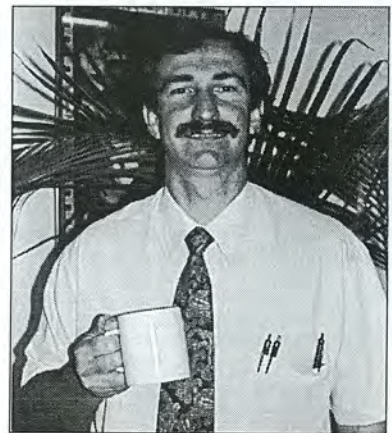
Mrs B. Weir, Mrs D. Gerry

HOD: Mrs B. Weir

Teacher: Mrs D. Gerry

Another action packed year has passed in the Home Economics Department. Staff can often be seen in one of the local supermarkets after dark, pushing trolley loads of groceries for cookery lessons at dawn. Both staff seem to spend many extra hours in their centres during breaks or after school catering for the learners who need special attention.

In spite of her busy teaching schedule, Mrs Gerry has been spending time on the building site supervising the construction of their new home! Mrs Weir went out on the FNB Relay run as an official member of the BHS Staff team. The department has requested from the Headmaster that six more hours are added to each day next year!



INDUSTRIAL ARTS DEPARTMENT

Mr. M. Gillespie



MATHS DEPARTMENT

Back row, left to right: Mr E. Jacques, Mrs V. Webb, Mrs R. Chiappini, Miss T. Orchison, Miss J. Saint
 Front row: Mrs D. Meikle, Mrs. P. Deacon, Mrs F. Atmore, Mrs L. Porter

Staff Responsible: Miss J. Saint, Miss T. Orchison, Mrs L. Porter, Mr E. Jacques, Mrs B. Russell, Mrs R. Chiappini, Mrs D. Meikle, Mrs F. Atmore, Mrs V. Webb,
Head of Department: Mrs P. Deacon

The Mathematics Department is blessed by having a staff of very competent people. Not only are they well qualified, but they are extremely dedicated and involved with their pupils, always willing to spend extra time to help the "needy". The Maths teachers are giving their pupils a love of the subject, a good grounding for the future and an excellent education, realising that it is of paramount importance to give all a fair start in life.

Congratulations go to Mrs Atmore and Mrs Russell, for "adding to our numbers", by the births of their sons. We wish them luck with these blessings.
Mrs P. Deacon



GEOGRAPHY DEPARTMENT

Top, Left to right:
 Mrs . A. Caron,
 Mrs G. Fulcher,
 Mrs H. Pearce
 Mrs R. Fourie
 Right: Mr. Smith



Geography Department

H.O.D.: Mrs G. Fulcher
Department: Mr C. Smith, Mrs H. Pearce, Mrs R. Fourie, Mrs A. Caron

The Geography Department continues to be vibrant and involved in the school. Mrs A. Caron joined the department in April, having taught at B.H.S. for many years prior to leaving for Durban. After two years absence she is now back in the "land of the living", and is truly an asset to the department.

Mrs H. Pearce left at the end of October in preparation for her "new bundle of joy". She has certainly been extremely busy coaching Bryanston High 1st team hockey, and her U21 and U18 provincial hockey teams, and has achieved excellent results. We wish her all the best and look forward to her return in May.

Mrs R. Fourie will be leaving at the end of the year and will be joining her husband on their new adventure in Zimbabwe. We wish them all the best and I am sure she will be very happy living in Zimbabwe.

Mr C. Smith continues to live, eat and sleep Bryanston High. He is extremely involved in many extramural activities and has certainly achieved excellent sporting results. The highlight of the year was the purchase of his Mercedes, big enough and smart enough for Mr Smith! Many happy kilometres!

It is clearly evident that Mrs Fulcher has a dynamic department with their main aim, striving towards excellence. The department has run extremely smoothly and



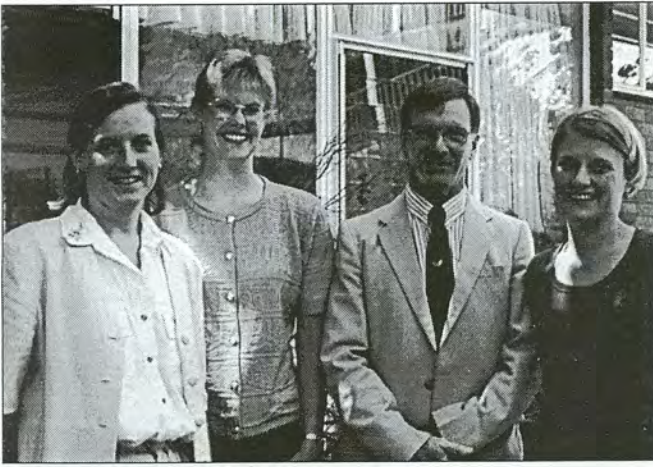
PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Mrs K. Winson, Mr S. Quinn

looks forward to a happy and successful 1999. Some teachers say, that if you are a Physical Education teacher for long enough, you'd start to get that "Faraway" stare. Perhaps that is why the green fields of Bryanston have experienced a number of changes in teachers this year. Both Chris Wadell and Miss Frisch left the department, for even greener pastures, at the end of the second term. Their successor, Miss Wagenaar, was left to herd the sheep by herself but was forced to leave us early into the third term. Mrs Winson and I battled our way to the end of the year and had it not been for some excellent student teachers, I'm afraid our battle would have been lost. Nonetheless, with the battle now complete and the casualties few, we can all look forward to the holidays and a little more sunshine!

Mr S. Quinn

Congratulations . . .



SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Miss Saint, Miss T. Orchison, Mr J. Breytenbach, Miss Krause



Engaged - Miss T. Orchison



Mom-to-be - Mrs T. Letcher



Mom-to-be - Mrs Pearce



Bev Russell - baby Keegan



THIRD LANGUAGES

Left to right: Mrs Hall (French), Nelia Schreuder (H.O.D. for Foreign Languages), Mrs Letcher (Zulu)

FRENCH DEPARTMENT

The French Department has enjoyed a good year, with 215 pupils opting to learn this language, (this year.) 156 of whom are juniors, which is a good omen for future growth in this subject.

The Grade 10's and 11's were thrilled to go on an excursion to the State Theatre in September to see a production of "Le Petit Prince". The same group enjoyed a lesson (on life and culture in Belgium) taken by a Belgian exchange student. Excitement is already running high for the senior grades about the prospect of a tour to France via Egypt and the U.K. next July.

The Grade 9's "cooked up" some cuisine française d,licieuse, the Grade 10's produced un petittd, jeuner magnifique, and the matrices' gfteaux were insubliable.

Merci, c',tait une bonne ann,e, n'est-ce pas?

Mrs A. Hall



Fiona Attmore - baby Mitchell



Justine Bennett - Drama Coursework

Thank you . . .



Farewell . . .

Chris Waddell - We'll miss you

GROUNDSTAFF

*Back row, left to right: Kelvin Malatshi, Scotch Maponya, Smarts Boloka, Jacob Boloka, Beer Boloka
Second row: William Khena, Jerry Matlhadisa, Solomon Machaba, John Alkema, Margaret Ngoma, Philemon Matsilela
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BENFIELD, Stuart Boyd

BENGU, Nomagugu Nontokoza

BERRIE, Jessica Lucy

BLIGNAUT, Damian Felix

BLUM, Stephany May
Mathematics

BOTTOME, Andrew McDonald

BRITTAİN, Bronwyn Carlisle

CAMERA, Joanna Lyndsay

CHILDS, Jennifer Kathleen
History H.G.

COGHLAN, Peter Stephen George
English H.G.

CROSSLAND, Storm Jade

CUDMORE, Jennifer Anne
History H.G.

DAVID, Brent Daniel

DEANE, Keri Ann
History H.G.

DE UJFALUSSY, Virginia Audrey
Benedicta

DISEKO, Delane Tumelo
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Physical Science H.G., Biology H.G.,
Geography H.G., French H.G.*

DOLLERY, Janine
History H.G., Art H.G.

FERREIRA, Ronelle

FRIEND, Shannon Michelle
Mathematics S.G.

GEORGE, Craig, Stuart

GILFILLAN, Rory Brian
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Accounting H.G., Computer Studies H.G.*

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GREGORY, Justin Edward

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NICHOLSON, Shaun

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OSHRY, David, Paul
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RAWLINSOΝ, Clinton Ian

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History H.G.*

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SEERY, Nicola Jane

SIMOES, Carla, Marisa Freitas

SLATER, Kirsty Elizabeth

SMITH, Anthony John

SMITH, Craig Glenham

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Afrikaans H.G.

SPRINGER, Anna Louise
Geography H.G.

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Art H.G.

SUMMERLEY, Sarann Kate
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TOMLINSON, Blake Edward
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BAKER, Karen Gillian

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COLLINS, Louise Jane

DLAMINI, Jabulile

LAMB, Tony Alexander

MACMILLAN, Lorynne Rene

NAUDE, David John

MERRIFIELD, Wayne

NOLAN, Joseph Anthony

REEKIE, Douglas James

SISHUBA, Luntu Afrika

SUMMERLEY, Merryn Louise

VORSTER, Wesley Shaun

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BRUMBY, Mark John

COTTON, Andrew Frederick

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DINSMORE, Audrey Gwynneth

DEGENAAR, Tanya

DOCHERTY, Emily Joanne
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GRAHAM, Carol Elizabeth

HALL, Guy Dean

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HILLIER, Sean Laurence

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ILETT, Melitta Candice

JEWKES, Cathy Frances

KHOZA, Nteboheng Samuel

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MILOSEVICH, Tatum Bianca

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MOYES, Lara Ann

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PATTERSON, Matthew Andrew

SINK, Daryl

SMUTS, Taryn

SPAAN, Natalie Chantal

STEPHEN, Sean Vernon

STEVENS, Carey Lynne

THOMO, Constance

TOVEY, Jason Craig

TSHISUAKA, Ndaya Josiane

TSOTETSI, Tshepo

VICTOR, Samantha May

WILFORD, Gregory

WILLIAMS, Donovan

* Distinction subject and grades appear in italics

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1998



HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT

The 9th September was the highlight of the department's year with what was my 18th Home Economics Display. Each year I feel that the learners of Bryanston High School have reached their potential and will not be able to better the work of previous students. I am astonished at the amount of talent, drive and tenacity that is forthcoming from the learners in the Home Economics Department. Once again they have done themselves proud and have produced work that can compete with that of any other top institution. The garments modelled at the fashion show were superb and highly commended by our external moderators who both said that they had not seen so many beautifully made items produced in one school in a single year. Standards of this nature do not happen without the commitment of all learners, a true compliment to those who are a part of this department. The evening was ended with the presentation of awards to all outstanding students in the different categories. These were as follows:

Awards to the best overall Home Economics students:

Grade 8	Tanya Barkhuizen
Grade 9	Robyn Herron
Grade 10	Jenny Spindler
Grade 11	Cindy Davidson
Grade 12	Melanie Mulder

The most outstanding embroidery for 1998:

Daniella Fanti
Janine Paris

Highly commended embroidery awards:

Katherine Miles	Kerin Dawson
Renee Golding	Micheleen David
Joanne Symeonides	Lara Richardson
Theresia Tober	Amber Jordan

Best presented and modelled garments in each category:

Grade 10	Carrie Robinson
Grade 11	Geraldine Cain
Grade 12	Dominique Hare

In order to give all senior students the best learning environment, our mothers who are expert seamstresses, were approached and asked if they would assist with the practical lessons. Thanks to five of our dedicated Moms we were able to give the learners intense quality practical expertise. There is no doubt that this assisted in boosting the standard of our final garments. Our grateful thanks go to all parents who gave up their valuable time to help.

Once again we salute all learners who have worked hard to maintain our high standards, the life skills you have mastered will benefit you forever.

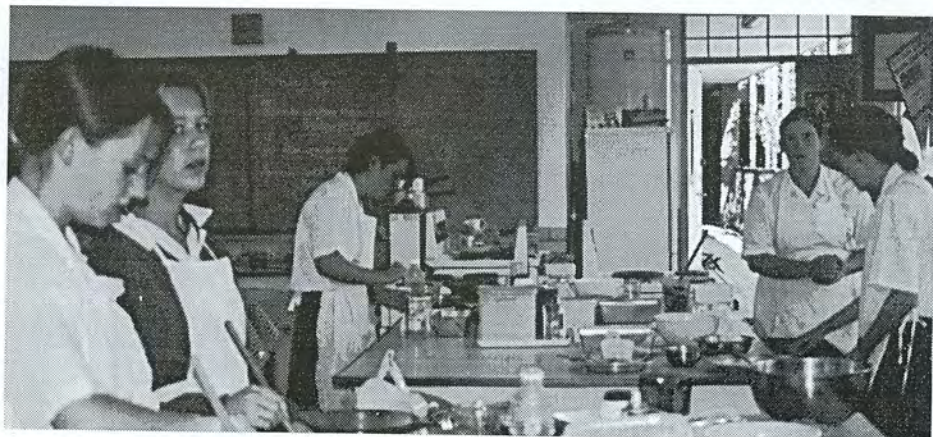
Mrs B. Weir



From left to right: M. Mulder, J. Spindler, C. Davidson, T. Barkhuizen, R. Heron



All the Home Economics Winners



THE ENGLISH OLYMPIAD

TEACHER IN CHARGE: Mrs C. Buchan

LEARNER REPRESENTATIVES:

Kerry Gilfillan, Danielle Haus, Shannon Cawood, Gia Marais, Alexandra Butterworth, Nicola Mantovani, Bailey Liackman, Bronwyn Meiring, Olivia Vermaak, David de Franca, Kathryn Helmand, Chantelle Calder, Emily Davis, Samantha Shrosbree, Tenielle Botha, Inger Plaskitt, Candice Frazer, Jenny Spindler, Nicole Nieman, Olivia Kilian.

In February, we, a group of intellectually starved, unrecognised geniuses, gathered for the mighty task of slaying the English Olympiad. Week after week, endless drilling, Mrs Buchan's droning voice, we were trained for combat like only a teacher knows how! Behind our happy facades, our tormented minds were a swirling fusion of Athol Fugard, "Christine", Malcolm Purkey and a myriad of colourful literary buzzwords.

When the time came for battle we soberly approached the paper, although personally I tripped over my sword, did something not unlike a double-pirouette and, convinced that my armour was in fact my adversary, massacred myself with intense valour.

Of course I patted myself on the back for the experience of taking part and assured myself that my English skills had without a doubt improved - but then, you know, like, you never know hey?

Kerry Gilfillan

The English Olympiad is only for the brave! Each year a theme is allocated. This year's focus was South African Theatre and the use of South African English. The candidates studied four plays and had to write two essays in three hours. Mrs Buchan and Mrs Schumann aided with lectures and literary insight so that the learners had some background information.

Candice de Melo, Tenielle Botha, Nicola Mantovani, Shannon Cawood and Jenny Spindler achieved Merit Certificates. Bronze awards went to Nicole Nieman, Olivia Kilian, Danielle Haus, Gia Marais, Kathryn Helmand, Chantelle Calder, Emily Davis, Alexandra Butterworth, Samantha Shrosbree and Inger Plaskitt. Silver awards went to Bronwyn Meiring and Bailey Liackman. Two of our pupils attained Gold awards, placing them in the top 4.3% of the candidates. Well done to David de Franca and Kerry Gilfillan.

Well done to a very committed group of learners. We are proud of you. Even if you did not manage to come in the top ten or win a trip to England, you were up against 4074 candidates country-wide and that was very brave!

Mrs C. Buchan

MATHS OLYMPIAD

Back Row (left to right): A. Wang, D. Place, L. Davis-Honiball, K. Helmand, S. Shrosbree, K. Mumford
2nd row: T. Hatherell, K. Martin, I. Plaskitt, C. de Melo, B. Liackman, J. Spindler
3rd row: P. Spindler, A. Li, T. Wang, P. Yon, W. Huang, B. Wylie
Front Row: B. Jung, I. Djurdjevic, F. Atmore (teacher), D. Campey, M. Schreiber



ENGLISH OLYMPIAD

Back Row (left to right): B. Meiring, C. Calder, D. de Franca, T. Botha, C. de Melo, B. Liackman

Middle Row: O. Kilian, I. Plaskitt, N. Niemann, Mrs C. Buchan, K. Helmand, J. Spindler, S. Shrosbree

Front Row: N. Mantovani, A. Buterworth, Mrs M. Schumann, D. Haus, G. Marais

MATHS OLYMPIAD

Teacher in charge: Mrs F. Atmore

The first round of the Maths Olympiad took place in March. Twenty seven Seniors and twelve Juniors took part. Once again the first round was marked by the school, enabling participants to know their results immediately. A mark of 50% was required for a person to progress to the second round. Negative marking was not used, once again, and this year different questions had different weightings, depending on their level of difficulty, resulting in a fairer distribution of results.

The following people qualified for the second round, written in June:

Seniors: Jenny Spindler, Murray Schreiber, Thomas Kowalik, Jonathan Tomlinson, Pam Schreiber, Igor Djurdjevic.

Juniors: Justine Frost, Alexander Li, Tom Wang, Robert Davidson, Jayde Gower-Jackson, Ben Jung, Andrea Wang, Brian Wylie, Konrad Kuc, Patrick Spindler.

Unfortunately, nobody qualified for the final round. However, the following people finished in the top 20% of participants in the country - an excellent achievement:

Seniors: Thomas Kowalik, Igor Djurdjevic

Juniors: Alexander Li, Tom Wang, Robert Davidson, Ben Jung, Andrea Wang, Brian Wylie

Congratulations to Ben Jung, who finished in the top 100 Juniors, nationally.

Mrs F. Atmore



HISTORY OLYMPIAD

Pupils from grades ten, eleven and twelve entered the History Olympiad this year. The first round was based on a hundred multiple choice questions, covering South African History between 1950 and 1998.

The first round proved to be tougher than we had expected, as the multiple choice questions covered many current events in the fields of sport, politics and economics to mention only a few. Only those pupils with an excellent general knowledge and who kept up with all current events, could proceed to the second round.

Out of the twenty-eight entrants, Sarah Louw made it through to the second and last round. Here the questions required the pupils to use their analytical and interpretative skills. Congratulations, Sarah!

Mrs W. Armstrong

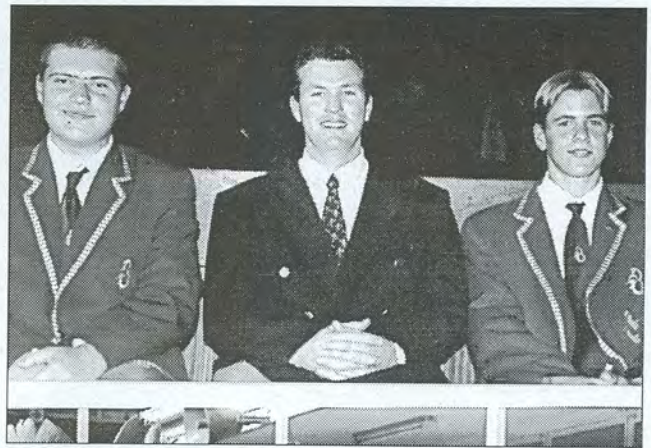


HISTORY OLYMPIAD
From left to right: Mrs W. Armstrong, J. Leech, Mrs J. Skeen



HISTORY OLYMPIAD
Back Row:(left to right): A. Butterworth, N. Mantovani, R. Moore, A. Kumwembe, M. dos Santos
Middle Row: L. Korf, N. Summers, I. Newberry, C. Higgins, T. Tober, J. Amm, S. Auger
Front Row: J. de Villiers, Mrs T. Letcher, Mrs W. Armstrong, Mrs J. Skeen, O. Vermaak

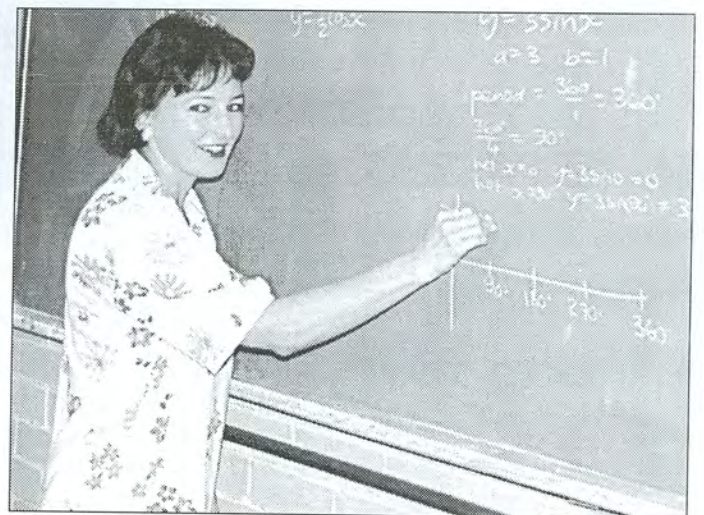
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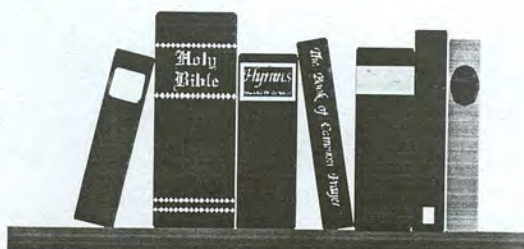
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Back Row:(left to right): Jacques de Villiers, Mr Crighton, Richard Moore



HISTORY OLYMPIAD
Back Row:(left to right):N. Mantovani, A. Butterworth, S. Louw, V. Louw, P. Stalker, M. Dos Santos
Front Row: L. Korf, Mrs J. Skeen, Mrs W. Armstrong, Mrs T. Letcher, J. De Villiers



Mrs Atmore demonstrating a Maths problem to the Grade 11's





YOUNG HISTORIANS CONFERENCE

From left to right: I. Swemmer, K. Gilfillan, Mrs W. Armstrong, A. Harvey, J.P. de Villiers

YOUNG HISTORIANS CONFERENCE

Participants: Jacques David de Villiers, Lorien Swemmer, Kerry Gilfillan, Ashley Harvey.

The first round was held at Sandringham High School. The Grade 10 topic was Revolution and Reaction with Kerry Gilfillan's topic being 'And the King Agreed', while Ashley Harvey spoke about 'Apartheid: What we didn't know'.

In Grade 11, we had to explore the concept of the "-ism" with Lorien Swemmer talking on the subject of "Womanism" (an original word) and Jacques de Villiers on the subject of "Symbolism." (The only male present in this round).

The first round caused some upset, as it was perceived that only Lorien Swemmer got through. At the last moment we were informed that two other contestants from Bryanston High got through as well: Jacques de Villiers and Kerry Gilfillan.

The second round was held at Crawford College and contained some excellent speeches and tough opposition, with Jacques once again being the only male present.

In the words of Lorien (an extract from her speech):

"This is a woman's world - when a child is born the first question is 'How is the mother?', When a couple get married the first statement is 'What a lovely bride' and when the wife loses her husband, the first question is: 'How much money did he leave her?'"

And as Lorien said, - "This is a woman's world", Kerry Gilfillan and Lorien Swemmer made it through to the Final Round, of the "Young Historians".

Well done to all the contestants and thank you to the History teachers who were involved, who gave us their support and guidance throughout the competition, Mrs. W Armstrong, Mrs. T Letcher and Mrs. J Skeen.

By: Jacques David de Villiers



AFRIKAANS OLYMPIAD

Back Row:(left to right): J.P. de Villiers, D. Quick, J.W. de Villiers, A Kuehnast, R. Moore

Middle row: T. Fletcher, L. Korf, R. Golding J. Spindler, B. Liackmann, I. Plaskitt, M. Mulder

Fornt row: L. Muller, T. Hatherell, Mrs B. van der Colf, N. Nieman, K. Gilfillan

AFRIKAANS OLYMPIAD

This year we achieved some excellent results in the Afrikaans Olympiad.

There were 5 892 pupils from 329 schools who participated in the Olympiad.

The AKTV sponsored the National and Provincial prize winners, as well as the winning schools. Lindie Korf received the National Cash Prize for coming second nationally.

The top achievers with 80% and above were the following:

Tracy Fletcher (eighth countrywide), Tamar Houliston, Colleen Gordon, Alex Kuehnast, Melanie Mulder, Retief Joubert, Emily Davis, Chanel Naude, Jacques David de Villiers, Kerry Gilfillan, Michelle du Plooy, Kelly von Holdt, Ruanne Neame, Tracey Hatherell, Hennie Potgieter, Nichole Summers, Jolandie Wilmans.

Well done to all the participants. Hope to see you there next year together with some new faces!

Mrs B. van der Colf



Lindie Korf - Afrikaans Olympiad Bryanston High School overall winner !

ACCOUNTING OLYMPIAD

Participants: R. O'Meara; N. Southgate; F. Kwei;
C. Sampson; M. Zinn

Staff Responsible: Mr. A. Crighton

Report:

This year we had five matriculants participating in the Accounting Olympiad. The format of the Olympiad was a first round of 25 multiple choice questions.

The questions are traditionally very difficult and the examiner tries to make the pupils think laterally in order to solve accounting problems which they have not come across before.

This year's results were good. Four pupils achieved between 60% and 65% while Francis Kwei narrowly missed going through to the next round with an average of between 75% and 79%. Eighty percent must be achieved in order to go to the next round.

The pupils enjoyed the challenge and we encourage next year's matrics to participate.

A. Crighton



ENGLISH TUTORS

Back Row, left to right: Denis Mashini, Jaclyn Newberry, Jaclyn Rodrigues, Moira Flowerday, Lindie Korf, Tammie Norris
Front row: C. Truter, N. Nieman, L. Davis-Hannibal, D. Cudmore, B. Fiore, T. Neary, A. Cunningham-Moorat, J. Amm, G. Olivier, S. Khunga, H. Eshragi



ENGLISH ENRICHMENT

Teacher in Charge: Mrs M. Schumann
Staff Responsible: Mrs L. Corbett,
Ms L. Wilkinson

The English Enrichment programme has two parts to it - the reading lab and the tutor programme - although they often cross over.

The reading lab programme is open to anyone who wishes to improve his or her marks - from the student struggling with comprehension or vocabulary to the student who wishes to ensure a distinction. Students complete comprehension tests and mark them themselves thus monitoring and taking responsibility for their own improvement.

The tutors are responsible for supervising the reading lab and for tutoring students who have problems with English. This includes one on one help with exam papers, reading circles and responding to written journals. It may even extend to help with other subjects depending on the expertise of the tutor. Many tutors even began to develop their own ideas for lessons.

This seems to be a worthwhile endeavour which is growing with each year. Certainly the results have shown themselves in the students' marks.

Ms L. Wilkinson

THE TUTOR'S COMMENTS

Very rewarding to tutor people. Hopefully it encourages someone to try harder just because someone is there to see. - Emily Daus

It is rewarding to see the improvements - Cathy Truter

It is a fulfilling experience to help the pupils and watch them develop a better understanding of the English Language - Bianca Fiore

Tutoring is definitely worth every moment, even just being with the people and talking to them, learning about their different cultures is a rewarding experience - Denise Cudmore

It is comforting to know that there is a way in which we, as privileged pupils, are able to assist those who need literary improvement. The results are evident and this is inspirational for both tutors and pupils.

- Leigh Davis-Hannibal.

Tutoring has definitely helped many second-language pupils this year. It has been exciting to find that many pupils are willing to spend their time teaching other people to master the English language.

It was a great experience. I wish I could have done it for longer. It's wonderful to see there are a lot of pupils who want to improve their English skills. - Jaclyn Rodrigues

It was a fabulous experience, that not only helped other pupils English but mine too. I hope the pupils I taught had as much fun as I did. Hopefully more people will become involved next year. - Jaclyn Newberry.

It was rewarding, and a means of getting involved at school. It was also a good opportunity to help and encourage others - Jackie Amm

It made me feel good, to see that, as a foreign student, I could also help. It was a nice experience, and it made me feel a bit useful. - Hoda Eshraghi.

MEDIA CENTRE NEWS

I came away from a national media teachers' conference held earlier this year at St Stithians, inspired. Media Centres of the future face an enormous challenge - one I have no doubt Bryanston High will tackle with enthusiasm.

With the advent of CD-ROM's and the Internet, and consequently, the enormous amount of information now at our disposal, written media is tending to become a supplement rather than the main source of information. The sheer volume of information available is both overwhelming and confusing, and it is our task to make it more manageable - to teach our learners how to conduct a focused search so that they are able to access relevant information. The new curriculum is no longer merely content-based, but requires an informed and critical approach to, and application of, knowledge. This is tremendously exciting!

Bearing this in mind, we have concentrated, in 1998, on expanding our fiction section. (With the upgrading of our Computer Centre imminent, this seemed the sensible route to go.) Sadly, far too many youngsters never experience the joy of immersing themselves in a fantasy world, one free of the tensions of everyday life in our unpredictable country. I am pleased to note that with our new acquisitions we have acquired new borrowers - one a stereotypical rugby player who confessed that he had never 'lent' a book from a library and had no idea how to go about it. Seriously though, it's wonderful to see books moving - and often to the most unlikely candidates.

Unfortunately, computerisation of the Media Centre has come to a standstill as we await the acquisition of a programme equipped to cope with the millennium bug. Research into the most suitable software for our anticipated needs is underway, and hopefully the accessioning completed so far will be transferred to a more amenable programme in the near future.

My thanks once again to the Media Prefects. To Phe-theni and Nick, our Head and Deputy Head prefects respectively - a special thank you. It's been really chaotic at times and your efforts are much appreciated. Natalie too, is deserving of special mention. She is not only a hard worker, but a disciplinarian of note! To Dan, Thomas, Vernon, Sonya, Sam, Copo, Yvonne, Timmarah, Gillian, Bradley and Danny, and their numerous helpers, thanks. We've got a lot done and had a lot of fun, despite the apparent anarchy at times.

In order to provide me with some respite, a band of fearless teachers has volunteered to supervise the Media Centre at first break each day. To them, I am most grateful. It's a daunting task! To those who assist with the afternoon shift - Mrs Schumann, Miss Saint and Miss Pretorius - thank you. Both the learners (some of whom wait at school until after five each day) and I are most grateful.

In conclusion, I would like to stress that the Media Centre can and should play a vital role in the life of each learner. The knowledge required to properly utilise the facility changes constantly as new challenges arise and new technology evolves. Please give us your support so that we can impart these life skills, vital in today's world.
Mrs L. Corbett



MEDIA MONITORS

Back Row (left to right): S. Khunga, S. Heim, N. Bula, S. Keddle, P. Mokotloeng, Mrs. L. Corbett, N. Hart, T. Kowalik
Front Row: B. Twaddle, G. Van Achterburgh, V. Van Rooyen



INTER-HOUSE DANCE COMPETITION

Teacher in charge: Ms L. Wilkinson
Other Staff: Ms N. Frisch, Mrs H. Lever, Mrs H. Tucker, Mrs D. Geery

The annual Inter-house dance competition was held on Wednesday evening on the 29th April. The adjudicators were particularly impressed with the effort that went into the costumes and the staging of the sequences.

After much discussion and debate, the decisions were made. The best Junior House dance went to Mercury - who scored the highest marks in the competition by performing the dance "Storm". Mercury Senior dance group scored highest in the Senior category, and so for the second year running, Mercury was the winning house. Second was Apollo, third was Neptune and fourth Jupiter.

Well done to all who participated.

Ms L. Wilkinson

SYNCHRONISED SWIMMING

Teacher in charge: Ms N. Frisch

As part of the Grade ten Physical Education syllabus, the girls choreographed synchronised swimming routines in their respective classes. The winning class was Grade 10C.

The themes and placings for the following classes were:

- 10A - Friends
- 10B - Titanic (placed third)
- 10C - Frozen (came first)
- 10D - Fifth element
- 10E - Full monty (placed second)
- 10G - Boadicea

Well done girls! You put up an excellent performance. Our thanks must go to Miss Frisch for her patience, guidance and assistance with the synchronised swimming:

Reney Morrison

"...What!! We have to dance in a pool! How do we do that? With team work, guys! Let's get together, find our music and costumes and get started." Yes, it was hard at first, but with the help of our best teacher Miss Frisch, who helped us out when we were stuck, we got busy. We overcame the obstacles of getting in to a cold pool in the morning and finding our smoke bombs had blown up. Our music started and we climbed into the pool. When it was over we were amazed to hear we had won.

Thanks guys. You all did me proud.

Louise Boyd



JUPITER HOUSE - SENIOR DANCE



APOLLO HOUSE - JUNIOR DANCE



10C - The Winning group

Top Row: Nicola Stotter, Megan Fletcher, Hayley King, Renay Morrison
Middle Row: Ilse van Achterbergh, Fern Gray, Julie Horstmann, Louise Boyd, Victoria McRose, Lauren Dryden, Stacey Kriel
Last Row: Mary Francois, Sungeun Kim, Lindy Wannenburg, Robyn Coleman



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PREFECTS REPORT

At the beginning of 1998, the prefects' goal for the year was to focus on the four corner-stones of pride, unity, discipline and respect.

Everything began enthusiastically when we came back from our prefects' camp, and we were all keen to make our presence felt. This was achieved through numerous "smoke tests", uniform inspections and general patrolling of the school grounds. We're sure that many of the pupils will remember such instances as Warren being trapped up on a roof trying to catch smokers, while they were down on the ground pointing up at him and laughing. Then there was the time a Grade Eight pupil was so scared of being reprimanded during an inspection that he decided to trim his own fringe, which you can imagine, was a hair stylist's nightmare. All the prefects would like to say a special thanks to Mrs Webb, who has been like a mother to us this year and who has stood with us through thick and thin. We would also like to thank Mr Cuthbertson (although he unfortunately had to leave us) and Mr Visser, without whom we would never have been able to make it through the year.

Good luck to the prefects of '99! Make the most of it and enjoy every day.

Prefects of '98

Sam Barichiev and Grant Ansell



Front Row (left to right): Mr D. Visser (Principal), D. David (Deputy Head Girl), G. Ansell (Head Boy), S. Barichiev (Head Girl) R. Smith (Deputy Head Boy), Mrs V. Webb (Deputy Principal)
Second row: B. Anderson, Ryan Smith, J. Raymond, V. Louw, J.P. Pires
Third row: N. Ferrar, W. Small, M. Mulder, P. Gregory, W. Stevens, D. Moat
Fourth row: M. Zinn, S. Leepile, P. Schreiber, S. Louw, T. Fletcher, B. Waddell, K. Edwards
Fifth row: R. Haskell, O. Masenamela, D. Cabral, D. Hardres-Williams, O. Vermaak
Absent: J. Rouse

PREFECTS' CAMP 1998

Twenty-six of us set off in January this year for a week-end of bonding. Yes, the main mission of our weekend was to unite, and unite we did.

It all began with the entire lot of us jammed into the (still present) school kombi's. Due to a lack of radio, we kept the drivers entertained with our 'single harmonious voice' - Grant leading us in lyrics while Daniel provided drum beats from the headrest.

Upon our arrival at Bushtrails, we were greeted by Liz and her husband as well as a barrage of dogs. A game of touch rugby built up our appetites and dinner came and went with much enthusiasm.

Our trusty Guidance teacher sat us all in a ring under the stars for a 'chat session'. At the start, we all still had secrets however, as one by one, our weak spots were revealed, the twenty-six strong prefect body crumpled into a sniffing teary bunch. But that night, we forged the strongest bond any group of leaders has yet to reach.

The weekend flew past in a typical 'time flies when you're having fun' fashion. We debated types of leaders, came up with a new discipline policy and decided as a collective group that Grant has a voice, but no sense of rhythm!

Team building became part of daily routine and by the climax, our obstacle course, we made Bryanston High School proud once again by setting two new records and learning that Daniel cannot, in fact, fit through a tyre and Pippa has incredible loose straps on her bra.....

Overall, we thoroughly enjoyed ourselves. We grew as people, united as leaders and knocked the schools socks off with our very own rendition of Bob's 'Buffalo Soldier'!

The 1998 Prefect Body left for a camp as a group of twenty-six friends and returned as a single invincible unit. We're one bunch that will stand out in the school's history forever. Thanks for the challenge. We surpassed it.

Samantha Barichiev and Grant Ansell



The Prefects Song

HEADGIRL'S FINAL ASSEMBLY



Good morning Mr Visser, staff, guests and for the final time this morning to you all, my fellow Bryanstonians.

It was this time just over a year ago when Grant and I were appointed as the 1998 Head Prefects of our fine school. And it was on that day that my best friend gave me a beautiful poem which I'd like to share with you all. It reads as follows:

*The further we stretch, the higher the sky -
It gets harder, the harder we try
The faster we run, the longer the road
The stronger we get, the bigger the load
But when you are down and good times are few
I will be there, for true friends come through'*

I pinned that poem up on my wall and prepared myself for 1998. Now, as I reflect back upon the year I can see how incredible it has been.

Beginning with our man at the top, Mr Visser has led us magnificently through a period in our country which has been taxing politically, economically and socially. Yet, during it all, we have succeeded, and succeeded at the highest levels. Supported once more by an ever amazing group of professionals, he has taken us to a new found level this year. We need only to look at the results to see what I mean.

The year began with the swimming season and once more we outdid ourselves in the A League. One of my favourite memories of the season is of Dennis Mashinini swimming in the Inter-House Gala. Under great duress and after much deliberation, he swam for his house, well: Mr Mashinini, your hairstyle has got to be remembered as 'The Afro of 1998'. Seriously though, to the rest of you at Bryanston, that is the epitome of what our school strives for: participation at all levels. I'd like to

encourage everyone to let your hair down once in a while and give something back to your school. It's like the chicken who contemplated crossing the road. Why do you need a reason? Just do it. Other stars who just did it in term one were our cricketers. Who will ever forget Oba's smashing sixes or Captain Ryan's delectable stance behind the enemy wickets?

On to term two and hockey, netball and rugby became the life and breath of half the school. Our hockey girls have developed into a formidable side of stick wielding, warthog-stanced players. In netball, our first side had an unbeaten season in league matches, whilst in rugby our 'main manne' made up a brilliant side. Guys, I'd just like to interject here for the final time and say that contrary to your collective belief, we do not enjoy being subjected to your 'passion-killer' styled underwear as you change, in public, before every practice!

Continuing, and our second term also involved the Major Production which was a huge hit attracting publicity from 'Carte Blanche', 'The Star' and neighbouring headmasters, to name but a few. For those of you who attended, I'm sure I need not remind you how amusing and strangely fitting Daniel's portrayal of a 'dirty old man' was. Nor, how Lara's microphone pack unhitched itself to dangle precariously, during her and Warren's rendition of the Charleston. And I can't possibly leave out Ryan's ten point dive across the stage to catch David's falling champagne glass, causing him to narrowly miss landing in the orchestra pit. It was pure entertainment!

Moving on to last term, athletics dominated. I'd personally like to congratulate the side on an outstanding performance, by moving up to second position. In my opinion, your team is an example of real Bryanstonians: You not only meet your challenge, you surpass it, and I sincerely admire that.

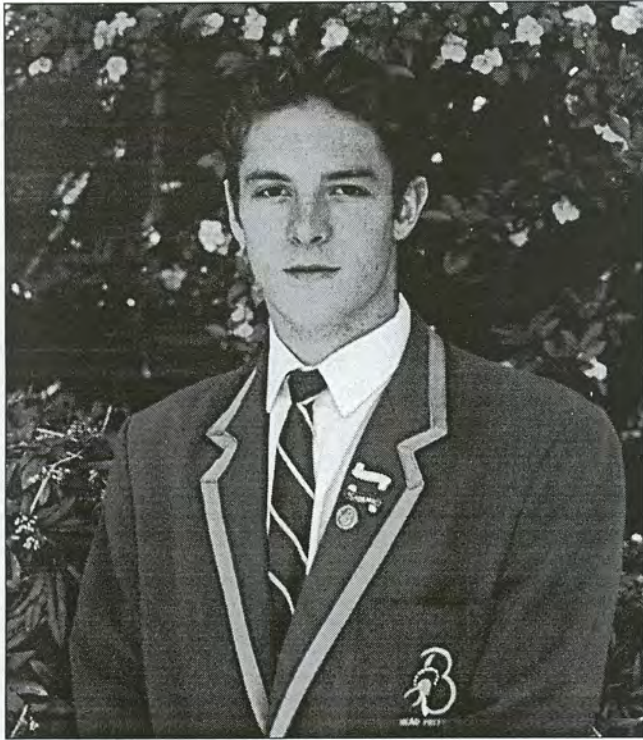
Sincere advice is one aspect of every outgoing Head Prefect's speech and so, before I close, I'd like to share some good advice with you all. Firstly: wear sun screen. If I could offer you only one tip for the future, sun screen would be it. The long term benefits of sun screen have been proved by scientists, whereas the rest of my advice has no basis more reliable than my own meandering experience. Secondly: don't worry about the future, or worry, but know that worrying is as effective as trying to solve an algebra equation by chewing bubblegum. And thirdly: don't waste your time on jealousy. Sometimes you're ahead, sometimes you're behind. The race is long, but in the end, it's only with yourself.

And so Bryanston, I'd like to thank you. You made 1998 my most special year, simply because: The further we stretched, the higher the sky. It got harder, the harder we tried. The faster we ran, the longer the road. The stronger we got, the bigger the load. But when I was down and good times were few, you were all there, for True Bryanstonians come through!

Thank you and God bless.

Samantha Barichiev

HEADBOY'S FINAL ASSEMBLY



Good morning Mr Visser, Staff, and pupils.

Sadly, from my point of view, this is my final address as your headboy. 1998 is a year I have thoroughly enjoyed, but all good things must come to an end and I and my fellow matrics must bid you farewell and move on, setting our sights on new horizons.

During this address, I would like to recount the progress we have made in achieving the goals we set in the first term.

At the beginning of this year, the aim of the prefect group, and ultimately the entire matric body of 1998, was to concentrate on the four corner stones of pride, unity, discipline and tradition, and to try and instil and promote these values in our school. I believe that not only has Bryanston reached these goals, but we have once again pushed up the levels which next year, those of you who remain, will have to endeavour to follow.

Pride in our school has been achieved by all our excellent results, as Sam has already mentioned, on the sports fields, in the classrooms, on the stage, and in the art studios. One merely has to read the local paper or speak to someone outside the school to realise the high regard that people in the community have for Bryanston High and its pupils.

Unity on the other hand is not something that people can achieve by practising and rehearsing, and that is why, when it does happen, it is so special and touching. When I think back over this year, one particular event stands out above all the others and that occurred recently at the inter-high athletics when it was announced that Bryanston was coming second and was just a couple of points behind the leaders, and the entire school came together and cheered their athletes on to one of the best

results that a Bryanston athletics team has ever achieved.

Discipline is one of the primary functions of any Prefect body, and it is absolutely necessary in order to run and maintain a school of this size successfully. I will always smile when I think back to Warren's observation post on the roof of the cycle shed and the other plans we made to weed out the smokers. But discipline in life, no matter how restricting and unfair it may sometimes seem, is important, provided that it's set at appropriate levels. I hope and believe that the prefects this year have not been too unfair in the carrying out of the school rules.

The last corner stone that needs to be mentioned is not something that can be forced, but instead it is something that grows out of the other three values of pride, unity and discipline. Tradition at Bryanston High has always been very strong and this year has been no exception to the norm. I, personally, will always remember the tradition of the singing of the school anthem at the end of the Capricorn weekend, a tradition which is guaranteed to bring a lump to the throat of even the toughest first team rugby player.

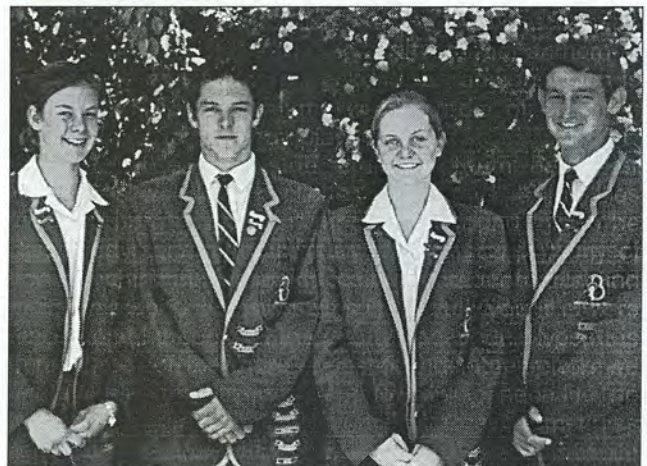
There is a well known cliché, which says, "Time flies when you are having fun", and I have found this to be particularly true this past year. And although many of you may think that school is a bit of a drag, on reflection of my years at Bryanston High, I can tell you it is here that we spend some of the best times of our lives; it is here where some of our greatest friendships are formed and it is here that lasting memories are made.

So make the most of every moment at Bryanston, for if you take care of the minutes, the hours will take care of themselves.

Enjoy and have fun.

Thank you.

Grant Ansell



Pictured from left to right: D. David, G. Ansell, S. Barichiev, R. Smith

GRADE EIGHT ORIENTATION CAMP

The Grade Eight Orientation Programme culminated in February, when the pupils, accompanied by the prefect body and five members of staff set out for a weekend at Hartebeespoort Dam. Unfortunately, the trip coincided with the worst heatwave to hit Gauteng in the last decade, and the bus journey itself was drawn out to three hours due to a horribly inadequate map. By the time the Grade Eights disembarked at the Acacia Campsite most were hot, disgruntled and slightly exhausted.

A subdued group headed for the dorms and the atmosphere was quite serene - for approximately five minutes. They bounced back with relative ease and under the guidance of the prefects and grade controllers, participated in the spirit building and teamwork activities with much enthusiasm. Convinced we could exhaust their energy, we set task after task for them to complete on the first evening, but our juniors met each challenge with ever increasing gusto and seemed to become livelier as the evening wore on. As a result, most of the night was spent with grade controllers performing guard duty and tending to the pupils and their own migraines!

Saturday saw everyone once again raring to go and they were kept occupied with further activities, a pleasant hike, and role play practices. These events were interspersed with much welcomed trips to the campsite pool in an attempt to battle the continuing heat. The evening saw the pupils performing their own miniature productions which was entertaining for the pupils and educational for the staff!

After completing the orientation examination on Sunday morning - providing some rather original replies to certain questions - the Grade Eights did a superb job of cleaning the site and packing their belongings onto the bus in record time. By this time the endless activities had begun to take their toll and most were eager to return home to the comfort of their own beds (staff included). The bus trip home was a far quieter affair and many sleepy teenagers had to be roused on our return to school.

All in all the weekend proved to be great fun but totally exhausting, and certainly achieved its goal of unifying our newcomers into a force to be reckoned with.

Mrs D. Meikle

CHEERLEADERS

Showing off in Jamaican style at the Ellis Park swimming pool, cheerleading was great fun.

Moving on to Ruimsig (Roodepoort Stadium) the cheerleaders arrived in a topless-bus all the way from "Cape Town", entertaining everyone on the way as well as on the stands in true Coon-carnival spirit. It was a most unforgettable experience.

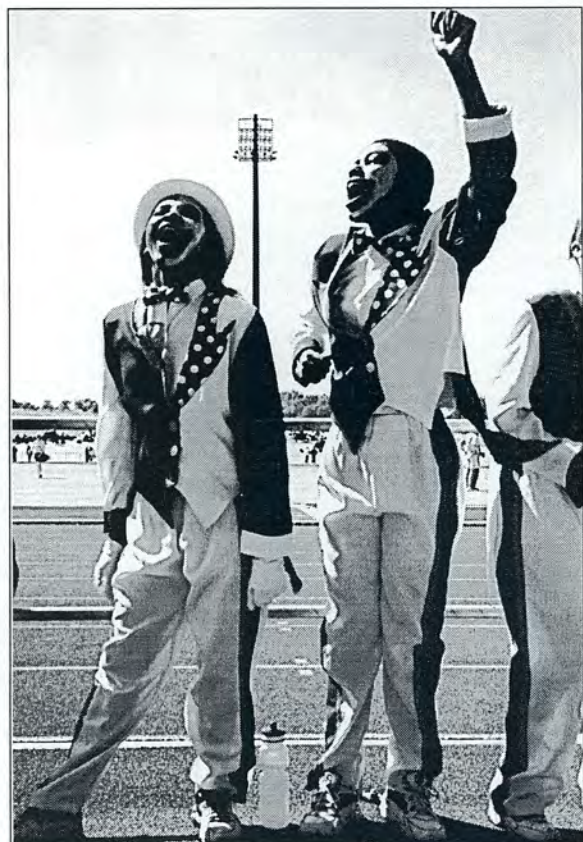
See you next year!



Nicole Schiffer, Candice Schimmer, Louella Tindale, Latoya



Grade 8 Orientation



GRADE 10 BOYS' LEADERSHIP CAMP

Day One: 29 July

Arriving at camp via the "scenic route", we were shown our dorms where we unpacked and stretched our legs. We were introduced to our guides Ponse, Barney and P.J., after which we were divided into the four groups that, for the next three days, would experience all kinds of pain and pleasure. We then commenced with group activities that were both mind-bending and physically challenging and made us work as a unit, not individuals.

That night we were to stalk the lantern. Never before have we had to trust each other as we did. We were all blindfolded, each person holding the shoulder of the person in front of him and led into the bush, where our guide took us through an obstacle course complete with razor-sharp thorn bushes and large boulders. We were then taught how to tell direction by the stars and turned loose into the bush. We arrived back at camp completely exhausted, never as happy just to lie down and fall asleep.

Day Two: 30 July

Crawling out of our sleeping bags, at six o'clock in the morning into the freezing cold air to the shrill whistle we had already learnt to despise, we hurriedly dressed, not wanting to join the other boys already running the designated P.T. course. After breakfast we had a "short" two-kilometre hike to where we had to build rafts and learn how to canoe. The canoeing was the one real unpleasant experience: we were pulled out in our canoes and capsized into the ice cold water "to teach us how to get out if we accidentally tipped". The raft building was better, with most of our rafts holding together. The abseiling was great fun and brought a great sense of accomplishment to those of us who are a little wary of heights. At the end of the day we reached the camp and assembled around the fire to discuss the day's activities, after which, we all agreed, a warm bed was a nice end to the strenuous day.

Day Three: 31 July

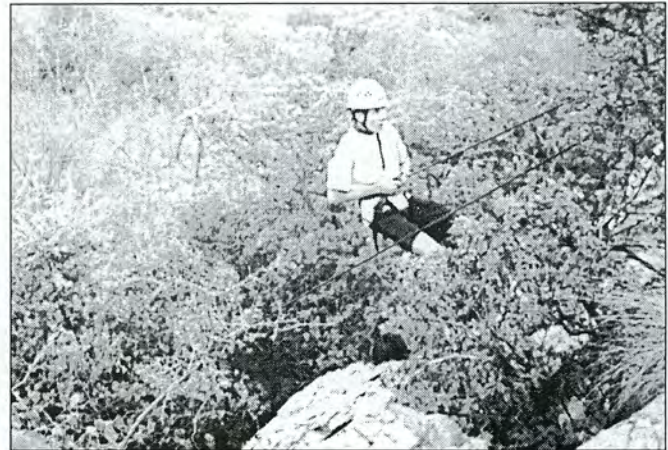
Once again we woke up to the shrill whistle and the cold bite of the morning air. We joined our respective groups and started more group activities, which proved the toughest yet. We were then spoken to by each of our guides, who commented on our good behaviour, and the improvement of the skills worked on throughout the camp.

Later we said our good-byes, packed our bags and filed onto the bus with mixed emotions - glad that we would finally be able to have a long-awaited chocolate, coldrink and rest, but having enjoyed the activities and whole experience tremendously.

Mark White



*All tied up
Ryan Moralee & Peter Vlok Gr 10*



Duran Dismore Gr 10



"Row row your float" -Grade 10 Veldschool

LEADERSHIP

GRADE 10 GIRLS' LEADERSHIP CAMP

29 July 1998, 8am: a morning of excitement and great expectancy. The Grade Ten pupils assembled on the grass next to the gate, eagerly awaiting our departure. Roll call was taken, latecomers rushed into line, loose ends were tied up and, after ninety minutes, the buses arrived! Soon we were on our way. The trip there, was, on its own, a very enlightening experience: Mrs Buchan got a good taste of rave music, Mr Basson bonded with us and we, in turn, got a fair share of the wilderness (especially after we got lost and drove around in circles for two and a half hours!). Eventually we arrived at our destination - Donkervliet. Girls and guys were separated, a welcome lunch was devoured and games were played during the afternoon. As well as being loads of fun, these games allowed us to befriend people we wouldn't normally socialise with and it established a sense of teamwork and camaraderie within the girls. Little did we know it, but the camaraderie would be put to the test the very next day!

Thursday morning greeted us... at six o'clock! Fifty-six exhausted bodies dragged themselves out of bed, ate breakfast and were soon hiking their way to the spot where fear would grip their hearts and their bowels. Supported by one rope and a guide, we were to walk backwards down a vertical rock. In short, we abseiled and if it weren't for the coaxing and cheering from my fellow abseilers, I would've seriously considered forfeiting the experience.

After lunch our team spirit was developed further when we rafted across the Vaal river. Once on the other side, we built our own raft with poles, ropes and barrels. Some floated, some sank, some fell apart before they even touched water.

Kayaking was next on the list and after demonstrations on how to get out of a kayak once it's been tipped over, the guides told us to get into our kayaks! By 8pm thirty girls were still on the wrong side of the river (due to unforeseen circumstances) in soaking wet clothes, shoeless, absolutely freezing. Never before has a group of people raced to hot showers like we did. After a night of sleeping like the dead, we enjoyed a Friday morning of games and fun.

When we finally arrived home, I feel I can safely say that, after three days of enjoyment, our group was more closely-knit. We had interacted with each other as a team and had developed friendships with new people.

A huge thank-you must go to Mrs Buchan, Miss Saint, Mrs Lever, Mr Smith, Mr Basson and Mr Skelton for these wonderful days!

Ashleigh Harvey

GRADE 11 BOYS' LEADERSHIP CAMP

By the time we arrived at Inyati camp for our weekend, we were already soaking wet and covered in mud thanks to an obstacle course we had to do en route ... and that was just the beginning! That same night we set off on a hike which would test our ability to follow instructions and navigate by the stars. We failed hopelessly and had to be rescued by Karel, the camp owner.

The following morning we were woken up bright and early, compliments of Grant and Rory, for some P.T. and cadets. The day's activities included an inspection, a camouflage exercise in which we were required to ambush each other, a hike, a cadet parade for Mr Visser's arrival, a tactical game and group plays, which revealed some real acting talent.

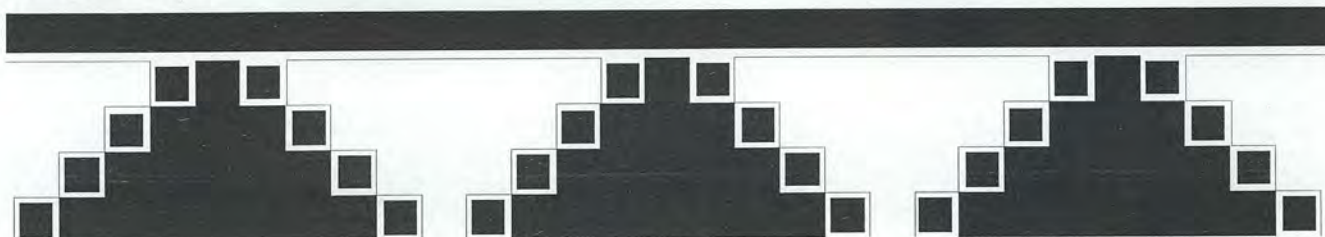
The next morning we attended lectures, which taught us leadership skills and assertiveness to help us in our roles as seniors. This was followed by the more strenuous activities of a nature marathon and a raft building exercise during which we suffered only a few casualties.

We then set off on yet another hike, with all our equipment, for an overnight stay in the bush. Here we played an intensive game of stalk the lantern, with Mr Basson - "he who is one with the night" - the great white ninja! The final day was spent hiking back to our camp where we had our final cadet parade.

The camp included both physical and mental challenges and provided everyone with team-building and leadership experience. However, some of our peers - like Roscoe, Zaine, Jonathan and Rodney - felt they were not receiving enough physical attention, and so spent many hours in the middle of the night doing a variety of exciting and interesting physical tasks!

Despite the occasional scorpion bite, everyone had a great time, and we were all brought together as a group.

James Leech and Rory Bolus



GRADE 11 GIRLS' LEADERSHIP CAMP

LEADERSHIP



GRADE 11 GIRLS' LEADERSHIP CAMP

When Mrs Weir sat us down on Thursday and told us to bring 'old' clothes, I don't think that we were fully aware of what she was trying to tell us. We know that we shouldn't expect The 'Palace' at the Lost City but we did think that our place of residence would be a place where us city girls could feel at home. So a few of us chose to ignore Mrs Weir's advice and on Friday morning, bright and early, it looked as though many of the girls were on their way to a fashion extravaganza, clad in pedal-pushers and buffalos with their faces made up and their nails freshly manicured. After travelling for roughly two and a half hours on a one and a half hour trip, the busses stopped and the teachers realised that we may have been lost! So standing in the middle of the 'bundus', out came the cellphones and panic arose not only because we were lost but because there were only 2 bushes which provided coverage and several girls who really needed to go!

On arrival at Thaba Maroela we were kindly ushered to our 22 bedded, thatched huts which were to be our sleeping quarters for the next 2 days. We later divided into 10 groups and bonded. This would hold us in good stead as moral support was a key factor throughout the camp.

As the day progressed and heat intensified, we needed water. Seriously, it was 37° in the shade - and there was no shade.

Finally we went down to the river where Mrs Armstrong was in full force. She showed us Bryanston kugels exactly how it's done. In and out of icy water, up and down muddy banks, she even guided us through the gruesome task of picking blood sucking leeches off our delicately nurtured skin.

Squeals of delight were later heard as 98 girls ran up the river bank and slid down the "fofi" slide. Then one of our teachers felt courageous and decided to brave this slide. Unfortunately, she didn't make it to the bottom. She got stuck and was very much surprised, when instead of lending a helping hand, we all stood by and killed ourselves laughing.

That wasn't the only incident which provided us with a good laugh. Michelle learned the finer art of tying her bikini top - EFFECTIVELY and Danielle enjoyed her half kilometre run down the road in order to retrieve her lost sandal.

Despite these mishaps we arrived back at camp safely and in dire need of a shower. I was absolutely horrified to discover that there was no hot water until Sarah decided to share with me that the cold water or blue tap actually produced hot water. However the showers were missing one tiny detail - drains, so minor flooding in our bathrooms did occur. But the most enjoyable part of the day was undoubtedly our midnight feast where the girls dressed up in various costumes (some more elaborate than others) and strutted their stuff providing loads of entertainment.

The next morning at 5.20am, we awoke to the cheery voice of Mrs Weir after having about four and a half hours of sleep. At 6am we left the camp, some on a game drive and others on a veld focus hike. One of the most challenging activities we faced that day, was the obstacle course. Many tears were shed, many friends were made, but most importantly many fears were conquered.

That evening, Nicola conquered her greatest fear - no electricity - which meant no hairdryer. She used the bonfire as a styling tool to dry and shape her fringe. But this effort was all in vain and so was everyone's showers as we went bundu bashing. We had to "stalk the lantern" and by doing this it was necessary to leopard-crawl through thorns and bokdrolle only to discover that the directions given - well let's put it this way - everyone stalked a different lantern.

Something else which left a lot to be desired were the cooking skills of many of the girls. They were given ingredients and an hour to prepare a dessert and poor Connie who happened to be a judge found these rather weird creations hard to swallow - literally.

To all of those brave Grade 11 boys, who proved to us females that they couldn't go an entire weekend without seeing us and therefore dared to disturb our beauty sleep at 3am and who had the audacity to tell us how ugly we looked, we were delighted to hear that you were caught and severely punished.

On behalf of all the Grade 11 girls, I would like to thank Mrs Weir, Mrs Webb, Mrs Armstrong, Mrs Buchan, Ms Wilkinson, Mrs Van der Kolf, Mrs Letcher, Mrs Fulcher, Mrs Deacon, Mrs Lever, Mrs Schreuder and Ms Pretorius for giving up your time to be with us this past week-end. For all the knowledge you shared and for all the guidance you showed, for all the inspirational talks you gave and for all the effort that you put in to the activities which really boosted our team spirit.

We are definitely a more closely-knit group despite all the broken nails and ruined buffalos.

Our unity as a team has been strengthened and our camaraderie has been taken to new heights.

Thank you!

Samantha Stanley Gr 11H



STUDENTS' REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL

LEADERSHIP



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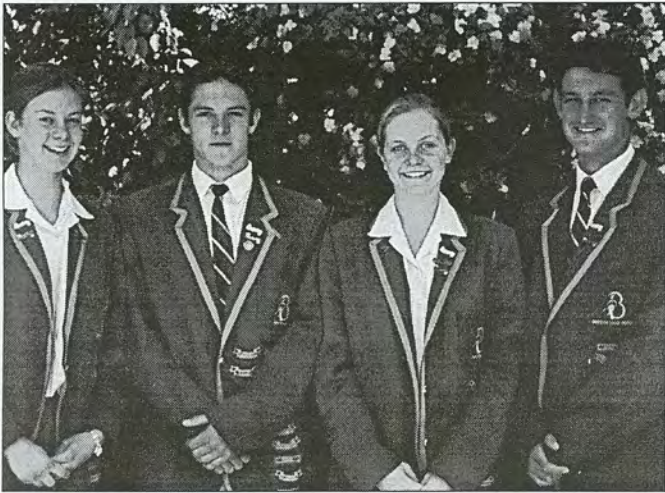
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WHITE BLAZERS



Left to right: Alex Kuehnast, Wendy Stevens, Grant Ansell, Melanie Mulder, Renton Haskell, Lindie Korf

HEAD PREFECTS



Left to right: D. David, G. Ansell, S. Bariechievy, R. Smith

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BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL CONGRATULATES ...

National Representatives - profiles

LEANDRA HARRISON

1995 - Gauteng colours
SA Championships: 13-14
age group
- 2nd position

1996 - Received Junior
and Senior
Protea colours
Attended World
Championships
(Senior) and
World Age
Group Games

(Junior) in Canada Open Section of World
Championships - 20th out of 40 competitors
Age Group: 15-17 - World Age Group Games -
4th out of 40 competitors
South African Championships:
Open Senior Women - 2nd position

1997 - Received Senior Protea colours
World Games in Lahti, Finland (August '97)
World Open Senior Women - 14th position
Indo Pacific Championships - Senior Women
(Open) - 5th out of 10
Senior Women South African Champion -
1st position

1998 - Senior (Open) Protea colours
Attended World Championships in Sydney
Australia (October 1998)



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ARTISTIC GYMNASTICS



This entails four apparatus disciplines which each participant must compete in. Rankings are done on the total points from each discipline. Examples of disciplines include:

- Vaulting
- Uneven bar routine
- Beam routines
- Floor routines

JEANNINE NIEDERBROKER (above left)

1998 - Protea colours
Pre-commonwealth team - 5th place

KERRY JOYCE (above, middle)

1997- Junior Protea colours
Travelled to Como, Italy - Team event, 6th place
Senior Protea colours
Travelled to Leverkusen, Germany - Team event, 5th place - Individual 10th place

1998- Senior Protea colours
African Championships - Team event 1st place
- Individual 4th place

MIRELLE PATTERSON (above, right)

1998- Junior Protea colours
African Championships - Team event 1st place
- Received a silver in the bar routine

JACLYN ERLANK - RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS

Jaclyn has been involved in Rhythmic Gymnastics (Ribbons and balls) for ten years where she has represented Gauteng at Provincial Competitions. She has represented South Africa twice and was unlucky not to represent South Africa at the Commonwealth Games at Kuala Lumpur.



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MARLON AUGUST - JUDO

April 1998 - Represented South Africa in Belgium at the Judo International tournament. Placed 2nd

July 1998 - Represented South Africa in World Youth Games in Moscow



Ranked 9th at the tournament

DARRYL LINDEQUE - POLO-CROSS

Darryl has been playing Polo-cross since 1993 when he was selected for the SA u/14 team who played internationals against Zimbabwe.



Since 1994 Darryl has played at u/19 level where he has competed for Gauteng. In 1997 a National u/19 team played a three test series against Zimbabwe in Bloemfontein where the South Africans were the victors 2 - 1.

Polo-cross is played on horses and the game is divided into eight chukkas of eight minutes each. There are six members in a team and three play every alternative chukka. Darryl has three horses that he competes on:



Scarlet Ambition, Noble Fantasy, Magic Turf.

CHANTAL VAN STEIJN (Pictured left) - CANOEING

Chantal has represented Gauteng at the Inter-provincial schools sprint competition which was held in Pietermaritzburg.

She was then selected to compete at the World Marathon Championships to be held at Marina De Gama

JACKIE AMM
- FENCING

1995 - participated in an Under 17 competition in Moscow, Russia
 1997 - participated in Junior World Championships in Tenerife, Spain awarded Junior National colours
 Participated in an Under 17 competition in Moscow.
 1998 - participated in Youth Olympic Games in Moscow



GIRLS' HOCKEY
SOUTHERN GAUTENG PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATIVES
 Back Row (left to right); Nicola Summers (U16 Umpire), Nicola Ferrar (U18 Umpire), Candice Fraser (U18 Umpire)
 Middle Row: Mrs H. Pearce (U21 & U18 Coach), Wendy Stevens (U18 Winter Games Team), Chantal Calder (U16B Team), Kate Dold (U18 Winter Games Team), Nicola Woodhouse (U16C Team), Lee-Ann Stevens (U14A Team)
 Front Row: Pippa Gregory (U18 Gazelles - Capt.), Kirsty Welsh (U16A Team), Judy Kruuse (U16C Team), Vicky Cotter (U18 Winter Games Team)



Best Senior Speaker, Tracy Fletcher (left) with Best Junior Speaker, Ashleigh Harvey



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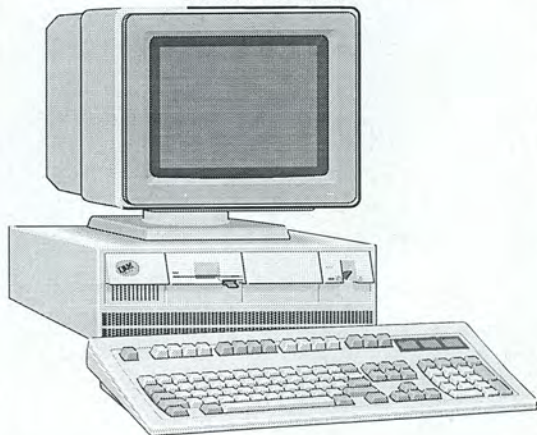
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APOLLO



This year, Apollo featured, yet again, as an incredibly strong house both culturally and on the sporting fields. The house committee were dedicated and enthusiastic - even if the job entailed wearing masks and short skirts!

Apollo started the year by winning the Inter-house swimming trophy. Justin Lawrence received the Senior Victor Ludorum and Kathryn Cronje won the Senior Victrix Ludorum.

This success was followed by a resounding victory in the house-play sphere. Olivia Vermaak was named best playwright, best producer and best supporting actress. The best actor award went to Daniel Cabral, while the best supporting actor award was shared between Stephen Leepile and Warren Small. "Best actress" went to Tracey Fletcher, "best sound" to Simon Masemola, "best lighting" to Philip Ferguson and Lindsay Bolus and "best make-up" to Candice Fraser. The juniors won the award for best production.

Back to the sporting field where Apollo won the Inter-house Cross Country thanks to a first place from Simon Masemola. Inter-house athletics resulted in a second place. Renton Haskell won the trophy for best middle distance and Kirsty Welsh was awarded the Junior Victrix Ludorum. Overall, Apollo won the spirit trophy and the tug-of-war contest proving that not only does this house have brawn and talent, but also a wonderful enthusiasm.

The last events of the year were the Inter-house Rugby, Netball and Hockey of which Apollo won the Rugby and the Netball. Inter-house debating was next on the calendar. The senior debating team made it to the finals and achieved a second place.

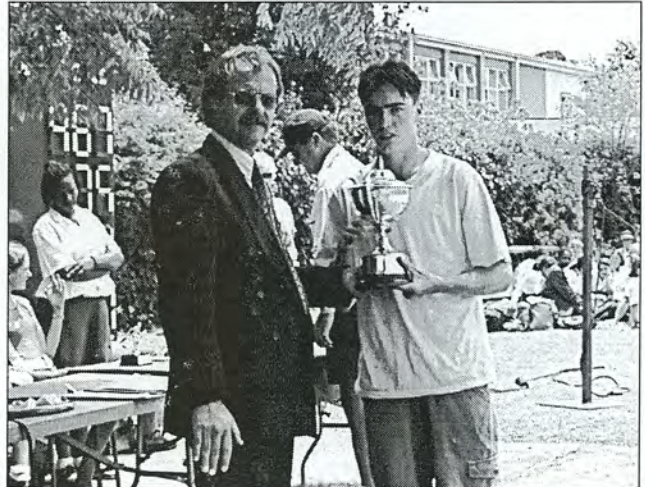
All in all, it was a year to be remembered with pride and a sense of achievement. Thank you to all those who participated and helped to make this year a resounding success.

Danielle David and Stephen Leepile

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"Cheers"



Justin Lawrence receiving the Victor Natationis at the Inter-House Gala



Apollo House Captains, Stephen Leepile and Danielle David receive the Inter-House Gala Trophy



JUPITER



Staff responsible: Mr A.Crighton,
Mrs J. Frost (in charge)
Mrs P. Deacon, Mr J.Skelton,
Mrs C.Buchan, Mrs D.Geary,
Mrs A.Hall, Mrs K.Winson,
Mrs J.Skeen, Mrs G.Du Preez,
Mrs R.Fourie.

House

Committee: Captains : Rory Smith
and Cleona Illett
K. Theoudoulou, A. Kietzman,
B. Wolfaardt, R. Smith,
N. Halkett-Siddal, B. Waddell,
T. Van Goeverden, O.Killian,
L. Richardson, M. Wainright,
J. Van Kerkhoven.

We started 1998 with the swimming gala! Jupiter has battled to produce depth in swimming, but they showed true commitment and determination and tried their best. The cheerleaders and supporters did a great job in encouraging the swimmers.

Jupiter House excelled in a number of activities this year. The badminton players did exceptionally well to win both the boys and the girls events. The netball players came second in their competition.

At the Inter-House athletics, a sport which Jupiter has struggled with in the past, the boys U19 relay team won the final relay to push Jupiter into a creditable third position. On the day, our tug o' war team battled it out for a second place as well.

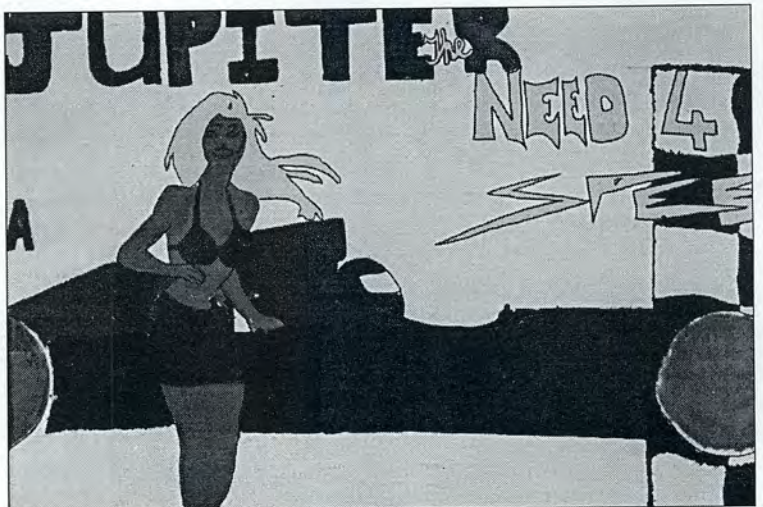
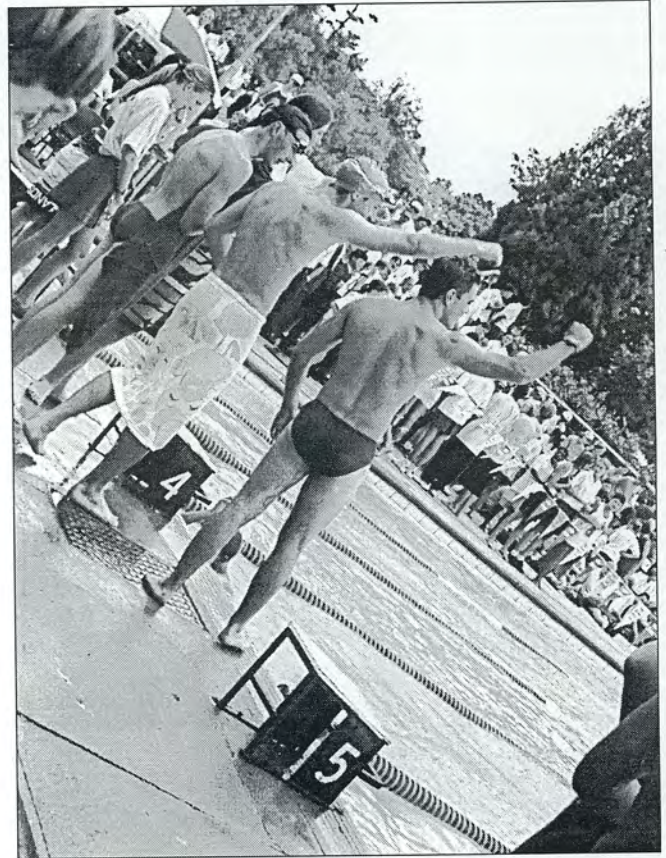
Some other sporting events in which Jupiter showed talent were rugby, a second place, and girls' hockey, a third place.

On the cultural side, Jupiter pupils showed their talents on the stage in some excellent junior and senior house plays, as well as debating and dance competitions.

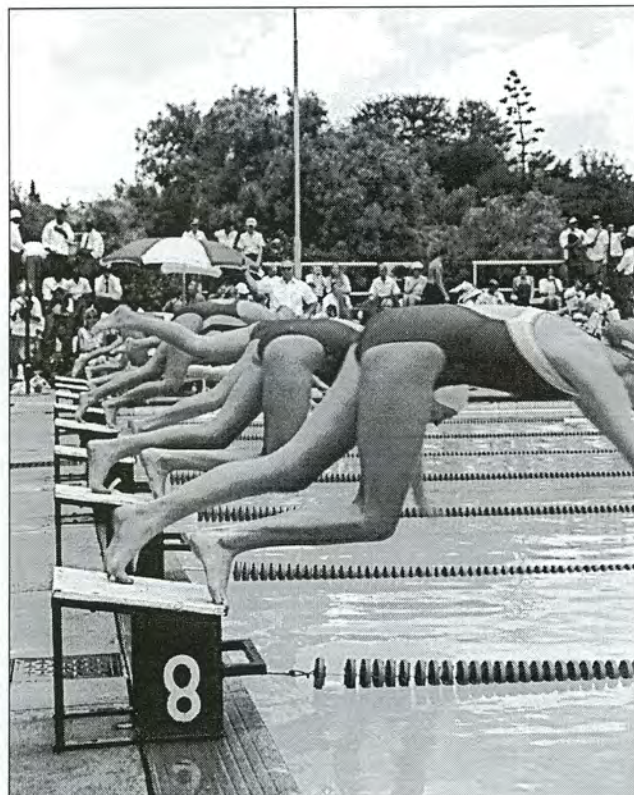
Overall, Jupiter House has improved in all areas of activity this year and we look forward to an even better 1999!

Mr A.Crighton

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MERCURY



"... And away they go"

- Teacher-in-charge:** Mrs T. Letcher
- House Captains:** O. Masenamela; P. Gregory
Vice Captains: N. v.d. Walt; M. Mulder
- House Committee:** R. Millar, A. v.d. Westhuizen,
 G. du Toit, N. Dubasi,
 C. Kruuse, C. O'Mahoney,
 C. De Melo, E. Davidson,
 M. Kalambaie, K. Glass,
 N. Dubasi

Mercury was a god who was admired for his speed and skill on land. He had feathers in his cap and on his sandals which aided his speed in his adventures. We certainly lived up to the strong name of Mercury by walking away proudly with the inter-house athletics trophy, proving that we are gods. Not only did we receive that trophy on the day but also several others. Best sprint performance trophy for girls went to Vicky Cotter and for boys, Makhulu Kalambaie. Best middle distance performance trophy went to Judy Kruuse. We also claimed the Senior Victor and Victrix Ludorum trophies which went to Gavin Fisher, and Vicky Cotter and Judy Kruuse respectively. We were also victorious in the inter-house hockey and inter-house dancing, which both the senior and junior dancers won.



Oba Masemolele & Pippa Gregory

On land we were strong but in the water we fared quite well, coming in a close second in the inter-house swimming. We also came second in inter-house rugby and house plays. We were definitely the house to be reckoned with this year. Our motto was "just doing it" and that's exactly what we did. Congratulations and thank you, Mercury. Good luck, keep on fighting and keep doing it ALWAYS!



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NEPTUNE



Staff Responsible: Mrs D. Meikle, Ms L. Wilkinson,
Mr C. Smith, Mr M. Bowie
Captains: Samantha Barichievy, J.P. Pires
Vice Captains: Melanie Hider, Michael Zinn

1998 began as a great year for Neptune. We were not necessarily the top in every field, but our consistency and the fact that we always filled every lane meant our points were notched up on the board. This, combined with certain stars at every level of participation meant Neptune did really well this year. Sporting the theme of Hercules and his striking band of gods we came third in the Inter-House swimming and athletics.

Culturally this year Neptune competed incredibly well. We participated in the Inter-House Plays, the Inter-House Dance Competition and had many pupils involved in all aspects of the Major Production. The House Play was entitled 'The Empty Chair' and was directed by Caroline Smith. We received the award for Best Sound and certain actors were singled out for their ability to portray their characters with sincerity. The Inter-House Dances also went well with the senior and junior girls faring well against some tough opposition. I'd like to extend a warm thanks to all who participated. Keep up the spirit and good luck for next year.

Samantha Barichievy

To the Matrics of 1998
Our best wishes for your
future success and
happiness.
The Barichievy Family



Mr Visser, our Headmaster presenting the awards at the Interhouse Gala



"Who will win the cup?"



ART TOUR TO EUROPE

Staff Responsible: Ms K. Hofmeyr

Participants: Warren Small, Daniel Cabral, Jaques Roux, Melanie Mulder, Tenielle Botha, Laura Thomas, Junior Marepa, Gayle Olivier, Moira Flowerday, Neil de la Harpe and Craig Hawkins.

"A Nine country kaleidoscope" was the name of the tour and that was exactly what it was. Starting off in a beautiful 5 star hotel in Cairo, overlooking the pyramids, our visit included camel rides, a trip down the Nile at night and being harassed by what seemed like millions of traders, all while we were baking at 40°C.

We flew to Athens and enjoyed a day at the Acropolis - a must for classical architecture lovers. The Greek tour guide was an ex-South African who attended K.E.S. (Also one of the other schools who accompanied the tour). We then travelled overnight on a boat, spending the next day tanning on deck, arriving at Brindisi (Italy) in the afternoon.

Our Italian stay was an art-lover's dream and included Rome, Pisa, Florence and Venice. Unfortunately, one of the pupils left his entire money belt, which had his passport, airline tickets and money, in Rome. Also in Rome four of our pupils got "lost" and had to take a taxi back to the hotel. The shopping in Italy was also wonderful - shoes, belts, bags and art souvenirs. Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel ceiling at the Vatican was a definite highlight. From this point we were in three coaches with very friendly British coach drivers. Bryanston High School was in the red bus.

In Austria the food and the wonderful "feather beds" impressed everyone, as well as a giant ski lift used for the Olympic Games. Those pupils who had the money and energy went up into the snow and did some skiing!

Our visit to Paris included a trip down the Seine, Princess Diana's crash site, the Mona Lisa and everybody's favourite, the Eiffel Tower. The red coach crashing into a black mini was a most interesting experience too! After the Palace of Versailles, a day and night was spent at Disney World Paris - a very expensive fairy-tale. Sleeping overnight on the coach was really no fun but worth it when we arrived in Amsterdam. A cheese and clog making factory, the "red light" district, the Van Gogh Museum and the Van Rijn Gallery where we saw Rembrandt's "Night Watch", were on our itinerary.

Our stay-over in Belgium was highlighted by watching the World Cup final on TV. A morning ferry took us from Calais to Dover where the exchange rate to Pounds was really felt by us all! (£1 for a can of coke!) Getting seriously lost in London via the tube via the restaurant via the Starlight Express in really cold weather was the end of a memorable trip. Everyone was most thrilled to arrive back in Johannesburg. There really is no place like home!

Ms K. Hofmeyr



GRADE 11 GEOGRAPHY TOUR

The Grade 11 Geography students went on a very exciting geography expedition last term to the Wonder Caves in Krugersdorp. We departed from school at about 8.30am.

The drive to Krugersdorp took 40 minutes, and by the time we got there we were so anxious to go down under and satisfy our curiosity, but when we saw the steepness of the stairs a sprinkle of fear was added to our anxiety. We made our way down the cave in a small homemade lift in complete darkness, ending up surrounded by lit-up stalagmites. Our tour guide then took us on a fact filled tour of the subterranean cave.

After that we headed back to the entrance for lunch. Then we visited the lion, cheetah and hyena sections of the bordering game park. On our drive back to the entrance we spotted a few rhino and some zebra. By now a few of us were exhausted and hot. We then took a drive to Oom Piet's farm which has been around for over 70 years. We hopped onto his wagon for an experience of a life-time. This wagon was pulled by eight oxen, therefore it could carry all of us. During the bumpy ride Oom Piet asked a few of us to demonstrate a few skills of wagon driving. I, of course, was chosen to do the most terrifying task in the world. I was chosen to hold a 10cm stick in my mouth while Oom Piet made an attempt to whip it in half with his 4m whip. After that my nerves were shot. Then he made Tanya and Lara responsible for our lives by leading the oxen on the right path, and yes, they did endanger our lives, and the poor oxen got pulled into the thorn bushes!

After our exciting ride Oom Piet got us off the wagon very quickly by throwing ox-waste at us. On our way back home we smelt a hint of a very unpleasant smell and soon discovered Zane had secretly smuggled a piece of ox-waste into his pocket as a memento!

We all enjoyed the tour thoroughly.

Nicola Spilsbury



GIRLS HOCKEY TOUR

On Saturday 4th April, at 7.00am, the First, Second and U16 Hockey girls set off for Durban.

We were greeted by a hot day and the beach only a few metres from our hotel. Our day in Umhlanga was lovely as well. But that was the fun out of the way! After that we had to get used to waking up at about 6.00am!

For the next few days it would be up at 6.00am, to the astro by 8.00am where we would be taught new skills by provincial and Springbok players, lunch at 12.00pm and then matches were played until 6.00pm in the evening.

We were lucky enough to be in Durban. The men's Hockey Tri-nation series between South Africa, Egypt and Pakistan was on and we thought we were good!

So after a very successful tour, some incredible hockey and many sore muscles, we returned home.

Our surrogate moms on tour were Mrs Lever, Mrs Deacon and Mrs Pearce. Thank you for all you did.

Pippa Gregory

MIDMAR

What is Midmar? Midmar is a mile or maybe even a mile too far.

We left from school on Friday 6 February, some not knowing what to expect, as this was their first swim. A number of us looked at it as a mountain in front of us that we had to climb, others had been there, done that and even got the T-shirt, while some went along purely for the fun that was to be had - and fun was had all around.

The tour began with a long and tiring trip down to Durban. After Danielle Haus' winning - Miss Midmar, and quick stop off at the Pavilion (as Catrina Walsh had a bit too much water to drink), we arrived at the place that was to be our home for the weekend.

Saturday morning was spent sleeping late and walking along the Durban Beach Front. The afternoon was spent at Umhlanga where we experienced the freedom of doing what we wanted to, and a glimpse of what the good life was about.

Then came Sunday, the day many had looked forward to and planned for. For others the day that they were nervous about. Sixty swimmers from Bryanston joined approximately fourteen thousand swimmers on the day. Some raced to the finish, while others paced themselves to ensure that they would finish.

After a tiring but much enjoyed weekend, all was dead in the bus on the trip back. Everyone thought of the fun had, friendships made and the challenge we had just overcome.

Nadine Smit

CAPRICORN HIGH

On Friday 27th March, 330 pupils and 36 staff members departed in six buses for the annual Bryanston - Capricorn fixture in Pietersburg.

This is one of the few occasions where all pupils participating in winter sports and cultural activities can represent their school against each other. It is a growth experience, where commitment and co-operation is strengthened between pupils, staff and parents.

The results of the fixtures were as follows:

- First fifteen rugby - won
- First Netball - won
- First Hockey - won
- Tennis - won
- Squash - won
- Debating - won
- Cross Country - won

I would like to thank all the pupils and staff members for their help and co-operation. Especially Mr Skelton for his assistance during the organisation of this tour. We hope that this tour will bring pupils of visiting schools together and enrich all involved.

Mr A. Basson - organiser

GRADE NINE TOUR TO THE WAR MUSEUM

We arrived at the War Museum, ready for the experience of another lifetime, climbed off the buses and were rounded up in the auditorium. As Hitler's life flashed past us, we realised the extent of his power and cruelty and how he exploited the people. All our lessons about the war started to make sense, falling into place like the pieces of a jigsaw puzzle. The museum itself was interesting as it demonstrated South Africa's role in the war. The aeroplanes, submarines and bombs made the fighting and terrible conditions real. We became aware of the absolute inhumane conditions in war.

We left wiser and much sadder. But we had also learned that team spirit helps you through times of trouble. If you work together you will always come out on top, whether you win or lose.

Robyn Herron



"Score" Wendy Stevens



Enjoying lunch!



Our First Rugby Team

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NETBALL TOUR TO MARGATE

4.30 a.m. definitely sounded far too early to be "rising and shining", but we did, and cramped sardine-style into a bus with two rugby teams. The First and Second Netball sides drifted back to sleep as we made our way to Margate.

Being in a true students' town, we lived by ourselves in flats overlooking the sea, with our own private little beach. Life was fantastically easy until day one of our Netball course. Our warm-up was a little cross-country "jog" around Margate and an hour of stretching and sprints. It all paid off though - both teams played exceptionally well and ended up amongst the top teams out of sixteen schools.

When we weren't crushing our opponents on the courts, we were either posing for Mrs Schreuder's roving camera, causing havoc with the guys or spending quality "girl time" together on the beaches. Nights were spent out on the town, eating ice-creams, dancing, and experiencing the occasional brush with tidal waves on the pier at midnight.....!

Looking back, the tour was an incredible experience for us. Thanks must go to our surrogate moms, Mrs Schreuder and Mrs Skeen, for giving up their holiday to spend it with us and for organising the tour. Thanks must also be given to Mr Visser, for allowing us to accompany the rugby teams.

Samantha Barichiev

NETBALL WEEKEND - HARTEBEESSPOORT - 20-22 MARCH

Six netball sides went to Hartebeespoort to improve their netball skills before the netball season started. Our first stop was at the cable car where we had a magnificent view of the dam. Then we started to work on the netball courts with Elize Kotze, a former Springbok player and very experienced coach.

Friday night every team had to sing a team-song and even the teachers performed! Saturday we had a morning of hard work, then an outing to the snake and animal park and a boat-trip on the dam. The girls worked hard until that evening, went for milk-shakes and ended off the day with a Netball Rules Quiz (which the Open A's won!)

Bryanston girls were complimented by everybody for their excellent behaviour, spirit and good manners. With hard work and dedication and the use of skills they acquired over this weekend, they can only go from strength to strength.

Mrs C. Schreuder



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GRADE TWELVE ART TOUR



Warren Small and Richard Chapman in front of a Helen Sedibi painting at the Johannesburg Art Gallery



Grade 12 art pupils at the Jackson Hlungwane "installation" at the Johannesburg Art Gallery



Mixed media painting by Judith Mason at the Karen McKerron Gallery in Bryanston



Painting by Judith Mason at the Karen McKerron Gallery in Bryanston

Going in two kombi's, we set off to the Johannesburg Art Gallery. Our main attraction there was Jackson Hlungwane, a South African Contemporary Sculptor. A tour guide was arranged for us and she also showed us other very important South African Art works. These included Gerhard Sekoto's "Song of the Pick" and very popular amongst the learners, Penny Siopis's "Melancolia". We stopped for a lunch break at Bimbo's on our way to the second gallery, The Karen McKerron Gallery in Bryanston.

The exhibits here were of such a nature that really shocked and surprised us all. Judith Mason is another artist in our syllabus and her work is of a very political nature. Mason's earlier work has been oil on canvas and of a very delicate nature; now we were confronted by mixed media: including rubbish bags, wire, bolts, traditional oil paint, metal cages, gingerbread men, electric shock symbols, a fuse box and spark plugs, "Nkosi Sikelela", elements of persecution - all media and subject matter that haunt "The woman who kept silent and the man who sang." It was a very unusual and controversial excursion being very relevant and interesting to us all.

Ms K. Hofmeyr

BUSINESS ECONOMICS FIELD TOUR - GRADE 10

Teachers in Charge: S. Quinn, C. Lucke

The Tour was organised for the last day of the week, and the enthusiasm of the pupils was complemented by the warm and sunny day which that Friday provided. The venue, Gold Reef City, provided us with options such as visiting the Mint, going on a historical tour around Gold Reef City, a short underground journey and obviously a variety of rides provided by Gold Reef City. The latter two options seemed most appealing, so we wasted no time in getting through the underground tour. Our omniscient guide shared a wealth of information with us, which I'm sure stimulated many of the pupils' curiosity and minds. The trip ended with a couple of 'fun' rides and a lot of moaning because eventually we had to leave. Nevertheless, it was a trip that everyone enjoyed and one that we'll have to do again sometime!

Steven Quinn

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HIGHVELD FESTIVAL

Staff Responsible: Mrs Tucker, Mrs Corbett
Learners: Joanne Whitehouse, Candice Hainsworth,
Nicholle Summers, Colleen Jeary,
Nicola Mantorani, Alex Butterworth,
Tessa Blane, Nicholle Nieman,
Sylvia Augen

Nine Grade 11 girls were invited to attend the annual Highveld Schools Festival at J.C.E. on the 7th and 8th of September. It was a cultural festival where we attended plays, theatrical performances, dances and course work, all aimed at developing art in the younger generation. On the first day we started off with an introduction to the course followed by coursework and the production "Not with my gun" which introduced us to the African culture and beliefs.

The second day started with a lecture on comedy, followed by various workshops and four performances at Wits theatre. All in all it was an enjoyable two days and we all felt culturally enriched.

Candice Hainsworth

GRADE TEN BIOLOGY EXCURSION TO HAPPY ACRES

On Thursday, the 26th March, the Grade Ten Biology students went on an excursion to Happy Acres.

After an hour of driving (and quite a lot of bundu-bashing), we arrived. The fresh air and sunshine were a wonderful change from dull routine of our classrooms.

We were divided into groups and were shown all the different ecological systems that we had learnt about in class. The pond ecosystem addressed issues like pollution and man's influence on plant and animal life. We went on a walk along the river and learnt about all the food webs and chains, down to the last link.

Lunch followed, and after lazing in the sun, we were quite reluctant to get back to work. We then explored a menagerie of animals, ranging from insects to snakes and turtles. After the animals, we went to the hot house which had almost every imaginable plant in it. Most of us were entranced by the Venus flytraps and other carnivorous plants.

After a wonderful time, we all got back onto the bus and travelled back to school, wishing that all learning could be done outside the classroom!

Dionne Place

FRENCH EXCURSION

"LE PETIT PRINCE"

On Wednesday the 26 September the Grade 10 and 11 French classes experienced a unique event: a French outing!

Throughout one's school career there comes a time for an outing for each subject except French... usually!

Yet we have managed to enhance our understanding of French literature by embarking on an excursion to see "Le Petit Prince" performed at the State Theatre in Pretoria.

"Le Petit Prince" is a famous French fairytale that is in the Grade 11 syllabus. It is a wonderful story in which many lessons are learnt and friendships made.

Being great ambassadors of Bryanston High School, the two classes, in school uniforms, arrived in Pretoria anxious to watch the show. Unfortunately the puppeteers were unable to speak French so we enjoyed the sad tale in English.

It was a man-sized stage on which the puppeteers, dressed in black, carried their life-like puppets. It was impressive to see that all the props and puppets were made precisely according to the illustrations in the book (drawn by the author: Antoine de Saint-Exupery).

The show had been shortened at the end, causing fewer tears than the book. Luckily this means that the Grade 10's still have something to look forward to in their study of "Le Petit Prince" next year.

It was a marvellous production and a lovely outing.

We look forward to many more French outings in the future!

Moira Flowerday



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BOYS HOCKEY TOUR

This year the guys' first Hockey side was fortunate to be given the opportunity to enjoy a tour along with the Northcliff first squad, to Umhlanga on the North Coast. The main aim of this tour was to build team spirit and build the team into a strong unit, as most of the guys were new to the first side.

Although officially we were there to play hockey, much of our time was spent relaxing on the beach and in the surf. We found time to improve and enjoy our hockey through our rigorous morning training sessions at the Queensmead Astro, which combined skills exercises with short practice games against Northcliff.

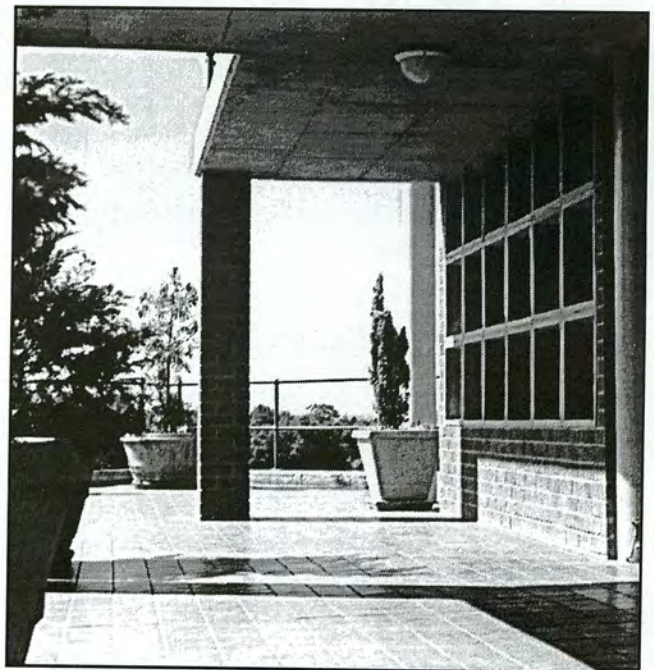
In the afternoons we were scheduled to play a number of matches, the first being against a tough Glenwood first side containing many provincial representatives. We acquitted ourselves well and narrowly lost 4 - 2 after some great hockey. Our second match was against another all boys school, Pinetown Boys' High. We played extremely well and earned a valuable 2 - 0 win, although we were unlucky not to increase the margin of victory. The last of our fixtures, a tournament at Westville Boys, was unfortunately washed out, leaving us with the day to relax.

At the end of this tour our goals had been met. We played great hockey whilst still enjoying ourselves and gaining a sense of unity which stood us in good stead for the rest of the season. We would like to thank our coach Grant Walker, and especially Mrs Russell to whom we owe a debt of gratitude for organizing the tour and putting up with us whilst being pregnant. We wish you well with your baby.

Alex Kuehnast



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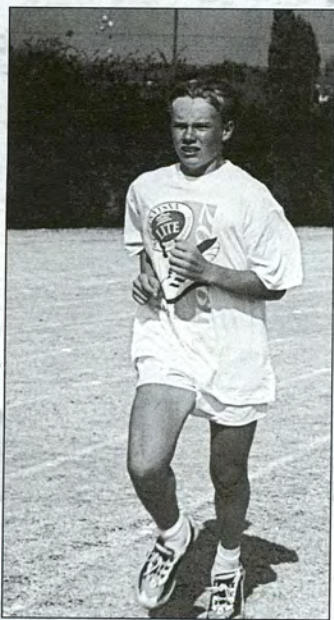
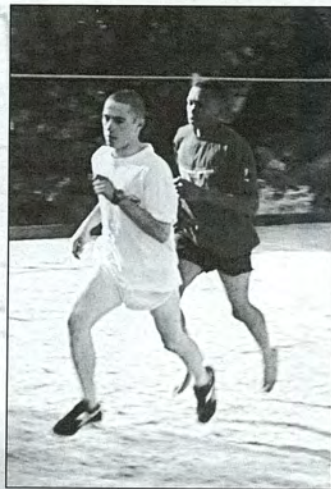
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A TEAM SWIMMING

Staff Responsible: Mr S. Cuthbertson, Mrs T. Letcher,
Mrs G. Fulcher, Mr W. Essex-Clark

Captains: Grant Ansell and Katherine Cronje

Vice Captains: Justin Lawrence and Pam Schreiber

The 1998 swimming season began with Apollo retaining their victor's title in the Inter-House Gala.

Results: Apollo - 527 points
Mercury - 509 points
Neptune - 483 points
Jupiter - 455 points

In the friendly galas held on Thursdays, Bryanston competed against thirteen schools, losing only to Northcliff. This defeat at the hands of our old rivals, rather than having a negative impact, only served to inspire our swimmers to greater heights, and led to a season which will best be remembered for the dedication and enthusiasm shown by all involved.

Even though as the season progressed, it became clear that beating Northcliff at the A Inter-High Gala would be an almost impossible task, the swimmers were unwavering in their commitment to making Bryanston a winning team.

At the Inter-High Gala, Northcliff took an early lead, pulling ahead steadily to win by 87 points, but Bryanston's swimmers produced many fine performances.

Results:
Northcliff - 837 points
Bryanston - 724 points
Fourways - 545 points
Randpark - 467 points
Greenside - 437 points

The following swimmers must be congratulated for winning their events:

J. Lawrence, S. Fonda, C. Robinson, S. Davidson, K. Cronje, C. Barichiev, G. Ansell K. Lalin N. Schule, A. Fonda, L. Lalin.

Mrs T. Letcher

AWARDS:

Bac Trophy Most promising U14 girl
J. Mordt

Bac Trophy Most promising U14 boy
N. De Bruyn

Stafford Trophy Junior girl's individual medley
C. Robinson

Stafford Trophy Junior boy's individual medley
L. Lalin

McCall-Peat Trophy Senior girl's individual medley
K. Cronje

Kratz Trophy Senior boy's individual medley
J. Lawrence (Record)

Junior Victrix Natationis
Junior Victor Natationis
Victrix Natationis
Victor Natationis

C. Robinson
L. Lalin
K. Cronje
J. Lawrence
(2 Records)
Mercury
Neptune

Winner Girls' House
Winner Boys' House
Collins Inter-house
Swimming Trophy

Apollo

Half Colours: R. Bolus, J. Leech, C. Jearey,
J. Stringer, D. Haus, P. Schreiber,
F. Hope, I. Van Achterberg,
T. Napier, L. Davis-Hannibal.

Team Colours: G. Du Toit, C. Plummer, P. Vlok;
M. Schreiber; T. Gould; M. Wainwright;
S. Warfield, T. Botha, L. Hartogh.

Full Colours: G. Corbett, R. Haskell, A. Walker,
K. Lalin, M. Stead, L. Lalin,
G. Ansell, J. Lawrence, P. Stevens,
M. Van Reenen, C. Robinson,
A. Fonda, N. Schule, S. Davidson,
K. Cronje.

Provincial Representatives: K. Cronje (Jnr Nationals),
A. Fonda (TVL Schools), F. Hope (Jnr Nationals),
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GIRLS A TEAM SWIMMING

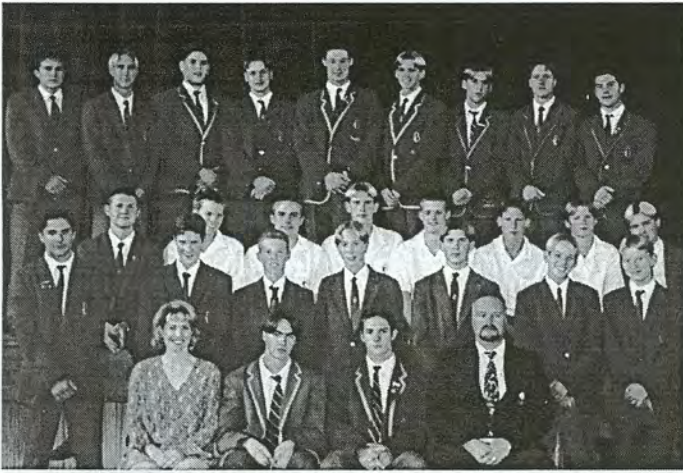
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T. Napier*

*Middle Row: P. Stevens, L. Hartogh, F. Hope, C. Robinson,
B. Rayne, C. Crevald, I. Van Achterbergh, T. Botha*

*Second Row: J. Pereira, A. Sterley, L. Tindale, J. Mordt,
P. Robinson, J. Van Achterbergh*

*Front Row: Mrs T. Letcher, D. Haus, S. Warfield,
Mr W. Essex-Clarke*

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BOYS A TEAM SWIMMING

Back Row (left to right): G. de Souza, M. Heuer, G. Du Toit, P. Vick, A. Walker, L. Lalin, R. Haskell, M. Schreiber, J. Leech
Middle Row: C. Plummer, C. Barichievy, M. Stead, K. Lalin, R. Bolus, G. Corbett, W. Walker, P. Lalin
Second Row: N. de Bruyn, G. Palce, S. Fonda, D. Crawford, T. Plummer, M. Bac, B. Twaddle
Front Row: Mrs T. Letcher, J. Lawrence (Vice captain), G. Ansell (Captain), Mr W. Essex-Clarke

GIRLS B TEAM SWIMMING

Back Row (left to right): N. Miljak, S. Robotom, J. Whitehouse, N. Heuer, S. Bekink, V. Martin, G. Marais, E. Morgan-Jones, A. Bell, S. Harding, N. van Aswegen
2nd row from top: N. Stotter, L. Harrison, D. Forsyth, J. Kruise, K. Glass, N. Smit, J. Smith, L. Falconer, J. Neary, N. Schule, M. Fletcher
2nd row from front: R. Coleman, C. Campbell, C. de Melo, N. Lawrence, P. Ramseroop, K. Bottome, K. Hamilton,
Front Row: Mrs D. du Plessis, D. David (c), Mrs H. Tucker

B TEAM SWIMMING

Staff Responsible: Mrs D. Du Plessis (in charge), Ms. E. Basson, Ms L. Krause, Ms M. Alkema, Mrs H. Tucker

Captains: Zane Eblen, Danielle David

Vice Captain: Kristy Glass

The B Team had a great season. While the team had a lot of fun, it was also hard work, especially for the captains. We did very well against the A Teams of schools in our league. The Bryanston High School B team showed a lot of spirit and enthusiasm at all times. Thanks to those very supportive team members who tried 'fly, even if they were just "helping out" with freestyle! It is appreciated.

We were challenged in that we lost our best swimmers to the A Team - however we still achieved a third place at Inter High against the A Teams. The commitment and camaraderie of the swimmers this year proved what teamwork is all about.

Mrs D. du Plessis



Justin Lawrence and Grant Ansell



BOYS B TEAM SWIMMING

Back Row (left to right): G. Murgatroyd, T. Haskell, C. Hawkins, A. Radnitz, R. Jones, R. Smith, D. Gernandt
2nd row from top: D. Holt, J. Neame, L. Blane, J. McPhee, J. Strudwick
2nd row from front: M. Laughton, L. Bekink, S. Raymond, G. Utton, N. de la Harpe, G. Holtshausen, I. Robbins, C. Charlton
Front Row: Mrs D. du Plessis, Z. Eblen (c) Mrs H. Tucker



INTER HIGH A GALA

BOYS TENNIS

Staff Responsible: Mrs H. Pearce, Ms K. Hofmeyr
Third term: Mrs G. du Preez, Mrs L. Gladwin,
 Mrs H. Pearce
Captain: James Raymond
A Team: Brett Raymond, Ryan McFadyen,
 Gary Willis, Igor Djurdjevic, Alex Kuehnast

The boys tennis teams have had a very successful season. The number of boys registering for tennis has increased and this made it very difficult to get all the players into teams. We are hoping to include a further Junior Team in the League next season.

Congratulations go to the First Team on a very successful set of results, where we were superior to opponents in most matches. Special mention must be made of James Raymond, Brett Raymond and Ryan McFadyen who were selected as Provincial representatives.

The third term saw us entered in the Winter League. Our tennis was of a high standard and many of our teams were promoted into a higher League than they played in during the first term.

Our First Team was promoted into the Premier League, where we played against the top schools in Gauteng. This has provided great exposure for the players and created valuable opportunities to gain experience playing against provincial players every week.

We thank all mothers who helped us lift teams to various venues. A special thank you goes to Mrs Laughton and her tuckshop moms who provided wonderful refreshments.

Mrs H. Pearce

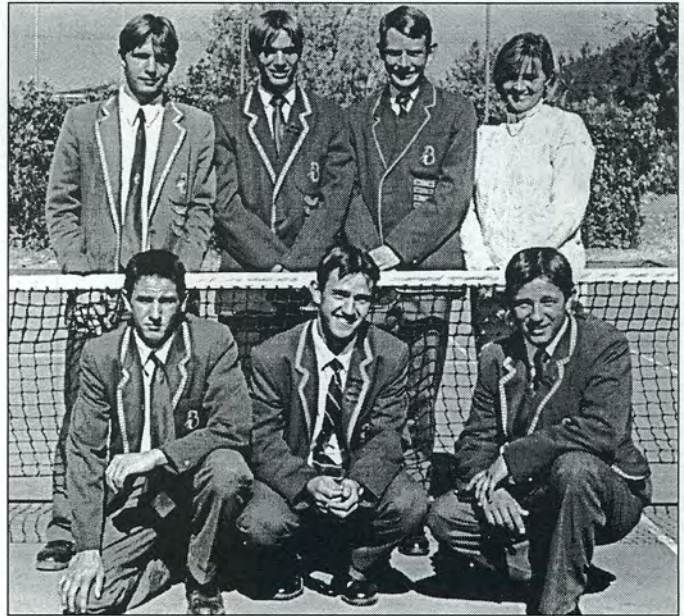
AWARDS

Team of the Year: First Team

Half Colours: Gary Willis, Igor Djurdjevic,
 Alex Kuehnast

Full Colours: James Raymond,
 Brett Raymond, Ryan McFadyen

Provincial Representatives: James Raymond,
 Brett Raymond,
 Ryan McFadyen



BOYS TENNIS A-TEAM

Back row (left to right): Igor Djurdjevic, Alex Kuehnast,
 Gary Willis, Mrs Pearce

Front row: Ryan McFadyen, James Raymond (Capt.),
 Brett Raymond

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

FIRST TERM	PLAYED	WON	LOST
First Team	6	5	1
Second Team	5	5	0
Third Team	6	3	3
Fourth Team	5	1	4
THIRD TERM			
First Team	3	1	2
Second Team	4	2	2
Third Team	5	3	2
Fourth Team	5	1	4



GIRLS TENNIS

Staff Responsible: Mrs H. Lever, Mrs D. Gerry,
Ms L. Krause
Captain: Kerri-Ann Jones
Vice Captain: Chantelle Calder
First Team: Rene Golding, Bianca Fiore,
Megan Ford, Nicola Woodhouse,
Samantha McCann, Kate Dold,
Denise Cudmore, Samantha
Stanley, Melissa Zoghby,
Caroline Taylor, Michelle van Renen

The 1998 season was most successful. While the teams were not able to win all their matches, the fact that Bryanston fields six teams and has a long list of enthusiastic reserves is indicative of the depth of participation at the school.

The First and Second teams competed in the A section of the Southern Gauteng Tennis League. These two teams won five out of their eight matches and must be commended for the great determination and spirit they displayed throughout the season. The afternoons of tennis were most enjoyable: good tennis on the court and great entertainment after matches (thank you Sam S and Bianca!)

Playing in the C league were the C and D teams. A good standard of tennis was played by these girls throughout the season. We can look forward to seeing some of these promising junior players in the First Team in future seasons.

The E and F teams were made up largely of juniors. A special mention must be made of the reserves who so willingly and enthusiastically filled in for regular players who were injured or sick. Your commitment bodes well for the future of Girls Tennis.

Mrs H. Lever

AWARDS

Team Colours: Nicola Woodhouse, Megan Ford,
Bianca Fiore.

Half Colours: Rene Golding, Kerri-Ann Jones,
Chantelle Calder

SUMMARY OF RESULTS		
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
20/01	Crawford A	Lost 41 - 22
20/01	Crawford B	Won 55 - 8
27/01	Kingsmead A	Won 45 - 36
27/01	Kingsmead B	Won 43 - 38
10/02	St Mary's C	Won 62 - 19
10/02	St Mary's D	Won 45 - 36
24/02	Brescia A	Lost 45 - 36
24/02	Brescia B	Lost 48 - 33
25/02	King David Linksfield A	Won 53 - 28
25/02	King David Linksfield B	Lost 56 - 25
03/03	Hyde Park A	Won 47 - 34
03/03	Hyde Park B	Won 56 - 25
10/03	Glenvista A	Lost 15 - 10
10/03	Glenvista B	Won 16 - 11
17/03	Greenside A	Lost 42 - 39
17/03	Greenside B	Lost 45 - 36



GIRLS TENNIS 1ST TEAM

Back row (left to right): Mrs. H. Lever,
Nicola Woodhouse, Chantelle Calder, Kerri-Ann Jones
Front row: Bianca Fiore, Rene Golding, Megan Ford



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BOYS SQUASH

- Teacher in charge** - Mrs B. Weir
Assistant Staff - Miss L. Krause
Coach - Philip Tomlinson (student)
Captain - James Raymond
Vice Captain - Marc White
First Team - J. Raymond, M. White,
 N. Quinn, G. Shaw-Taylor
Captain B. Team - Garry Willis
B. Team - G. Willis, G. Tomlinson,
 N. Wilson, G. Murgatroyd

Although squash teams are small it is one of the most labour intensive sports as each team requires transport and staff to be able to accommodate the fixtures. In spite of this, we are proud to have fielded seven teams across all the school age groups. This compares only with the top private schools in Gauteng. Our results in the Open and under 14 age groupings were outstanding and we compliment the players for their turnout, sportsmanship, gamesmanship and enthusiasm.

Inter House Boys Squash was well supported and the results were as follows:

- 1st - Jupiter 2nd - Apollo
 3rd - Mercury 4th - Neptune

Squash Championships were well patronised and a total of 32 players entered the tournament. The semi-finals were contested by James Raymond, Robert Spaan, Greg Shaw-Taylor and Marc White. Final results were as follows:

- Boys Squash Champion 1998: Mark White
 Boys Squash Runner-up 1998: James Raymond

This year we are proud to have launched an elite squad of 20 players coached by Mike Bester. This we hope will ensure that we have the depth needed to compete with our best competitors in the leagues.

Mrs B. Weir

TEAM OF THE YEAR- Under 14 A team

**RAYMOND TROPHY
 BOYS SQUASH
 CHAMPION -** Mark White

HALF COLOURS: Nick Quinn,
 Greg Shaw-Taylor

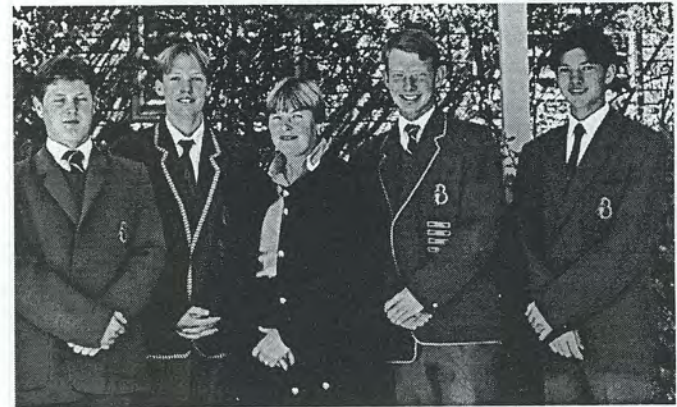
FULL COLOURS: James Raymond,
 Marc White

**PROVINCIAL
 REPRESENTATION:** Marc White,
 James White



FIRST TEAM:

Left to right: Mark White, Greg Shaw-Taylor, Mrs B. Weir, N. Quinn, J. Raymond



B TEAM:

Left to right: G. Murgatroyd, G. Tomlinson, Mrs B. Weir, G. Willis, N. Wilson



JNR BOYS SQUASH A TEAM

Left to right: James White, Dylan de Melo, Ms L. Krause, Ross Dold, Dudley Fourie



JNR BOYS SQUASH B TEAM

Left to right: Adam Barta, Sholto Hughes, Ms L. Krause, Chase Pargeter, Jarrid Wynne

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GIRLS SQUASH

Staff Responsible: Mrs W. Armstrong
Captain: Kristy Glass
Vice Captain: Wendy Stevens
A Team: Pamela Schreiber and Zonika Barnard
Captain: Pippa Gregory
Vice Captain: Melanie Hider
B Team: Kim Baker and Caroline Davies.

The squash girls had a very successful season playing some top schools in the B-League. We had some convincing wins over St Stithians, Kingsmead, Greenside, Waverley, Northcliff and Capricorn.

We were unfortunate to lose our matches against St Mary's which meant that we did not make the final round. Once again our Squash girls showed that they were a team to be reckoned with and we are looking forward to some stiff competition next year.

Mrs W. Armstrong

AWARDS

Team Colours: Zonika Barnard, Pam Schreiber, Kristy Glass and Wendy Stevens
Half Colours: Pam Schreiber, Zonika Barnard
Full Colours: Kristy Glass, Wendy Stevens.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS		
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
23-01	Open B - St Theresa's	6 - 0
	Open D - King David	1 - 5
30-01	Open B - Bye	-
	Open D - German School	5 - 1
06-02	Open B - Kingsmead	6 - 0
	Open D - Hill High	4 - 2
13-02	Open B - Bye	-
	Open D - Edenvale	1 - 5
20-02	Open B - Greenside	6 - 0
	Open D - Bye	-
27-02	Open B - Waverley	6 - 0
	Open D - Bye	-
06-03	Open B - Northcliff	6 - 0
	Open D - Randpark	6 - 0
13-03	Open B - St Mary's	0 - 6
	Open D - St Mary's	1 - 5
20-03	Open B - Bye	0 - 6
	Open D - Roedean	0 - 6

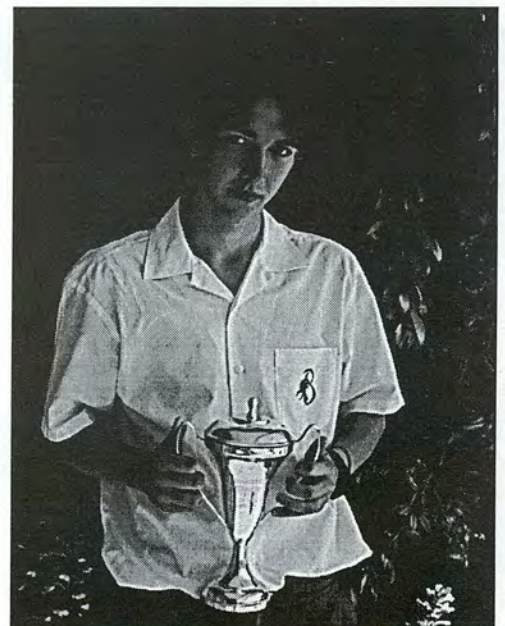


FIRST TEAM - GIRLS'

Top (left to right): Pam Schreiber, Mrs Armstrong, Zonika Barnard
Front Row: Wendy Stevens, Kristy Glass



*Winner of Boys Squash Championships
 Mark White Grade 10*



GIRLS BADMINTON

Staff Responsible: Mrs B. van der Colf (in charge),
Mrs M. Schumann, Mrs R. Fourie
Captain: Edita Ristic
Vice Captain: Kerri-Ann Jones
A Team: A. Mayne, C. Forté, M. Fletcher,
K. Shaw
Captain: Sarah Whitehouse
Vice Captain: Danielle Forté,
B Team: N. Zu, J. Hammond, I. Botef,
A. Sparks.

The A side girls Badminton team was very successful this year as they were unbeaten in the League. The girls enjoyed their matches tremendously and the team spirit amongst the girls was great.

The B team gained a lot of experience this year as some of them had to stand in for A Team matches on occasions. The B side will need that experience next year as they fill the places of our matriculants who would have left. Well done on a terrific season!

Mrs B. van der Colf

AWARDS

Team Colours: Anita Mayne, Claudine Fort, Megan Fletcher, Kellen Shaw.

Half Colours: Edita Ristic, Kerri-Ann Jones



GIRLS BADMINTON A-TEAM

Back row: (left to right): Kerri-Ann Jones (Vice-captain), Killen Shaw, Claudine Forté, Anita Mayne, Edita Ristic (Captain)

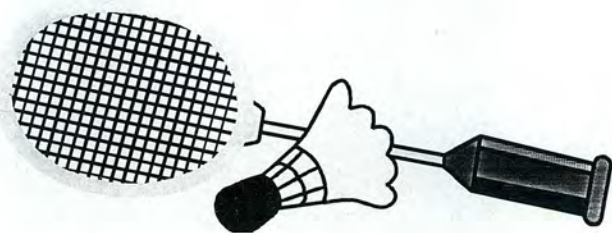
Front row: Mrs M. Schumann, Mrs B. van der Colf, Mrs R. Fourie

Absent: Megan Fletcher

SUMMARY OF RESULTS			
	DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
A TEAM	22/04	Edenglen High	6 - 3
	29/04	Bracken High	7 - 2
	13/05	Forest High	9 - 0
	20/05	Bastion High	8 - 1
	27/05	Mondeor High	7 - 2
	03/06	President High	8 - 1
B TEAM	22/04	Germiston High	7 - 2
	06/05	Westridge High	4 - 5
	13/05	President (B) High	9 - 0
	20/05	Mondeor High	6 - 3
	27/05	President (A) High	8 - 1
	03/06	Rand Park High	9 - 0



Girls A Team Badminton - 1998 Unbeaten this year.
Captain: Edita Ristic (left),
Vice-captain: Keri-Ann Jones (right)



BOYS BADMINTON

Staff Responsible: Mrs B. van der Colf (in charge),
Mrs M. Schumann,
Mrs R. Fourie

Captain: Andrew Sanders

Vice Captain: Ryan Foster

A Team: K. Haechler, G. Halkias, F. Kwei,
and D. Linton

Captain: Alain Tallier

Vice Captain: Paul You

B. Team: L. Bekink, A. Higgo, B. Guy,
S. Nieman, G. Walters

The A Team boys showed great determination this season as well as good sportsmanship as in a couple of their matches where they were narrowly beaten. They never gave up however, and persevered to the end in all their games.

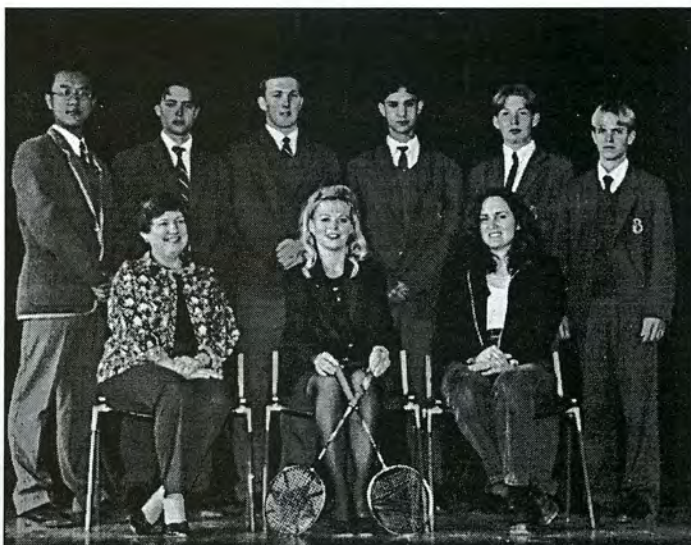
With the growing interest in Badminton we could easily field a B side which did extremely well, considering the fact that a couple of juniors joined the team. The B team lost only one of their matches and showed a lot of enthusiasm during the season. Thank you to all the boys for an enjoyable and memorable season!

Mrs B. Van Der Colf

AWARDS

Team Colours: Andrew Sanders, Ryan Foster,
Karl Haechler, David Linton,
George Halkias, Francis Kwei

SUMMARY OF RESULTS			
	DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
A TEAM	20/04	Fakkel High	3 - 6
	11/05	President High	2 - 7
	18/05	Edenglen High	6 - 3
	25/05	Bastion High	2 - 7
	15/06	Germiston High	5 - 4
B TEAM	20/04	Fakkel High	5 - 4
	04/05	Bedfordview High	4 - 5
	11/05	Bastion High	5 - 4
	18/05	Forest High	9 - 0
	25/05	President High	7 - 2
	01/06	West Ridge High	5 - 4
	15/06	Germiston High	9 - 0
	22/06	Mondeor High	8 - 1



BOYS BADMINTON A-TEAM

Back row: (left to right): Francis Kwei, George Halkias,
Andrew Sanders (captain), David Linton, Ryan Foster
(vice-captain), Karl Haechler

Front row: Mrs M. Schumann, Mrs B. van der Colf,
Mrs R. Fourie



Some of the boys and girls at the Badminton Dinner 98.



NETBALL

OPEN

Staff Responsible: Mrs C. Schreuder
Captain: Kirsten Edwards
Vice Captain: Sam Barichiev
A Team: L. Swemmer, K. Cronje, M. Wainwright, L. Mathibela, N. Dubasi, D. David
Captain: Michelle Barclay
Vice Captain: Olivia Vermaak
B Team: L. Richardson, N. Heaver, T. Napier, S. Anderson, D. Fanti, K. Langerman
Scorers: B. Waddell, B. Anderson

1998 was an excellent year for the Open A and B Netball teams. We started the season with a coaching weekend at Hartebeespoortdam, followed by a tour to Margate during the holidays. Our Open B team won all their matches (14/14) and scored 443 points with 70 points against them. They became the District C5 champions when they beat Randburg in the finals. The Open A's won all their league matches and lost in the semi-finals against Randburg Hoërskool. They also produced two South Gauteng players - Nombi Dubasi and Kirsten Edwards, who will represent their province during the holidays. The season ended on a high note with a fathers game and five old-girls games being played. Once again these two teams made the school proud of them!

Mrs C. Schreuder



First Team

Left to right: K. Edwards (Captain), L. Swemmer, K. Cronje, D. David, S. Bariechievy (Vice-capt.), M. Wainwright, N. Dubasi, L. Mathibela



Second Team - League Winners

Left to right: M. Barclay (Capt.), O. Vermaak (Vice-capt.), L. Richardson, D. Fanti, K. Langerman, S. Anderson, N. Heaver, T. Napier

UNDER SEVENTEEN

Staff Responsible: Mrs J. Skeen
Captain: Renee Golding
Vice Captain: Cathy Truter
A Team: L. Keddle, K. Miles, B. Keddle, S. Warfield, A. Manson
Captain: Micheleen David
Vice Captain: Stephanie Bekink
B Team: V. Martin, C. Snyman, K. Smuts, N. Southgate, E. Davis, L. Boyd

The U17 netball season commenced with many resounding groans and muttered pleas like "water break!" or "no more running - please!" The coach, who was most certainly not in perfect physical condition, and her granny squad (of course I refer only to their seniority) took a couple of weeks or three, to build up their stamina - which was most definitely needed!

Ours was a season of mixed fortune (mostly good), and despite the necessity of the occasional walking stick, the U17s never lost their enthusiasm for the game. They have been a fabulous team to coach, full of fun and laughter. They are super netball players and I wish them all the best for next season.

Mrs J. Skeen

UNDER SEVENTEEN C AND D

Staff Responsible: Mrs D. Meikle
Captain: Nicole Shūle
Vice Captain: Bianca Fiore
C and D Team L. Boyd, J. Paris, T. Neary, N. Frost, N. Nieman, A. Ngwena, C. Lavery, C. Higgins, K. Kekana, C. Craig, J. Newberry, J. Rodrigues

The U17 C and D Teams entered this season with tremendous enthusiasm and an abundance of talent. The season itself was plagued by illness and injury in higher teams resulting in a number of C Team players earning promotion into the B team during the course of the term. This meant that the C Team was comprised of different players almost on a weekly basis, which made their matches all the more challenging. In true Bryanston spirit the girls proved themselves equal to the task and played every match like professionals, winning every one of their games in a convincing fashion. Well done on an outstanding season!

Mrs D. Meikle

UNDER SIXTEEN

Staff Responsible: Mrs T. Letcher
Captain: Carrie Robinson
Vice Captain: Lufuno Maphagela
A Team: T. Botha, J. Horstmann, K. Eales, C. De Melo, K. Pillay, G. Marais
Captain: Jackie Walker
Vice Captain: Janine Roberts
B Team: H. King, K. van der Lith, R. Morrison, J. van Kerkhoven, W. Mbhele, T. Norris

The U16 girls have had a remarkable season. The A Team won all their matches except one, and ended up as runners-up in the league. In the regional play-offs they got through to the semi-finals. Incredibly, six out of the eight girls were selected for the Transnet Development Team, which is a wonderful achievement. The B Team were true champions. They won all their matches and came out top of the League. They got through to the finals in the play-offs and lost narrowly to Linden in a nail-biting match. Each of the girls has displayed excellent talent throughout the season and has held Bryanston's name high. It has been an absolute pleasure coaching sixteen enthusiastic young girls and I believe that all the girls have a great future ahead of them. With their dedication to netball, I have no doubt they will be very successful!

Mrs T. Letcher

UNDER FIFTEEN

Staff Responsible: Mrs G. Fulcher
Captain: Bronwyn Rayne
Vice Captains: Leanne van Eeden and Kelly Hamilton
A TEAM: P. Zulu, N. Baleni, C. Coward, S. Kozlowski, C. Forte
Captain: Vicky Hayes
Vice Captain: Dorcus Ndlovu
B TEAM: T. Allison, N. Janse van Rensburg, P. Matshatyan, R. Mendelow, C. Bernadine, Y. Christopher

The 1998 Netball season for the U15 A Team was extremely successful. The A and B teams were filled with enthusiasm throughout the season and were very motivated. The practices were challenging and the girls always encouraged each other and a lot of spirit emerged within the teams and the coaches.

The B Team improved greatly throughout the season and had some successful matches. The A Team won all their league games and every friendly game that they played. They displayed excellent talent and their aim in every game was to get over 30 goals! They won their section of the league and played in the quarter finals which they won easily. Unfortunately they lost by 6 goals in the semi-finals; however, they gave of their very best. Well done to Leanne van Eeden who was selected for the U15 Gauteng team.

SUMMARY OF RESULTS

DATE	OPPOSITION	OPEN A	OPEN B	U17 A	U17 B	U17 C	U16 A	U16 B
26/03	Capricorn	Won 25-17	Lost 16-21	Lost 17-18			Won 34-14	
22/04	Northcliff	Lost 12-22	Won 22-13	Lost 8-13	Lost 4-17	Won 18-1	Lost 12-17	Won 14-6
23/04	K.D.V.P.	Won 31-14	Won 46-2	Lost 18-25	Lost 7-12		Won 17-5	Won 17-8
29/04	Wendywood	Won 29-23	Won 35-5	Won 16-10	Drew 12-12		Lost 11-15	Lost 0-16
07/05	Midrand	Won 32-6	Won 42-10	Won 29-3	Won 22-6		Won 19-8	Drew 18-18
09/05	Fourways	Won 22-19	Won 30-11	Lost 3-26	Lost 5-12	Won 9-8	Lost 7-14	Lost 6-8
14/05	Hyde Park	Won 30-10	Won 38-6	Lost 9-11	Won 20-7	Won 15-3	Won 23-13	Won 12-8
20/05	Trinity House						Won 22-9	
21/05	Ferndale	Won 37-9	Won 64-2				Won 24-2	Won 18-4
28/05	Waverley	Won 43-2		Won 19-3	Won 17-15		Won 16-10	Won 19-9
30/05	Roosevelt	Won 38-12	Won 54-3	Won 22-1			Won 19-9	Won 20-5
04/06	Randpark	Won 20-14	Won 54-2	Lost 9-21	Lost 5-15	Won 18-8	Lost 7-17	Won 21-8
10/06	St Stithians	Won 18-6					Won 19-13	
	Kingsmead		Won 34-2					Won 19-5
11/06	Randburg	Lost 23-15	Won 24-14				Lost 16-20	Lost 18-20
	Willowridge	Won 26-7						
11/06	Vryburg	Won 23-10						

Mrs G. Fulcher

Staff Responsible: Miss Basson

Captain: Sarah Spurrier

U14 C Team:

Captain: Letoia Macresia

U15 C Team:

It surely was a pleasure for me to coach the U14 C and U15C Netball teams. They were an inspiration, not only to each other, but also to me as their coach. We practised every Monday afternoon and played against other schools during the week. With their positive attitude and spirit, the girls soon developed confidence.

Miss E. Basson

UNDER FOURTEEN

Staff Responsible: Miss N. Frisch
Captain: Sara Harding
Vice Captain: Philippa Harvey
A TEAM: C. Fenshem, L. Tindale, T. Schlimmer, S. Phiniti, C. Schlimmer
Captain: Bronwen Sly
Vice Captain: Khang Khoza
B TEAM: S. Newberry, N. van Aswegan, H. Dryden, P. Masike, N. Conrad, O. Wentzel

The U14 netball girls had a fantastic season. At the beginning of the season we were all uncertain of each other, but by the end of the season we were enthusiastic, motivated and confident. Coming from primary schools we had a lot to learn, so in order to acquire new skills and learn the new tactics, hard work and dedication was put into our practices. Unfortunately we did not win all of our games, but certainly learned a lot about team spirit. This could not have been possible if we didn't have a great coach like Miss Frisch - she made Netball so much fun and really got us working. Many thanks also go to my team members. See you next year!

Sarah Harding

NETBALL AWARDS

Team of the year: Open B

Trophies:

Best Open B player: Sarah Anderson
Best Senior team: Open B
Best Junior player: Leeanne van Eeden
Best Senior player: Nombi Dubasi and Kirsten Edwards

Netball House of the year: Apollo

Best Junior team: U15A
Service to Netball: Bronwynne Waddell, Bronwynne Anderson

Spirit Trophy: Sam Barichiev
Most promising player: Michelle Wainwright
Most improved player: Danielle David
Best goal - average: Michelle Barclay
Dedication and Commitment: Lorien Swemmer

Half Colours: Lorien Swemmer, Kathryn Cronjé, Danielle David

Full Colours: Kirsten Edwards, Nombi Dubasi, Lerato Mathibela, Michelle Wainwright, Sam Barichiev

Provincial Representatives: Kirsten Edwards, Nombi Dubasi

DATE	OPPOSITION	U15 A	U15 B	U15 C	U14 A	U14 B	U14 C	U14 D
	Capricorn	Lost 20-21	Lost 12-17		Lost 11-19	Lost 11-20		
	Northcliff	Won 11-6	Lost 11-13	Lost 6-17	Lost 6-21	Lost 6-19	Lost 4-18	Lost 5-21
	K.D.L.V.	Won 23-2	Won 17-2		Won 17-1	Lost 7-9		
	Wendywood	Won 16-11	Drew 7-7	Lost 5-6	Lost 11-18	Lost 12-16	Lost 1-3	
	Midrand	Drew 13-13	Lost 9-10		Lost 7-12	Drew 9-9		
	Fourways	Drew 18-18	Lost 4-16	Won 15-14	Lost 9-10	Lost 1-20	Lost 3-12	
	Hyde Park	Won 29-8	Lost 7-9	Won 8-3	Lost 7-11	Lost 4-14	Won 10-4	
	Trinity House	Won 36-4			Won 23-5	Won 21-1		
	Ferndale	Won 30-2	Won 17-5		Won 23-5	Won 15-8		
	Waverley	Won 25-3	Drew 8-8	Lost 5-16	Won 15-8	Lost 10-14	Lost 4-6	
	Roosevelt	Won 30-2	Won 24-2		Won 22-11	Won 15-8		
	Randpark	Won 18-9	Lost 9-16	Lost 5-18	Lost 7-24	Lost 8-10	Won 6-2	
	Redhill	Won 33-2						
	Randburg	Lost 14-21						



GIRLS HOCKEY

First Team

Coach: Mrs H. Pearce
Captain: Pippa Gregory

The first girls Team started the season with a very young inexperienced team and a new coach! The team had a successful season dominating in most of their games, but the inability of our strikers to score goals resulted in a number of draws or close losses. The girls, all the same, grew in confidence and we were able to play a pattern of hockey which was both exciting and attractive to watch. With most of the team back next season I am extremely excited at the prospects and the opportunities of the team and their individual successes.

Thank you to the girls for their professional approach to the game and for all the hard work throughout the season.

Player Profile

Hazel Tsalabala - Grade 11 Team Award

This was Hazel's first year in the side and she has shown great promise for next season. Her progress was excellent and she was unlucky not to be selected for a provincial team this year.

Chantal Calder - Grade 11 Full Colours

Chantal had an excellent season at sweeper. She has the ability to read the game well and is a very consistent player. She was rewarded with her Under 16 B Provincial Colours this year.

Pippa Gregory - Grade 12(Captain) Full Colours Umpiring - Half Colours

Pippa started the season slowly and came into her own both as a leader and as an example to her team mates. She showed great determination and skill even when the chips were down. She was well rewarded with Provincial Colours and also ended up captaining her side in Bloemfontein.

Judy Kruuse - Grade 11 Team Award

Judy started the season in the second team and worked her way into the first team and became an integral part of the team. She always gave of her best and was one that we could always rely on. She was selected for the Under 16 B team where she acquitted herself very well.

Nicola Woodhouse - Grade 10 Half Colours

Nicola matured as a player as the season progressed. She is an extremely coachable player who is always keen to master all her skills so to improve. She was an important central defender who was able to handle some strong opposition with great determination. She was selected for the Under 16 C Team.



FIRST TEAM

Back Row (left to right): Kirsty Welsh, Nicola Ferrar (Vice Captain), Pippa Gregory (Captain), Mrs H. Pearce, Kristy Glass, Michelle van Renen, Nicola Woodhouse, Wendy Stevens

Middle: Vicky Cotter, Kate Dold, Judy Kruuse, Chantal Calder

Front: Hazel Tshabala

Nicola Ferrar - Grade 12 (Vice Captain) Team Award Umpiring - Full Colours

Nicola has great determination and played a major role in creating the positive team spirit to keep the team well motivated. She played in one of the most difficult positions on the field and showed improvement throughout the season. She was selected to go to the Under 18 National tournament as an umpire where she was graded with a National/Provincial 1. Well done Nix!

Michele van Renen - Grade 11 Half Colours

Michele is a very consistent player who is a very quiet, hard worker. She has the ability to do certain key roles that often go unnoticed in the bigger set up that are vital to the success of the team system. She is a very versatile player who is willing to play in any position. Michele received the joint award of the most improved junior player.

Vicky Cotter - Grade 11 Colours Umpiring - Team Award

Vicky started the season in a new position and adapted very well. She matured as a player and was one who was able to control the mid field with great ease. She has outstanding speed and ball control which stood her in good stead throughout the season. With improved vision I'm sure next year she will be a very difficult player to match. Vicky was selected for the Under 18 Provincial Winter games team. Received the joint award for the most improved junior player.

Kate Dold - Grade 11 Colours
Umpiring - Half Colours

A fast-running and determined player who formed part of the "engine room" in the team. She has great skill and showed great flair throughout the season. Unfortunately Kate was very ill at the time of Provincial Trials and was unlucky not to be selected for a higher team. She was selected into the Provincial Winter games team. At the tournament she was selected as a reserve for the All Stars Team from that tournament. Fantastic Katie!

Megan Ford - Grade 11 Team Award

Megan started the season playing excellent hockey and matured into a very skillful player. Unfortunately injuries took over and Megs was unable to play to her full potential. She was determined to play as much as she could and remained an integral part of our team.

Kirsty Welsh - Grade 10 Colours

Kirsty was the youngster in the team and one who has the ability to develop into a good player. She needs to develop physical and mental toughness which can be linked to her good stick work and speed so to make her a well rounded player. Kirsty was selected for the Under 16 A Team. Well done Kirsty!

Wendy Stevens - Grade 12 Colours
Umpiring - Full Colours

Wendy has matured as a hockey player and came into her own as the season progressed. She just lacked the scoring abilities at times which could have made a great difference to her personal motivation and that of the team. She was also unfortunately ill during the final stages of trials which resulted in her not making a higher team. She was selected for the Under 18 Provincial Winter games team where she had a very successful week and was selected for the tournament team. She also received the Player of the Year trophy at the hockey dinner.

Kristy Glass - Grade 12 Team Award

Kristy is a very committed and determined player who always gave of her best. She is an asset to have in a team because of her humour, determination and loyalty. Someone whose laughs we will miss next year!

A very special and big thank you must go to the families of these girls who were always on the side of the field with great enthusiasm and support. Thank you for sharing your daughters with me and allowing me to use their talents. It has been a wonderful experience to see the progress and the wonderful zest for life that they all have. Hopefully next year can be more exciting and successful for them to achieve their own personal goals and that Bryanston can have a few players representing our country at National Level in the not too distant future.

Mrs Pearce was very busy on the coaching front this season. She was involved at Under 21 and Under 18 level and was then selected as the coach of the National Under 18 B team which took part in the Africa Cup in Cape Town in August. They played against teams from the U.K. Argentina, Zimbabwe and Namibia. The Under

18 A team won the gold medal with the Under 18 B winning the silver medal and Zimbabwe the Bronze.

Thank you to Mrs Deacon for all her organization throughout the season and for being a keen supporter at all our fixtures.

Second Team

Members: **Melanie Hider (Captain),
Pamela Schreiber (Vice Captain),
Taryn Van Goeverden, Nicola Summers,
Cleona Ilett, Lebo Mahlase,
Thamar Houliston, Bronwen Zeelie,
Karin Dawson, Kerry-Anne Jones,
Candice Fraser**

Coach: **Mrs P. Deacon**

The season started with a tour to Durban to attend the coaching course. This gave the team a good grounding, a chance to develop combination and excellent skills. At the same time, excellent team spirit became the strength of the team. They then approached the season with the determination to be the best, the commitment to reach their goal and the hockey skills to achieve.

Practices were well attended and much effort was put into these to achieve good results in their matches. These they played with enthusiasm and drive and so brought success. Only one match was lost in the season against Roedeana and this was totally against the fun of play. They were thus second in their League to St. Marys - a great achievement!

Many of the team were keen supporters of the First team with Lebo and Pam never missing a First Team match. Melanie played for the Firsts a few times and proved to be an asset to them as she always gives of her best.

Melanie and Pam as Captain and Vice-Captain respectively, led by example both on and off the field. They were good sports, fun and keen competitors.

Congratulations go to Candice Fraser who achieved a Provincial II grading as an umpire at the Inter-Provincial tournament held in Bloemfontein and to Nicola Summers for being chosen to umpire at the Under 14 Regional tournament in Nelspruit. Bronwen Zeelie also did well by being chosen for the Under 25 team to play in the tournament in Nelspruit.

*Bronwen Zeelie
chosen to play for
the South Gauteng
U25 team*





Girls' 2nd Hockey Team who were the team of the year losing only 1 match in the season and coming 2nd overall.

Back Row (left to right): Bronwen Zeelie, Bronwyn Falconer, Thamar Houliston, Melanie Hider (Capt.), Pam Schreiber (Vice Capt.), Tarryn van Gouverden, Candice Fraser, Kerrin Dawson, Mrs. P. Deacon (coach)

Front Row: Cleona Ilett, Nicolle Summers, Lebo Mahlase

My thanks go to all the mothers who organised our refreshments and to those who so kindly helped with transport every week.

To the team - I say a great big thank you for being such a fun group to coach; for your willingness to try; for the perseverance shown and for giving me the privilege to coach you. You are indeed worthy winners of the "Team of the Year Award" - Well done.

Third and Fourth Teams

This years thirds and fourths learnt that it wasn't all just running and running, but the majority of the team learnt about stomach exercises and strong arms. Once it came to the actual games, it was run, run and run. We learnt to work as a team and played with enthusiasm and had a wonderful and enjoyable season. Thank you to our relaxed and optimistic coach.

A. van der Westhuizen (Fourth Captain)
O. Killian (Third Captain)

Under 16

Staff Responsible: Mrs H. Lever
Captain: Shirley Wakefield
Vice-Captain: Samantha Robotom
A Squad: Caroline Taylor, Katie Assad, Priya Ramsaroop, Elizabeth Ewing, Inger Plaskitt, Leanne Stevens, Leigh Davis-Hanibal, Roslyn Ford, Clare Allen, Fallon Hope, Kerry Martin

B Squad: Vicky MacRose, Dionne Place, Tamryn Burnett, Kathryn Helmand, Jenny Spindler, Samantha Knight, Stacy Kriel, Kate Bottome, Bailey Liackman, Ilsa van Achtenburg, Angela Fonda, Natalie Bula, Tarryn Galley, Theresia Tober, Nicola Brown, Wendy Dinsmore, Gillian Roslee, Sarah Robbs

For the A squad the season started with a tour down to Durban to participate in a coaching clinic held at the Queensmead Astro Turf. The girls benefitted from the expert coaching from National and Provincial players and returned to Bryanston as a cohesive team. The girls

played constructive hockey on the field and were unlucky not to net more goals during the season. Despite not winning many of their matches, the players are to be commended for their great determination to improve and the spirit in which they played the game. Well done girls!

The B team's progress during the season was marked by improvement in individual skills and team work. There was a great spirit of camaraderie amongst the players. The B team can justifiably be proud of their achievements during the season.

The Senior Hockey teams can look forward to an influx of dedicated players next year. Thank you for a really enjoyable season!.

Mrs H. Lever

Under 15

Captain: K. Millar

A Team: B. van de Spuy, H. Strudwick, K. Davis, T. Elliot, L. Halkias, R. Deeb, N. Lupini, J. van Achtenberg, M. Meirring, A. Phillipides, M. Lowe, J. Melville

Captain: K. Murphy

B Team: C. Stubbington, J. Marx, J. Harwood, K. Ludolph, K. Skjoldhammer, K. Edgecombe, L. Bolus, L. Watson, C. Lane, C. McCreadie, R. Greek, L. Harrison, R. Heron, G. Dobell, B. Meuleman, K. George

A bunch of enthusiastic and keen young hockey girls will explain the under Fifteen team this year. It was tough at the beginning with some mean opposition but all came together at the end, with the girls having fun and learning skills they did not know existed during the season.

Although not every match was won, I had fun coaching the girls and teaching them new things. All I can say girls, is thank you for a great season and good luck in your future hockey careers, and never give up. Keep aiming for the top.

TEAM RESULTS

OPPOSITION	PARKTOWN	RANDPARK	ROEDEAN	ST ANDREWS	ST MARYS	KINGSMEAD	FOURWAYS
DATE	21 APRIL	5 MAY	12 MAY	19 MAY	26 MAY	2 JUNE	4 JUNE
FIRST	0-0	3-3	2-2	0-1	0-3	1-2	0-2
SECOND	6-0	4-0	0-1	2-0	1-1	2-1	1-0
THIRD	2-2		1-1	2-1	0-3	0-2	2-0
FOURTH	4-0		1-0	2-4	0-4	0-3	1-0
UNDER 16A	0-1	3-1	2-1	0-2	0-1	0-0	0-2
UNDER 16B	0-0	1-0	2-0	1-1	0-2	2-0	0-0
UNDER 15A	0-0	0-1		0-5	0-5	0-1	0-2
UNDER 15B	0-2	0-1		0-2	0-3	2-1	1-0
UNDER 14A	1-4	5-0		2-1	0-4		0-1
UNDER 14B		2-0		1-4	0-5		0-1
	NORTHCLIFF	BRESCIA	BENONI				
FIRST	1-3		0-0				
SECOND	3-1		2-0				
THIRD	0-0	10-1	0-0				
FOURTH	1-2						
UNDER 16A	0-1		0-1				
UNDER 16B	2-1		0-0				
UNDER 15A	0-4						
UNDER 15B	1-0						
UNDER 14A	3-1		0-1				
UNDER 14B	1-0						
UNDER 14C	1-2						

BOYS' HOCKEY

FIRST TEAM

Staff Responsible: Mrs B. Russel, Grant Walker,
Christian Stanley

Captain: Craig Fuchs

Vice Captain: Alex Kuehnast

A Team: S. Victor, G. Walters, A. James,
S. Monaghan, R. Monaghan,
G. Shaw-Taylor, G. Tomlinson,
P. Joubert, M. Peepercorn,
D. Rodrigues, P. Laughton,
J. Strudwick

Captain: David Linton

Vice Captain: Jacques Pierre de Villiers

B Team: R. Moore, J. Jones, M. Fenner,
A. Stubbington, M. Falconer,
R. Voster, C. Meer,
I. Irvine-Smith, R. Dold, D. Auger

At the beginning of the Hockey season a new breed of Hockey boys took up the role as Bryanston's First Team. We had many individuals who showed their own kind of magic, yet we lacked the team game so often needed in order to be successful. After a successful tour to Durban, the boys found the edge to play like a team. In the end our score sheet may not show the true spirit of the team, but was an honour to play with them. Special mention to Shaun who took a hard knock, rose from the ashes and played like a true winner. Thank you guys for everything.

Craig Fuchs

AWARDS

Team of the year: Second Team

TROPHIES:

Player of the Year Alex Kuehnast

Most Dedicated Players 1st Paul Laughton,
Stuart Monaghan
2nd Adrian Stubbington

Most improved Senior Jonathon Jones,
David Rodrigues

Most improved Junior Ross Dold

TEAM COLOURS:

C. Fuchs, A. Kuehnast, S. Victor, G. Walters,
A. James, S. Monaghan, G. Tomlinson,
R. Monaghan, J. Strudwick, G. Shaw-Taylor,
P. Joubert, M. Pepperkorn, P. Laughton,
D. Rodrigues

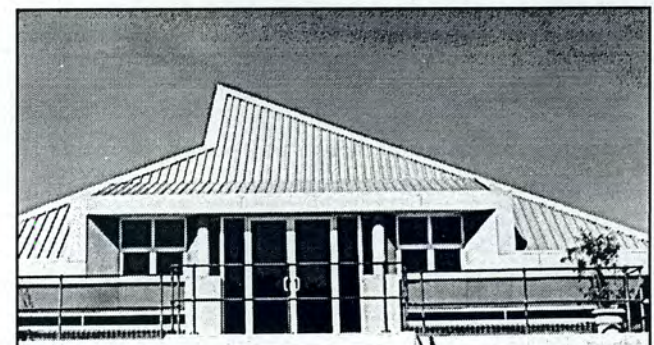
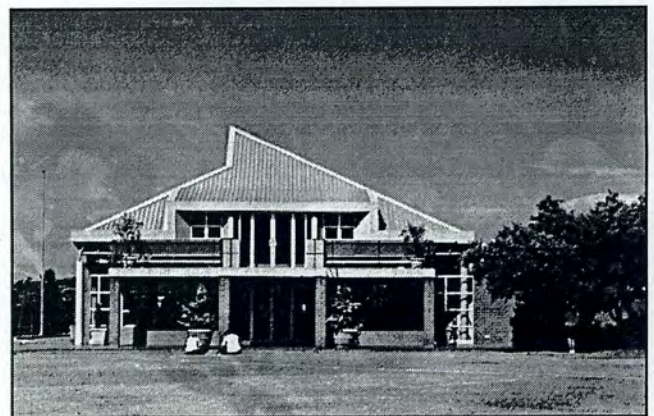
HALF COLOURS:

G. Shaw-Taylor, R. Monaghan

FULL COLOURS:

P. Laughton, A. Kuehnast, S. Monaghan

SUMMARY OF RESULTS		
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
14/03	Chairmans Cup - Sandringham	0 - 6
	Chairmans Cup - St Davids	2 - 2
	Chairmans Cup - Wendywood	2 - 0
18/03	Sandringham	0 - 6
21/03	Queens	1 - 2
25/03	Parktown	0 - 9
28/03	Capricorn	1 - 3
	Tour to Umhlanga - Glenwood	2 - 4
	Tour to Umhlanga - Pinetown	2 - 0
15/04	Roosevelt	1 - 1
22/04	Fourways	1 - 9
29/04	Wendywood	2 - 1
9 and 16/05	Aitken	5 th overall
20/05	Ferndale	0 - 0
27/05	Randpark	0 - 3
03/06	Sandown	1 - 1
10/06	St Davids	1 - 1
17/06	Benoni	0 - 5
18/06	Hyde Park	1 - 1



RUGBY

The 1998 rugby season, proved to be one of Bryanstons finest yet. Our aim was to provide attractive, crowd pleasing rugby. I think it is fair to say, after having won 16 out of 18 games, scored 544 points for (a new school record) with only 134 points against and having 75 tries for us, that our goal was achieved.

In our early season, we embarked on a physically demanding tour of Margate. Having played three games in five days, with coaching sessions from the Natal team inbetween. We won all three matches against some stiff opposition in some adverse weather conditions, to be one of only two teams to go unbeaten in the tournament. We also won the beach touch competition, and the drills competition. The only team to have won every single category. In recognition of this, Wayne Fyvie (Springbok Flank) presented us with a rugby ball signed by the Natal Team.

Back in Johannesburg our plan was put to use, in which our forwards would build the platform for our backs to launch their attacks from. This is evident in our victories over Greenside 68-0, Hyde Park 55-0, Grovenor Boys' High 54-10, Sandringham 47-0, to name a few. We also boast having five players make it to the second round of Gauteng Craven Week Trials, and two players to the final round. Oba Masanamela and Makulu Kalambaie were top try scorers with 16 and 10 respectively. Zaine Eblen won player of the year, Renton Haskell won most improved and Makulu Kalambaie won most promising player.

A great season is credit to great coaches. I say thanks to Mr Essex-Clark, Mr Skelton, Mr Smith and Mr Visser for their excellent advise and expert coaching.

Warren Small

FIRST XV

Staff Responsible: Mr W. Essex-Clark and Mr J. Skelton
Captain: Warren Small
Vice Captain: Daniel Cabrall

The First Team produced a phenomenal set of results this season, once again re-affirming themselves as the top Co-ed rugby school in Sandton. The players' unremitting desire to win and their aggressive attacking play resulted in some outstanding performances. They have become the pride of our rugby-supporting community.

Throughout the country the number of boys who play rugby is becoming less than on previous years. Some schools no longer offer rugby because there are not enough boys to make up full teams. It pleases me to see that this great game is flourishing at Bryanston High, and the reasons for this are that we have well-trained coaches, a strong rugby tradition, committed boys, good medical back up, supportive parents and community members, and good recognition systems for our players. All of these factors have made Bryanston rugby great, and they will continue well into the 21st Century.

The coaches that have contributed immeasurably to the

success of this season are: Mr Skelton, Mr Smith, Mr Quinn, Mr Visser, Mr Basson, Mr Fourie, Mr Cuthbertson, Mr Crighton and Mr Jaques.

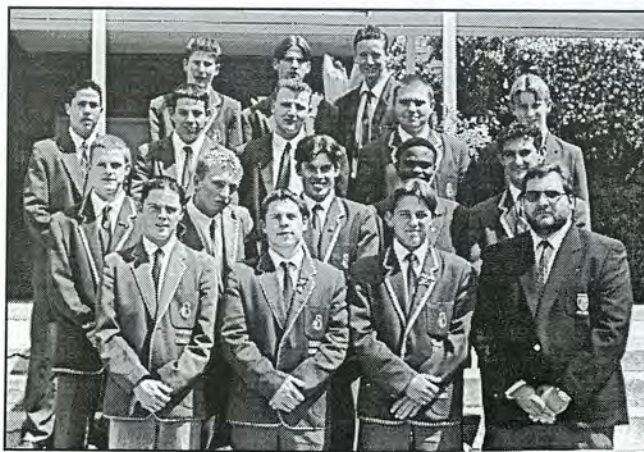
In a game that requires a very high level of courage and commitment, our players from all age groups and teams deserve praise for their excellent results this season.

W. Essex-Clark Master in Charge - Rugby



FIRST XV

Top Row, left to right: A. Keitzman, R. Millar, Z. Ebden, G. du Toit, N. van der Walt
Middle row: G. Ansell, R. Smith, M. Zinn, W. Smith (C), R. Haskell, M. Kalambaie
Front row: Mr J. Skelton, N. Murphy, J. Leach, B. Jones, R. Smith, Mr W. Essex-Clark
Absent: D. Cabral, C. O'Mahoney, S. Theunissen, O. Masonamela, R. van Alphen, J.P. Pires, T. Haskell



SECOND XV

Top Row, left to right: B. Meiring, N van der Walt (C), H. Rodda,
2nd row from back: S. O'Neill, R. Spaan, C. O'Mahoney, J. de Villiers, D. Holt
2nd row from front: T. Haskell, J. Leech, B. Raymond, Mr Smith
Absent: J.P. Pires

SECOND XV

Staff Responsible: Mr C. Smith
Captain: Nick van der Walt
Vice Captain: Sean O'Neill

Second Team: Jacques David de Villiers,
James Leech, J.P. Pires, H. Rodda,
N. Van der Walt, B. Meiring,
R. Spaan, C. O'Mahoney, A. Griffiths,
B. Jones, T. Haskell, S. O'Neill,
R. Bolus, R. Smith, B. Raymond,
G. Fischer

This season the Second Team proved to the coaches and to each other that they were capable of moulding together and not only becoming team mates, but becoming friends.

We started the season off on a good note with victories over Sandown, Sandringham and Capricorn. Then the First Team squad went on a tour to Margate, where seven of the Second Team players, who accompanied them, learnt a lot about team spirit and unity.

We started the next leg of the season with a bang, with wins over Greenside and Hyde Park.

The Second Team went through a bit of a rough patch then, when we suffered two successive losses against our rivals Fourways and Northcliff.

After that wake-up call, we started playing the rugby we enjoy the most and beat Midrand, Roosevelt, St Andrew's and St David's. The Second XV played twelve matches and won nine of them.

I would like to thank the team for the commitment and dedication they showed throughout the season. A special mention goes to James Leech, who made it as the reserve hooker for the Gauteng Under 16 team, and to Brett Raymond who came up to the Second Team during the season, as a flanker, - for being recognised as the Most Improved Player.

Nick van der Walt

UNDER SIXTEEN

Staff responsible: Mr G. Visser, Mr S. Quinn,
Mr C. Waddell
Captain: Gareth De Sousa
Vice Captain: Bradley Tomet
A Team: N. Kosiaris, J. Dollery,
R. Slabbert, J. Leaf-Wright,
M. Katumpa, M. Vosloo,
M. Simanyane, B. Wolfaardt,
A. Farrell, T. Kalambaie,
A. Joell, M. Schreiber,
J. Holtshausen, R. Morala

The under sixteen age group, was a group which displayed much talent and potential throughout the season. The A side was a team with a strong and mobile pack of forwards, which seemed to perform better and better as the season progressed. They never backed down from the challenge and possessed that "never say die" attitude in every game they played. The backline provided a solid line of defence, and their flair and effectiveness on attack impressed even the most sceptical of specta-

tors. Truly, it was a side blessed with good ball-handling skills and commitment - all the ingredients needed for a good side. Well done, guys, and good luck for next season!

Mr S. Quinn

UNDER FIFTEEN

Staff responsible: Mr A. Basson, Mr N. Tomic
Captain: Stephen Van der Walt
Vice Captain: Peter Lalin
A Team: N. Sumar, R. Joubert,
W. Du Toit, R. Smith,
F. Smyth, P. Wysoc,
B. Honiball, J. Mills,
G. Utton, T. Plummer,
R. Vivian, J.P. Fredericks,
C. van der Merwe,
S. Dawson, K. Lalin

Captain: D. Mulder / L. Blane
Vice Captain: C. Quixley
B Team: B. Randall, M. Hoetz,
D. Crawford, B. Walker,
M. August, L. Thomas,
M. Keyes-Transveldt,
K. Kuc, R. Van Lelyveld,
S. Raymond, T. Magoko,
D. Wu

This year, the under fifteen rugby sides played in their toughest season yet. The competition was much more formidable than expected. Both the A and B side won the majority of the games they played. The A side lost against St Stithians, St Andrew's and Fourways and drew against Northcliff. The B side lost against Fourways and Northcliff and drew against St Stithians. To all the boys and my fellow coach, thanks for a great season. I am looking forward to an even better one next year.

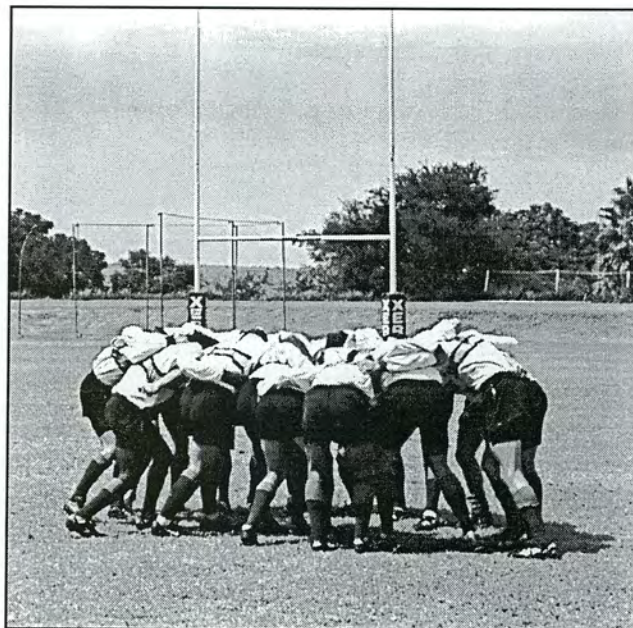
Mr A. Basson



UNDER FOURTEEN

Staff responsible: Mr E. Jaques, Mr A. Crighton,
Mr S. Cuthbertson
Captain: Quintin Walker
Vice Captain: Lee Randalls
A Team: G. Van Zyl, W. Molepo,
N. Ndebele, B. Jack, N. De Bryn,
Q. Walker, J. King, A. Zipprich,
S. Fonda, L. Randalls, M. Wu,
F. Masubelele, A. Brown,
R. Rodda, M. Rosslee, T. Mpe

The under fourteen Rugby Team had a successful season in terms of results and team-building. Not only did they perform well, but they were assisted by a very strong squad of players in the B and C teams. In total a squad of 52 players made the under fourteen season a successful one. Not blessed with experience, the U14A team stuck to their task, and with determination, produced a pack of forwards that will be a force to be reckoned with in the future. The back line took until the end of the season to mould into a cohesive unit, but showed good skills in the later games. A highlight of the season was a clean sweep of Northcliff, with the A, B and C teams showing their character under tough conditions.



Results: Played 12, Won 7, Lost 5
Player of the year: Lee Randalls
Coach's Award: Neil Osry

Mr E. Jaques

SUMMARY OF RESULTS: FIRST XV

SANDOWN	WON	29-7
SANDRINGHAM	WON	47-0
CAPRICORN	WON	35-6
WILLOWRIDGE	WON	42-0
H/S HOOGENOOT	WON	6-5
H/S HEILBRON	WON	20-10
GREENSIDE	WON	68-0
PINETOWN BOYS	WON	22-10
GROSVENOR BOYS	WON	54-8
HYDE PARK	WON	55-0
FOURWAYS	WON	26-7
NORTHCLIFF	LOST	14-15
MIDRAND	WON	24-3
ROOSEVELT	WON	22-17
ST. STITHIANS	LOST	6-22
ST. ANDREWS	WON	34-13
ST. DAVIDS	WON	40-11

MTN GOLF ACADEMY

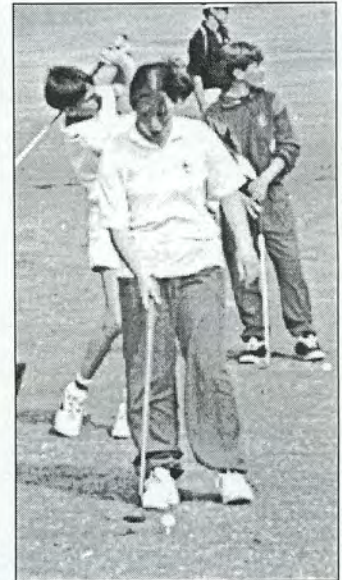
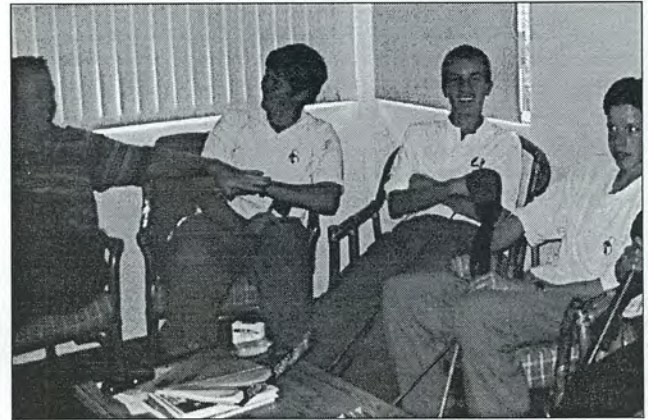
Teacher-in-charge: Mrs Pearce

The MTN Golf Academy have kindly approached our school to get involved in the Golf development amongst the youth. The aim of this project is to expose youngsters to this wonderful game and to nurture the talents that are exposed.

The pupils have been coached by professionals under Gavin Hopkins at the Houghton Golf Course. Each individual had a swing analysis done where they were able to see themselves in action and then correct their swings. This proved to be very beneficial and made a huge difference to their consistency. All aspects of golf were dealt with. Unfortunately the players were unable to get onto the Course, but I'm sure that in future this will be brought into the 10 week programme.

This programme operates on a termly basis and I am hoping that many more pupils will be exposed to this next term and in the new year.

Mrs Pearce



ATHLETICS

The season began with the usual combination found in any team: those who were prepared to fight through burning physical pain and exhaustion in order to succeed, and those who had to be dragged onto the field and forced with threats of death to perform. Although this combination caused Ms Wilkinson to feel torn between elation and despair, it resulted in a season that, to say the least, was never boring.

To build team morale, Mr Smith organised a week-end away on a small game farm. We participated in archery, mud fights, game-drives and of course the inevitable athletics, which served to build camaraderie.

The climax of the season was Interhigh, where despite being the team expected to return to the B-league, the team proved to everyone that a tenacious spirit and the burning desire to succeed can conquer all odds. At the end of the day, Bryanston emerged second, beating Randpark and our long-time rivals, Fourways. This is the first time that an Athletics team has achieved so much. Many of our athletes went through to Prestige and returned victorious with gold, silver and bronze medals!

Our successful season would not have been possible without the help of our coaches who encouraged us to strive towards goals we thought unattainable. A special word of thanks goes to Ms Wilkinson, Mr Smith, Mr Breytenbach and Mrs Armstrong. Thanks also goes to the cheerleading squad who brightened Interhigh with their painted faces and colourful suits. Lastly we'd like to thank our vice-captains, Vicky and David, for their constant support and smiling faces.

Finally, we'd like to offer a challenge to the 1999 Athletics Team: Beat Northcliff and bring home the trophy! Good Luck!

Danielle David and Rory Smith



BOYS ATHLETICS TEAM 1998

Fifth Row, left to right: H. Jacobson, J. Leafwright, O. Masenamela, D. Hardres-Williams, A. Joell, R. Millar, Mr S. Quinn, M. Katumpa, R. Smith, B. Sly, R. Robertson

Fourth row: M. Schreiber, T. Martens, Z. Eblen, Q. Walker, S. Masemola, B. Joell, C. van der Merwe, L. Lalin, P. Lalin, A. Kuehnast, T. Kalambaie

Third row: T. Thelele, J. McPhee, N. de Bruyn, R. Rodda, S. Leepile, P. Laughton, L. Randles, Y. Chirwa, R. Bolus, D. Mulder

Second row: A. Page, B. Raymond, E. Ndlovu, M. Keyes-Transfeldt, R. Haskell, M. Kalambaie, R. Joubert, G. Utton, H. Kunene, T. Haskell, G. Fisher

Front row: Mr A. Crighton, Mr C. Smith (i/c 400m), R. Smith (Captain), Ms L. Wilkinson (i/c athletics), D. dos Santos (Vice-captain)

Absent: Mr J. Breytenbach



GIRLS ATHLETICS TEAM 1998

Fifth Row, left to right: J. Kruise, B. Liackman, M. David, K. Heering, S. Kozlowski, A. Sparks, B. Falconer, M. van Renen, K. Dold

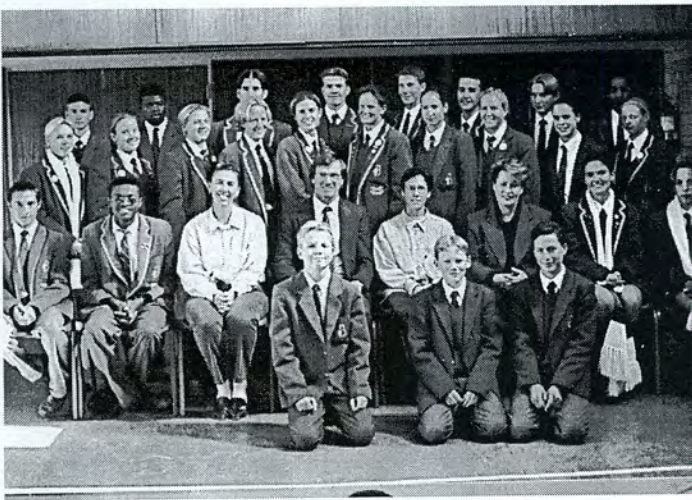
Fourth row: S. Heering, I. Pfuhl, C. Day, I. Botef, K. Dawson, C. de Melo, K. Pillay, R. Ford

Third row: Mr C. Smith (i/c 400m), N. Topping, K. Ludolph, L. Howarth, B. Sly, K. Welch, I. Plaskitt, E. Khunga, L. Falconer, J. Melville, M. Ford, Mrs N. Schreuder

Second row: Mrs H. Tucker, D. Ndlovu, K. Mashego, J. Corbett, P. Schreiber, K. Glass, M. Khunga, J. Mordt, Mrs L. Corbett

Front row: Mrs H. Lever, Ms T. Orchison, D. David (captain), Ms L. Wilkinson (i/c Athletics), V. Cotter (vice captain), Mrs W. Armstrong (i/c relays), Ms E. Basson

INTERHOUSE ATHLETICS



The Cross Country Team

The Interhouse Athletics Event was held in the second term just before the holidays began, to encourage pupils to come to holiday training. Despite colds, flu and other assorted injuries, eight records were broken and three were equalled. Well done to every athlete who participated.

The final positions of the houses were as follows:

4th	Neptune	120
3rd	Jupiter	125
2nd	Apollo	199
1st	Mercury	228

The house that won the spirit trophy for the number of pupils participating in the middle distance events was Apollo

Trophies awarded:

Tony Frost Trophy for Boy's Best

Middle Distance Performance: Renton Haskell

Janet Frost Trophy for the Girl's Best Middle Distance

Performance:

Judy Kruise

Best Boy's Sprint Performance: Makolu Kalambaie

Best Girl's Sprint Performance: Vicky Cotter

Junior Victrix Ludorum:

Kirsty Welch

Junior Victor Ludorum:

Conan van der Merwe

Ellis Cup for Senior

Victrix Ludorum:

Vicky Cotter and
Judy Kruise

Visser Trophy for Senior

Victor Ludorum:

Gavin Fisher

The staff relay was hotly contested and many of the houses didn't appreciate the Neptune staffs' creative approach to winning the relay, so the Jupiter staff won the relay (we think).

Ms L. Wilkinson



Interhouse Cross Country

Katherine Mills, Candice Mitchell, Connie (Silvia) Auger, Nicole Summers

SUMMARY OF RESULTS		
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
20/04	Northern District Teams/Schools	
	Senior Boys	2nd/13 schools
	Senior Girls	1st/13 schools
	Junior Boys	9th/10 schools
	Junior Girls	5th/10 schools
04/05	Northern District Schools	
	Senior Boys	3rd/10 schools
	Senior Girls	1st/10 schools
11/05	Northern District Schools	
	Senior Boys	2nd/23 schools
	Senior Girls	1st/15 schools
	Junior Boys	10th/11 schools
18/05	Northern District Schools	
	Senior Boys	2nd/16 schools
	Senior Girls	1st/8 schools
	Junior Boys	9th/12 schools
25/05	Inter-Schools Team Event	
	Senior Boys	4th/11 schools
	Senior Girls	1st/9 schools



CROSS COUNTRY

Staff Responsible: Mr J. Breytenbach, Mrs L. Corbett, Mrs W. Armstrong, Ms L. Wilkinson

Captain (Boys): Simon Masemola

Vice Captain: David Dos Santos

Boys' Team: R. Haskell, Y. Chirwa, B. Sly, T. Martins, S. Leepile, D. Hardres-Williams, B. Meiring, D. Holt, M. Stead, T. Thelele

Captain (Girls): Kerrin Dawson

Vice Captain: Bronwyn Falconer

Girls' Team: J. Kruuse, I. Plaskitt, J. Corbett, M. Ford, I. Pfuhl, C. Kruuse, V. Cotter, M. Van Reenen, K. Dold, S. Wakefield, R. O'Meara

The Cross Country season began with a "BANG", continued throughout the season with a "BANG" and ended with a "BANG". Already at the first friendly meeting held at Phutheng High School, the stage was set for an extremely exciting and successful season.

It did not take long for the cross country athletes to show that they were a team to be reckoned with. At the first meeting held at St Stithians, over 160 pupils from Bryanston arrived to run. This demonstrated the commitment and dedication of the athletes. Not only was Bryanston's presence felt in numbers, but several of our runners began to achieve the top places.

The Northern Districts Schools' League provided tough competition and many opponents are considered to be top athletic schools. Some of the schools we competed against were St Stithians, Pretoria Boys High, Northcliff, Rand Park, Randburg Hoër and Fourways.

As the season progressed, so did the performance of the cross country team. This was mainly due to hard training at 5 p.m. under the guidance of Mrs Corbett and Ms Wilkinson. Also, the time trials on a Thursday afternoon became very competitive, with David Dos Santos holding the course record.

In conclusion, the Cross Country athletes need to be congratulated for their superb performance throughout the season. I, for one, was very proud to be part of Bryanston's team and their commitment and determination is admirable.

Mrs W. Armstrong



Interhouse Cross Country - Kerrin Dawson

AWARDS

Inter-Schools Trophy

(won by the Senior girls team consisting of: K. Dawson, V. Cotter, B. Falconer, J. Kruuse) Girls received gold medals.

David Dos Santos - Bronze medal at Inter-Schools team event.

Kerrin Dawson received gold for Inter-Schools and Inter-Districts meeting.

Vicky Cotter received silver medal at Inter-Schools meeting.

Merit Awards: Jenna Mordt, Lindsay Falconer, Bronwen Sly

Team Colours: D. Holt, B. Sly, B. Meiring, D. Hardes-Williams, Y. Chirwa, T. Martins, J. Corbett, C. Kruuse, K. Dold, I. Plaskitt, I. Pfuhl

Half Colours: S. Leepile, M. Ford, M. Van Renen

Full Colours: D. Dos Santos, K. Dawson, S. Masemola, B. Falconer, R. Haskell, V. Cotter, J. Kruuse



Cross Country - Inter-district runners

Top Row (left to right); B. Sly, S. Leepile, S. Masomela, B. Falconer, D. Dos Santos

Bottom Row: M. Ford, K. Dawson, V. Cotter, J. Kruuse

Interhouse Cross Country Timekeepers:

Top Row:
Lebohlang Molokoane
Maria Malokoane,
Innocentia Mosoeu,
Lebohlang Mahlase,
Bridget Kubeka

Side:
Maienne Mphirma

Bottom:
Nombulelo Dubasi



CRICKET

Staff Responsible: A. Crichton (in charge.)
Mr J. Skelton

Captain: Ryan Smith

Vice Captain: Douglas Hardres-Williams

A Team: C. Meer, S. O'Neil, G. Osry,
D. Lindeque, B. Jones, N. Murphy,
A. Griffiths, A. Kuenhast, G. Dicks,

The 1997/98 Cricket season has been an excellent one for Bryanston High School. To begin with, we fielded twelve teams this season which shows cricket is one of the most popular sports at Bryanston High in terms of participation.

The new talent which arrived at the school in the U14 age group is encouraging. The U14A Team only lost 2 matches the entire season, while the U14B team remained unbeaten and shared the Team of the Year Award.

The U15 age group improved dramatically this season. They matured into an excellent young team, with a lot of talent.

The U16A Team shared Team of the Year. They have some excellent talent and had a wonderful season, only losing one match this year.

The First Team had a difficult season, playing some excellent cricketing schools like Pretoria Boys, KES, CBC Boksburg and St. David's. The team did well though, by winning two matches and being on the verge of victory against Fourways and Greenside, only to be washed out by rain. Some highlights of the season were Brendon Jones, scoring a 100 against Development, and Chris Meer and Douglas Hardres-Williams were consistent opening bowlers during the season. This team is one of the most committed and determined Bryanston has had. They were good ambassadors for their school on and off the field.

The season ended with the Annual Cricket Dinner in the school pavilion with the guest speaker Jimmy Cook. Jimmy gave the boys an important message that evening. He said: "No matter what the result is on the field, if you have enjoyed yourself playing cricket, you have succeeded."

Mr A. Crichton

AWARDS:

Player of the year: Open Chris Meer
U16 Murray Schreiber
U15 Graeme Utton
U14 Quentin Walker

Coaches' Awards: Open Douglas
Hardres-Williams
U16 Jonathan Leaf-Wright
U15 Hilton Jacobson
U14 Spencer Howarth

Team of the year: U14B and U16A

Best Second Team Player: Rory Smith

Special Mention:

Ryan McFayden for excellent improvement during the season.

Brendon Jones for scoring a century against Development. He received a cricket bat.

Full Colours:

Chris Meer, Douglas Hardres-Williams, Brendon Jones, Ryan Smith

Provincial Representatives:

Chris Meer and Douglas Hardres-Williams represented the North West Area invitation team which toured Australia in December 1997.



First Team Cricket

*Back Row left to right: A. Griffiths, N. Murphy, G Dicks
Middle row: C. Meer, A. Kuehnast, G. Osry, S. O'Neil
Front row: Mr A. Crichton, B. Jones, R. Smith,
D. Hardre-Williams, Mr J. Skelton
Absent: D. Lindeque*



U16A Cricket Team (Team of the Year)

*Back Row left to right: B. Thomet, R. Moralee, B. Boschhoff
Middle row: J Leaf-Wright, R. Schuler, W. Xundu,
N. Freeman. D. Dismore
Front row: Mr A. Crichton, T. Galley, M. Schreiber, R. Ford,
D. Bolton*

CRICKET



North-west Invitation Side

Left to right: Mr Crighton, Murray Schreiber, Grayson Dicks, Alex Kuehnast, Davis Bolton, Brendon Jones, Duran Dismore, Neil Freeman, Neil Murphy, Mr Skelton

SUMMARY OF RESULTS: FIRST TEAM		
DATE	OPPONENT	SCORE
20/01	Roosevelt	Lost
28/01	Sandringham	Lost
29/01	Northcliff	Lost
31/01	Development	Won
07/02	Wendywood	Won
11/02	Hyde Park	Lost
14/02	Fourways	Drew
24/02	CBC Boksburg	Lost
	Greenside	Won
	Pretoria Boys	Lost
	King Edwards	Lost

TUG OF WAR

At the Inter-house Athletics this year, we included a tug of war competition between the houses. We hope that this will become an annual event.

After much tugging and heaving, accompanied by shouts of encouragement from all sides, Mr Crighton, aided by Mrs Armstrong, declared the winners:

Girls	Boys
1st Apollo	1st Apollo
2nd Mercury	2nd Mercury
3rd Jupiter	3rd Jupiter
4th Neptune	4th Neptune

The winning house overall was therefore Apollo. It looks like Neptune and Jupiter are going to have to do a few push-ups before next year's event to be in the running.

Ms L. Wilkinson

CHESS

Staff Responsible: Mrs M. Tomlinson
 Captain: Brett Mahon
 Team Members: B. Mahon, T. Wang, C. Sampson, A. Wang, R. Harper, M. Chong, C. Hackworth, W. Huang, V. van Rooyen, D. Campey, M. Young, T. Seseko, S. v.d. Wiele, D. de Franca, M. Masinga, M. White, A. Li
 Half Colours : William Haung, Brett Mahon
 Team Colours: T. Wang, M, Chong, A. Li

Many new faces appeared on the scene this year. Our Chess Team consisted primarily of junior players, who fared well against stiff opposition. It was pleasing to have many "visitors" who came in for a social game on our practice days. Although the chess season is very short, the boards are available in the media centre to anyone who wishes to play at any time.

Results of the matches played (out of a total of 10) are:

Maryvale College	10
Parktown Boys B	5
Nest Phuting	4 ½
Midrand	5
St David Marist College	4
King David	6
Torah Academy	4

Congratulations to William Huang and Tom Wang who have been chosen to represent South Gauteng in the Nationals in December.

Mrs M. Tomlinson



Neil Murphy
 Winner of Grade 10 "He man" Competition

SHOOTING

Staff Responsible: Mr M Gillespie (in Charge),
Mr A Crighton

Captain: Vincent Janse van Rensburg

Vice Captain: Nicholas Quinn

Boys First Team: M. O`Connell, D. Gernandt,
M. Doorasamy, D. Quick.

Captain: Silvia Auger

Vice Captain: Karolina Jablonski

Girls First Team: C. Janse van Rensburg,
W. Dinsmore, H. Schneiganz,
K. Knight.

Boys Second Team: C. Kolbe, A. Cox, A Joubert,
V. Van Rooyen, M. Turner,
B. Hodgson.

The shooting season of 1998 was much enjoyed by both players and coaches. We started with team selection during the first term and after weeks of training, the teams were announced and preparation began for the Gauteng Schools league. Nineteen schools entered the league, resulting in a league comprising of fifty-eight teams in all.

Bryanston rose to the challenge and with determination and a considerable amount of effort, went on to produce an excellent set of results. The Boys` First Team came 3rd in North Rand and 4th overall.

The Final League results for senior boys are as follows:

First:	Parktown Boys High School	4455
Second:	Jan Viljoen Hoër Skool	4431
Third:	Adelaar Hoër Skool	4428
Fourth:	Bryanston High School	4392
Fifth:	Florida High School	4376
Sixth:	Jan De Klerk Hoër Skool	4342
Seventh:	Noordheuvl Hoër Skool	4282
Eighth:	Nic Diederichs HoërSkool	4248
Ninth:	Monument Hoër Skool	4168
Tenth:	Bastion Hoër Skool	4105
Eleventh:	K.E.S	4059
Twelfth:	Krugersdorp High School	3960
Thirteenth:	Riebeeck Rand Hoër Skool	3710
Fourteenth:	Roosevelt High School	3659
Fifteenth:	Randfontein Hoër Skool	3469
Sixteenth:	Roodepoort Hoër Skool	3463
Seventeenth:	Burger Hoër Skool	3294
Eighteenth:	Florida Park High School	3188

Our Girls` First team surpassed all expectations and came First in the north Rand and Third overall in the league. The Final League results for senior girls are as follows:

First:	Monument Hoër Skool	4360
Second:	Nic Diederichs Hoër Skool	4142
Third:	Bryanston High School	4117
Fourth:	Noordheuvl Hoër Skool	4006
Fifth:	Bastion Hoër Skool	3773
Sixth:	Linden Hoër Skool	3552
Seventh:	Jan De Klerk Hoër Skool	3470
Eighth:	Florida High School	3301
Ninth:	Roosevelt High School	3143
Tenth:	Riebeeck Rand Hoër Skool	2798
Eleventh:	Randfontein Hoër Skool	2788
Twelfth:	Adelaar Hoër Skool	2212

Bryanston's individual results were extraordinary, bearing in mind that 385 pupils took part in the league this year. Charnell Janse van Rensburg placed second in the individual competition. Silvia Auger came third and Nick Quinn came third in his competition. Five of our shottists received North Rand colours. They were: Silvia Auger, Charnell Janse van Rensburg, Heidi Schneiganz, Nicholas Quinn and Michael O`Connell.

The Gauteng Championships took place on the 1st of August on an extremely cold and windy day. The first detail started at seven o`clock sharp, with poor visibility for the second year in a row. But with true Bryanston courage we battled on, and Charnell received second place yet again.

Trials were held to select a team to represent Gauteng at the S A Championships. We were proud to have two of our shottists selected to the Gauteng team. They were namely Charnell Janse van Rensburg and Heidi Schneiganz.

They did their school proud and made new friends from all over South Africa.

AWARDS

Merit Award: Heidi Schneiganz and Charnell Janse van Rensburg.

Half Colours: Karolina Jablonski, David Gernandt.

Full Colours: Silvia Auger, Vincent Janse van Rensburg, Michael O`Connell, Nicholas Quinn

This has been a very exciting year for shooting and one that will not be forgotten. It is a credit for all our shottists, whose dedication and skill have managed to keep us ranked as one of the top schools in Gauteng.



*Back Row (left to right); V. Janse van Rensburg, M. Turner, V. Van Rooyen, M. O`Connell
Middle row: Mr M. Gillespie, B. Hodgson, D. Quick, N. Quinn, D. Gernandt, M. Doorasamy, Mr A. Crighton
Front row: S. Auger, K. Knight, K. Jablonski, C. Janse van Rensburg, H. Schneiganz, W. Dinsmore*

ART EXHIBITION CELEBRATING BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL'S 30 YEARS

Staff Responsible: Ms K. Hofmeyr, Mrs D. Kromm

School Participants: Kristian Jung, Dennis Quick, Tenielle Botha, Mark Haefele, Robyn Coleman, Danielle Baisero, Nicola Woodall, Cheryl Sampson, Tracy Fletcher, Lara Stirton, Janine Roberts, Bruce Sherwell, Richard Chapman, Reinard Schuler, Janine Montgomery, Jenny Barkhuizen, Natalie Small, Panos Vasiliou and Sam Robotom.

An installation by the Pottery Club and photographs by the Photographic Club were displayed.

Professional Participants:

Sculptors: Gordon Froud (an ex Bryanston teacher), Eddie Heyneke

Ceramic Artists: Karen Beehan, Lyn Jarmen.

Painters: (Including oils, watercolours, sketches and acrylics)
Alan Tiley, Ann Holder, Hazel Kneger, Valez Stevens, Yvonne Laviviere, Paul Botes and Giorgio Trobec

The learner work displayed is only a small portion of all the talented and creative people we have at Bryanston High School. A big thank you goes to the parents for having their children's work so beautifully framed. It really was difficult to tell the difference between the pupil and professional work! Ms. Roslyn Sugar (B.A. Fine Art WITS), curator of the Standard Bank Art Gallery in Johannesburg, declared the exhibition officially open at a cheese and wine function of about 60 invited guests on Thursday 27 August. Her main topic concerned art in "education in South Africa".

A lot of hard work went into this exhibition with a wonderful variety of different art media. We do hope to have another such successful event in the future although this was very special - to celebrate 30 years of Bryanston High School!

K. Hofmeyr



PHOTOGRAPHIC CLUB

Staff Responsible: Ms K. Hofmeyr (in charge), J. van Eyck

Members: Dennis Quick, Nick Hart, Tamara Wilson and the "Internet Team" (Jaques de Villiers, and Richard Moore)

Since the purchase of the new digital camera there has been little time for the dark room. We're all still in the process of learning how to work all the new computer technology with thanks to the Internet Team.

We are a small club this year and have all worked very hard (as you can see by all the great photo's in the magazine!)

Every Thursday, we also change the photographs in the glass cabinet outside the staffroom for all to enjoy.

Highlights have been Miss Pizazz and Miss Elegance and the Major Production. Well done Dennis and Nick.

Ms K. Hofmeyr



Ms K. Hofmeyr, Dennis Quick



The Photographic Club
Left to right: Tamara Wilson, Dennis Quick, Nick Hart

DRAMATICS COURSEWORK

Staff Responsible: Justine Bennett and Stefano Marani

Our Drama coursework programme got off to a good start in the First Term. We all had great fun every Tuesday evening playing "stuck in the mud", acting like elephants, practising and trying many different accents. (We never got further than sixteen in the number game!) The purpose of all the fun, however was to equip the drama students with the basic skills of drama. The benefits became evident in the Major Production, Inter-House Plays, RAPS and the Eisteddfod.

Justine Bennett

TALENT SHOW

Staff Responsible: Mrs Skeen, Mrs Tucker, Miss Saint, Miss Orchison, Mrs Gerry.

This year's Talent Show definitely brought all Bryanston's talent, particularly the M.D.C's portrayal of the teachers, together! The categories ranged from voice, drama, instrumental, dance and the humorous aspect of the 'oiled' matric boys performing "The Full Monty". The instrumental category proved to be a tough decision for all adjudicators, as talented musicians entranced the audience. The voice and dance categories also challenged our adjudicators, as well as our "Men in Black" gymnasts showing off their strong abdominals. The Talent Show ended with the humorous "tear-jerking" skit on the teachers. It was one of the most enjoyable evenings we have had.

Instrumental Winner: "Pestroy"
Voice Winner: Candy Mitchell
Dance Winner: Grant Mackie

Abi van der Westhuizen



COLTS DRAMA AND ART FESTIVAL

Staff Responsible: Mr M. Bowie, Mrs M. Schumann

Learner Representatives: Mandy Bittkau, Candice Mitchell, David Moat, Samantha Barichievy, Nicole Nieman, Grant Ansell, Katherin Miles, Hennie Potgieter, Inger Plaskitt, Phillip Ferguson, Tessa Blane.

On Saturday the 15 August, the Colts Drama and Arts Festival was held at our school with many schools participating, such as Minerva, Ferndale, Alexandra, Linden and Bryanston High. The theme was 'Teenage problems'. Our play entry, 'Lead us not into...' was written and directed by Olivia Vermaak. It was interesting to see the different cultures all portraying different viewpoints on the same theme. The beautiful singing of some of the contestants, as they stood in the wings, gave us goosebumps! The situations portrayed raised subjects such as rape, sexual abuse, aids, unwanted pregnancies, drug abuse, eating disorders and crime. Some of the presentations were definitely too real for comfort.

Candice Mitchell

ANNUAL CULTURAL DINNER

On the 6th October the Annual Cultural Dinner was held. This evening proved to be one filled with glamour, prestige, fine food and some of the best company ever. We were entertained throughout the evening by some very talented drama students as well as the Best Junior and Senior Speakers. Talent like this is rare and once again Bryanston pupils shone through!

A wonderful dinner was prepared by the dedicated mothers' committee and we extend a warm thank-you to them for always supplying the eats at our cultural functions throughout the year. We then moved onto the awards and thank-you's for the evening. In-between flashes, smiles, shiny trophies and laughs, the evening turned out to be a great success. The matrices of the '98 drama and rhetoric societies will be thoroughly missed next year and their high standard a challenge to better!

Tessa Blane

Dramatics Awards

Trophies:

- De Agrella Trophy - Best Contribution Music:**
Candice Mitchell
- Liackman Trophy - Best Junior Actress:**
Lucy Fletcher
- Liackman Trophy - Best Junior Actor:**
Christopher Barichiev
- BHS Trophy - Best Actress:**
Tracey Fletcher
- BHS Trophy - Best Actor:**
Daniel Cabral and Greg Russell
- Hearn Trophy - Service to Drama:**
Sam Barichiev
- De Ujfalussy Trophy - Front of House:**
Candice Hainsworth
- Kruuse Trophy - Best Technical Management:**
Phillip Ferguson & Hennie Potgieter
- Van Den Berg - Best Publicity:**
Daniel Baisero
- Rayne Trophy - Best Decor and Props:**
Dennis Quick
- Eaton Trophy - Best Playwright :**
David Moat and Olivia Vermaak
- Acutt Trophy - Best Dance and Choreographer :**
Abi van der Westhuizen

Special Mentions - Most Promising Student :
Luke Blane

Merit Awards: Luke Blane, Lindsay Bolus, Genevieve Barac

Team Colours: Luke Lalin, Bailey Liackman, JP Pires, Mia Wilmot, Ryan Smith, Rory Smith, Sarah Louw, Jenny Spindler, Kezia Eales, Candice De Melo, Ashleigh Harvey, Pamela Schreiber, Gillian Rosslee, Francis Kwei, Priya Ramsaroop, Kurt Laline, Katherine Miles, Sylvia Auger.

Half Colours: Bronwyn Anderson, Nicole Nieman, Candice Fraser, Hennie Potgieter, Abi van der Westhuizen, Gavin Fisher, Vicky Louw, Inga Plaskitt, Pippa Stalker, Colleen Higgins

Full Colours: Tracy Fletcher, Tessa Blane, Melanie Mulder, Simon Masemola, Phillip Ferguson, Warren Small, David Moat, Olivia Vermaak, Candice Mitchell, Samantha Barichiev, Tamara Norris, Gregory Russell, Lorien Swemmer, Lara Stirton, Oba Masenamela, Daniel Cabral, Stephen Leepile



DRAMA COMMITTEE

*Top Row, left to right: Lorien Swemmer, Tessa Blane, Greg Russell, Olivia vermaak, David Moat
Second row from top: Gavin Fisher, Candice Mitchell
Second row frm bottom: Bronwyn Anderson, Tracy Fletcher, Warren Small, Melanie Mulder, Inger Plaskitt
Front row: Dennis Quick, Samantha Bariechievy, Mr M. Bowie, Candice Fraser, Mandy Bittkau*

MATRIC DANCE COMMITTEE

Staff Responsible: Miss J. Saint(in charge),
Mrs J. Skeen, Miss T. Orchison,
Mrs D. Gerry, Mrs H. Tucker,
Mrs W. Armstrong

Chairperson: T. Blane

Vice Chairperson: A. van der Westhuizen

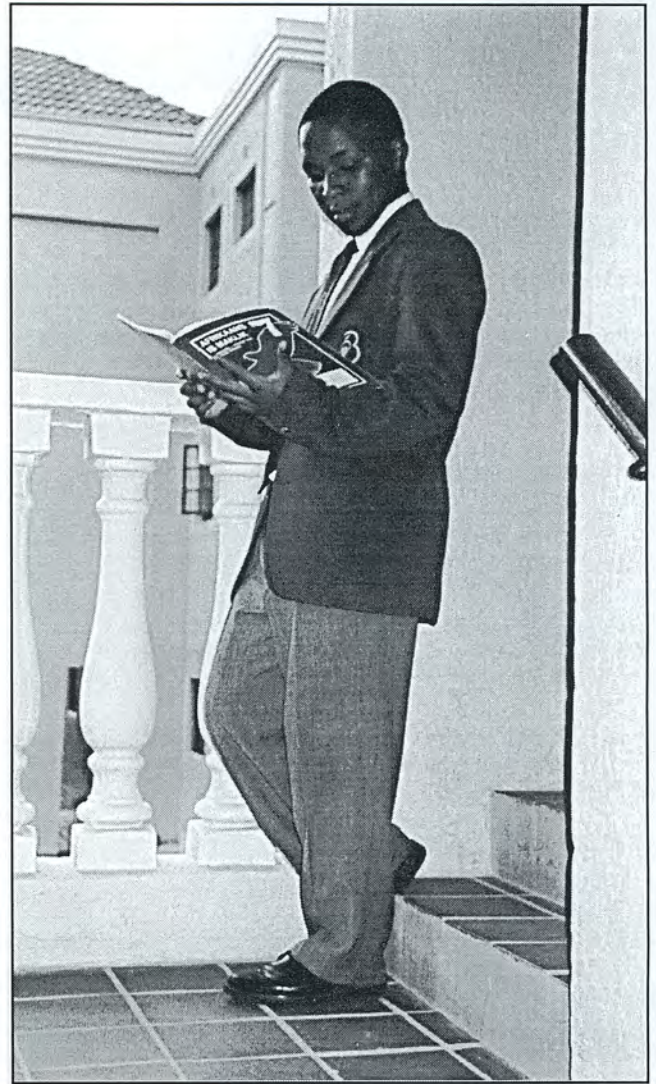
Committee: S. Auger, T. Bennet, S. Chenery,
V. Cotter, C. Craig, M. David,
K. Dold, B. Falconer, G. Fisher,
M. Ford, R. Golding,
C. Hainsworth, A. Kietzmann,
K. Miles, C. Mitchell, J. Paris,
R. Robinson, B. Raymond,
L. Richardson, J. Rodrigues,
S. Stanley, M. Stead, N. Summers,
L. Swemmer, M. Van Reenen,
M. Wainwright, J. Whitehouse.

We started this year bubbling with enthusiasm and exciting new ideas. Before long we set to work raising money for what is to be one of the best matric dances ever!

Our skills first became evident when we put on a very successful talent show, including our very own MDC members showing off their talents on the stage and in the tuckshop. Our Shakespearean evenings of Miss Elegance and Miss Pizzaz were also unforgettable. We will also remember freezing with cold on Saturday mornings at the rugby, buttering thousands of rolls and selling raffle tickets until they came out of our ears.

The MDC of 1998 has come out tops so "consider yourselves lucky" and with that, thank you to all who spent their time helping us along. From me, a special thank you to the committee for all their dedication, laughs, tears, and all in all for a spectacular year!

Tessa Blane



Jabulani Nyathi Gr 10E



MATRIC DANCE COMMITTEE:

*In the tree: Brett Raymond,
Andrew Kletzmann
Back Row: Lorien Swemmer,
Lara Richardson, Sylvia Auger,
Sam Stanley, Matthew Stead
4th Row: Mrs D. Gerry, Miss T. Orchison,
Kate Dold, Claire Craig,
Nicholle Summers, Jo Whitehouse,
Janine Paris, Gavin Fisher, Mrs J. Skeen
3rd Row: René Robinson,
Jaclyn Rodrigues, Bronwyn Falconer,
Micheleen David, Candice Hainsworth,
Michelle Van Reenen, Mrs W. Armstrong,
Mrs H. Tucker
2nd Row: Miss J. Saint (co-ordinator),
Sally Chenery, Katherine Miles,
Michelle Wainwright, Candice Mitchell,
René Golding
Front: Vicky Cotter, Megan Ford,
Tessa Blane (Chair),
Abi van der Westhuizen (Vice Chair)
Absent: Thomas Bennett*

RAPS

Staff responsible: Ms C. Walls

RAPS time is the most stressful part of a director's life ... yet also extremely exciting. This year again proved to be both.

RAPS is an Inter-School competition with the creme-de-la-creme of Gauteng schools participating and competing for the sought-after trophy. It allows scholars to develop their directing, acting and stage management skills, and it gives the participants the prospect of being "seen" by key members of the theatre world.

This year Bryanston High entered the Inter-House winner, "Lead Us Not Into....." from Apollo. It was written and directed by Olivia Vermaak. The play is a macabre black comedy, highlighting the temptations and moral conflicts teenagers face from day to day. Tracy Fletcher, Kirsten Edwards, Olivia Vermaak, Daniel Cabral, Stephen Leepile, Warren Small, Candice Mitchell, Greg Russell, Tammie Norris and Rory Bolus were the cast members.

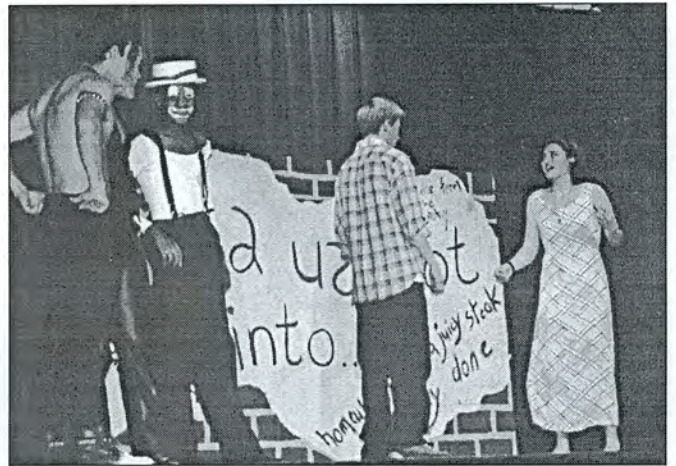
The big day arrived, make-up was done and costumes put on. We arrived at the Wits Theatre, palms sweaty, butterflies in our stomachs and legs like jelly.

We were up against tough opposition in Crawford College, St John's College and Mondeor. Nevertheless, we did manage to walk off with the Costume Design and Make-up Design Awards for the evening, to Olivia Vermaak, Candice Fraser, Melanie Mulder and Mia Wilmot. We were invited to attend the Prize-giving Evening, where we walked off with the Best Make-up Award, and five hundred rands worth of make-up for the drama department of the school.

Thanks must go to Ms Walls, who was like the Rock of Gibraltar and without which NONE of this would ever have been possible, Mr and Mrs Schumann who took the time and effort to shunt around props, and to Mr Bowie for his creative input!

What *Drama* has put together, no 'man' can tear apart!

Olivia Vermaak



Apollo Senior House Play - Winner of the Inter-House plays.

Left to right: Warren Small, Daniel Cabral, Stephen Leepile, Greg Russell, Candice Mitchell



Bryanston's entry for the RAPS festival

Left to right: Olivia Vermaak, Daniel Cabral, Warren Small and Kirsten Edwards



R.A.P.S.

Front row, left to right: Tracy Fletcher, Warren Small, Ms C. Walls, Melanie Mulder, Candice Fraser

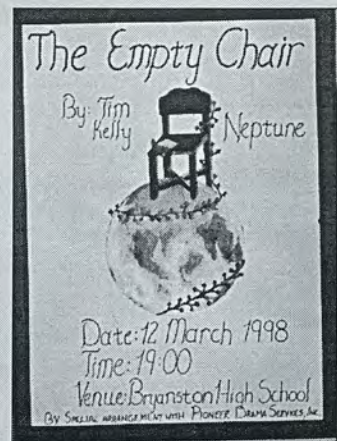
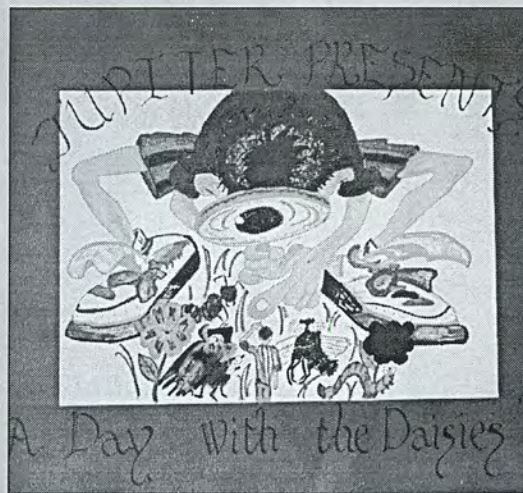
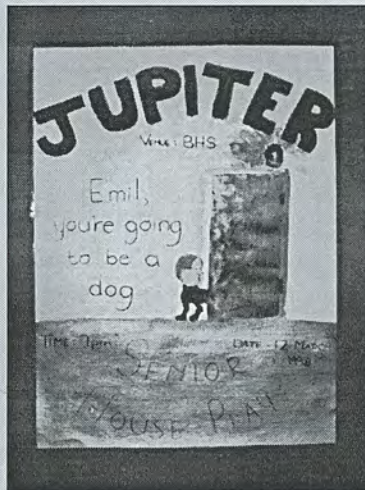
Second row: Daniel Cabral, Greg Russell, Candice Mitchell, Tessa Blane, Stephen Leepile, Mia Wilmot

Third row: Rory Bolus, Colleen Higgins, Tammy Norris,

Fourth row: Hennie Potgieter, Lorien Swemmer, Kirsten Edwards, Olivia Vermaak



HOUSEPLAYS



INTER-HOUSE PLAYS FESTIVAL

Staff Responsible

Apollo: Ms C. Walls, Mrs M. Schumann
Jupiter: Mrs J. Skeen, Mrs D. Gerry
Mercury: Mrs T. Letcher
Neptune: Mr M. Bowie

Every year adjudicators marvel at the ever-increasing standards seen at the Inter-House Festival. This year the plays were of such a professional quality that it was hard to believe they were directed by high-school pupils.

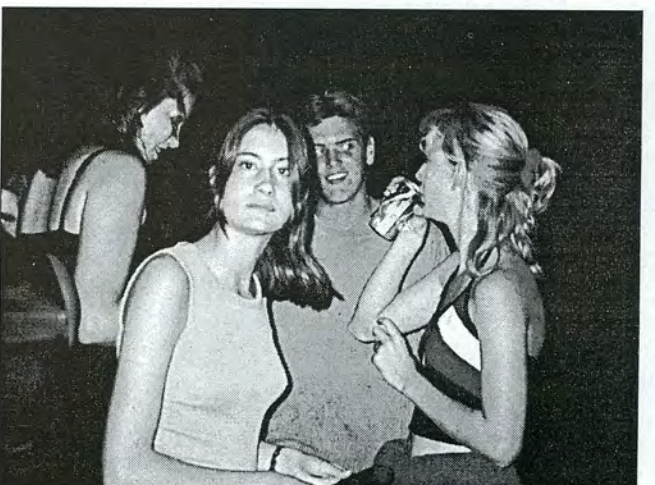
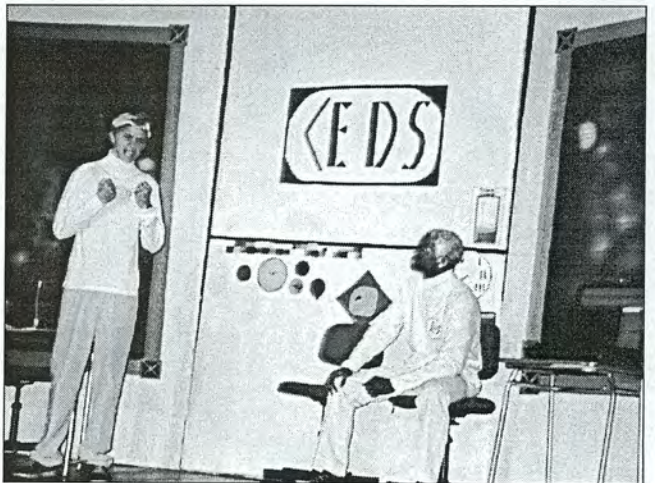
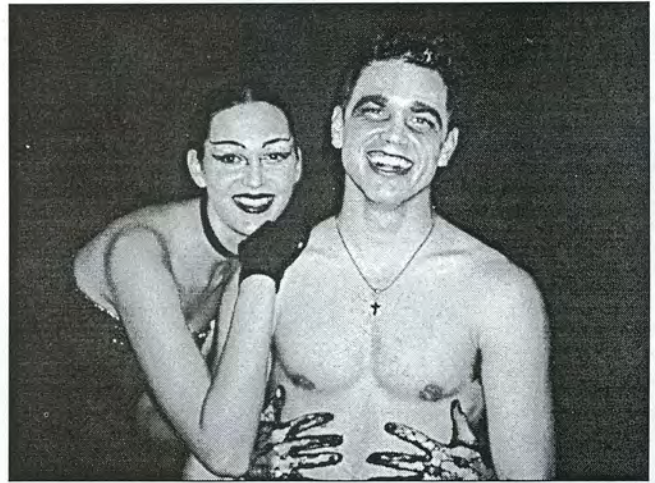
The Junior evening had a light-hearted, refreshing atmosphere, with plays rich in fairytale elements. The winning play, "The Cinderella Story", was directed by Lorien Swemmer and Colleen Higgins from Apollo House. The play, written by Lorien, investigated what actually happened to all our favourite characters.

The Senior evening looked at social issues in a somewhat unconventional light. The adjudicators, Mr B. Rayne, Mr G. Hannan, Miss J. Saayman, Mr S. Marani and Miss J. Bennett, awarded many merit certificates, apart from the usual awards, as the pupils' acting was exceptional. The winner was, once again, Apollo. "Lead us not into....." written and directed by Olivia Vermaak was a cleverly contrived black comedy dealing with teenage pregnancy, drug abuse and eating disorders. Olivia managed to present these issues in a highly entertaining, fresh way. The "Rocky Horror" type chorus with their black humour found the weaknesses in all of us, which prompt our downfall. The choice of plays was of a mature standard, which challenged all the Houses.

Tracy Fletcher

Summary of Results

	JUNIOR	SENIOR
Best Publicity	Apollo	Mercury
Best costume and make-up	Apollo	Apollo
Best sound	Apollo	
Best lighting	Apollo	
Best Decor and Properties	Mercury	Mercury
Best Stage Management	Jupiter	Apollo
Best Supporting Actress	Bailey Liakman Neptune	Lara Stirton Mercury
Best Actress	Lucy Fletcher Apollo	Tracy Fletcher Apollo
Best Actor	Chris Baricheavy Neptune	Daniel Cabral Apollo
Best Playwright	Tessa Blane Jupiter	Olivia Vermaak Apollo
Best Production	Apollo	Apollo



PAINTING PROPS FOR MAJOR PRODUCTION "THE BOYFRIEND"



*Left: Kristian Jung
(Grade 12)*

*Right: Panos Vasiliou
(Grade 11)*



*Below left:
Dennis Quick (Grade 12)*

*Below middle:
Megan Fletcher
(Grade 10)*

*Below right:
Cafe-scene from
"The Boyfriend"*



PROP-PAINTERS 1998

*Back Row: Left to right: Panos Vasiliou, Megan Fletcher, Kerry Gilfillan,
Mandy Bittkau, Ms Hofmeyr*

*Front Row: Kristian Jung, Dennis Quick, Lee Davis-Honiball,
Keegan Smith*



Kerry Gilfillan (Grade 10)

PERFORMING ARTS SOCIETY

MAJOR PRODUCTION

Staff Responsible: Mr M. Bowie, Mrs V. Webb, Mrs M. Schumann, Mr A. Basson, Miss A. Botha, Mrs T. Letcher, Ms C. Walls, Ms K. Hofmeyr, Miss J. Saint, Mrs J. Skeen, Mrs E. Vermaak, Mr S. Marani, Miss J. Bennett

Staff Responsible: Mr M. Bowie, Mrs E. Vermaak, Mrs T. Letcher, Ms C. Walls, Miss J. Bennett, Ms K. Hofmeyr, Miss J. Saint, Mrs J. Skeen, Miss A. Botha, Mrs M. Schumann, Mr A. Basson, Mrs H. Tucker

In the words of the great Francis Quarles: 'Judge not the play before the play is done.' Thus I shall leave the judging of the 1998's Performing Arts Committee to the finale. This year our technical, management and creative skills were put into action with the Talent Show and Drama Coursework sessions. The former was run very smoothly by the 1998 Matric Dance Committee, and many special moments, such as those of our own matrics in a 'Full Monty' display, will linger in the Bryanston Hall for years to come:

It's so much nicer - in Nice! This quaint French town was the setting for the light-hearted musical production of 1998, 'The Boyfriend'.

The Drama Coursework sessions were once again held by a past dramatics student, Stefano Marani, this year assisted by the ever-energetic Justine Bennett. The expressive pair made a formidable team and poured out their creative knowledge to the benefit of the younger drama pupils.

The play, portrayed in the 1920's, centred around a finishing school run by the French Madame Dubonnet and the antics of her not-so-refined English ladies and their trouble-seeking boyfriends. A pinch of humour was added by Madame's past lover making an unexpected return to her life, her cheeky French maid and the pompous British parents of a young man who thought it wise to escape their claws. Between the lies and police chases we were always entertained by our convincing 'town folk' who ensured there was never a static moment.

Continuing in our tradition of surpassing challenges, the Inter-House Play productions exposed the audience to a wonderful variety of thought-provoking themes. The first placed house, Apollo, daringly flaunted their collective talent and succeeded in bringing 'abuse in society' one shocking step closer to us all. Through the dedicated guidance of all the producers and directors, the actors set a new trend for next year: If you've got it, flaunt it! Thanks must go to Mrs K. Liackman for donating two trophies for Best Junior Actor and Best Junior Actress.

Although rehearsals commenced only two months before the big night our experienced director, Liz Vermaak and her exceptional colleagues miraculously managed to pull the individuals together and form a united team - although it took six three-hour practices a week! For these two months the school became our home, but the laughs always kept our spirits high.

Moving on to the highlight of 1998, our drama students far outdid all expectations in the Major Production, 'The Boyfriend'. The extensive press coverage, the promise of delegates from M-Net's Carte Blanche and the G.D.E. and our regular supporter Ms Joan Brickhill, kept the entire cast on their toes at the numerous rehearsals. Blood, Sweat and many tears were shed in the weeks leading up to the final performances. At the end of it all, audiences witnessed possibly the finest production our school has ever seen.

It is due to the committed staff and pupils that we managed to stage what has been acknowledged as the best musical performed by Bryanston High School, ever! We were also honoured by the presence of a well known South African actress, Joan Brickhill, who had endless praise for the cast members after the performance.

The final "act" for 1998 came in the form of the Eisteddfod, with Bryanston hosting eight days of talented activity, including drama, music, instrumental, voice, mime, dance and choral verse activities. Once again an incredibly high standard has been set for future drama students to follow.

It was a magical evening enjoyed by all but the magic would not have existed if it wasn't for our talented orchestra lead by Mrs Hoeksma, our Light and Sound Crew with Mr Basson at the helm and the decorative props painted by Ms Hofmeyr and her crew.

The only event still to light our stage is the Annual Cultural Dinner, which, as always, promises to be highly entertaining.

It was most definitely an evening to be remembered and this year's performance has set the standard for future musicals to follow.

It is only now, reflecting upon the efforts of the Performing Arts Committee, that one can "adjudicate" our overall "play": The 1998 committee accepted the challenge and "flaunted" its talent throughout the year!

Melanie Mulder



1998 MAJOR PRODUCTION

Samantha Barichiev

RHETORIC SOCIETY

Staff responsible: Mrs J. Frost and Ms C. Walls
Chairperson: Vicky Louw
Vice Chairperson: Sarah Louw
Secretary: Tessa Blane

This year started with Bryanston participating in the Annual Guild Festival of Public Speaking. Pupils from grades eight to twelve put their public speaking skills to the test, achieving exceptional results.

During our third debate for the Northern League, our team learnt a valuable lesson from Saint Stithians: you are always right and can negate the oppositions argument with just one point! This tactic and much hard work put the seniors on a winning streak throughout the season, with the juniors hot on their heels. Extra practice came from "friendlies" against other schools outside the League.

A number of speakers participated in external competitions such as the I.T.C., with Tracy Fletcher making it through to the semi-finals and the Sandton and Northcliff Rotaries where some of our members used their various skills.

This year's Best Speaker's Competition was of a very high standard. Tracy's excellent delivery and clever use of language won her the Senior Best Speaker's trophy. The clever Ashley Harvey's humorous satire of the school won her the Junior Best Speaker award.

We hope that our successors uphold our achievements and that they will enjoy it as much as we have!

Vicky and Sarah Louw

AWARDS

Trophies

Benfield Trophy for Best Senior Orator:

Tracy Fletcher and Vicky Louw

Best Senior Speaker:

Tracy Fletcher

Best Senior Debator:

Vicky Louw

Best Junior Orator:

Ashleigh Harvey

Most Promising Junior:

Kerry Gilfillan

Service Award:

Sarah Louw, Bronwyn Anderson, Stephen Leepile, David de Franca, Chantal van Steijn, Tessa Blane, Nicole Nieman, Cathy Truter, Lorien Swemmer

Colours

Merit Awards: Ashleigh Harvey, Kerry Gilfillan

Team Colours:

Bronwyn Anderson, David de Franca, Chantal van Steijn, Stephen Leepile, Nicole Nieman, Cathy Truter

Half Colours: Sarah Louw

Full Colours: Tracy Fletcher, Vicky Louw, Tessa Blane



Front row, left to right: Bronwyn Anderson, Sarah Louw, Vicky Louw, Ms. C. Walls
 Second row: Tracy Fletcher, Nicola Spilsbury, Stephen Leepile, Bailey Liackman, Candice de Melo, Jenny Spindler, Ashleigh Harvey, Kerry Gilfillan
 Third row: Nicola Mantovani, Alex Butterworth, Colleen Higgins, Tessa Blane, Lorien Swemmer, Cathy Truter, Nicole Nieman, Gia Marais
 Absent: Mrs. J. Frost

SUMMARY OF RESULTS NORTHERN DEBATING LEAGUE

DATE	OPONENT		RESULT
22/01	St Mary's	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Lost
11/02	Northcliff	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Won
04/03	St Stithians	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Lost
20/05	Greenside	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Won
03/06	King David	Juniors	Opponents withdrew
		Seniors	Opponents withdrew
16/09	Brescia	Juniors	Lost
		Seniors	Won
14/10	Northcliff	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Lost
FRIENDLY DEBATES			
11/08	Capricorn	Juniors	Won
		Seniors	Won
	Fourways	Juniors	Lost
		Seniors	Won



CULTURAL DINNER

BEST JUNIOR SPEECH

Tennis Balls, Shaved Heads and Bodies

"Oh, my gosh. It's a sign". These were the words I was greeted with on a Wednesday morning. One of my friends had been absent for two days and upon her return she'd found out that while she was away she'd been called to the office. She'd been called to the office along with a whole lot of people and one such person happened to be the man of her dreams - a matric boy in the first rugby team. She was now convinced that they were meant to be. The fact that she was called in with him on a day when she was nowhere near the school didn't seem to enter her mind. I just smiled and listened and answered dutifully when she asked "What colour do you think his hair really is? Don't you think he looks like James Small.? What do you think about his paternal abilities?"

I don't see what the fascination is with these matric guys. These are the uh ... "men" of the school who stand at one end of the quad, while their friends are on a balcony on the opposite end of the quad, throwing tennis balls to each other. And the girls watch them, not because we're comparing muscles and masculinity (contrary to popular belief), but because we fail to understand the excitement and pleasure which motivates and drives them to throw a piece of round rubber covered with green material backwards and forwards across a quad for forty five minutes.

Good afternoon Madam adjudicator, ladies and gentlemen and fellow Bryanstonians. Bryanston High School is not just a building made up of classrooms and sports-fields. It's more than an education centre. Without the pupils and teachers Bryanston High, would become stagnant and dysfunctional, because it is the people who make Bryanston different, separating us from other schools. It is the people who make Bryanston unique.

A few moments ago I mentioned a friend of mine who is in love with a ball-throwing, rugby-playing matric and, I regret to say, she's not the only one. Many of my other friends have fallen victim to this species and there is only one question which plagues my mind, eating me up inside... "What is the undeniable, indestructable, totally idiotic reason for this adoration?" And more often than not, as hard as I try, I never reach an answer. Why not? Allow me to illustrate my point. The first rugby team recently played a match against one of Bryanston's main rivals and they won. Now we all knew that celebrations were in order. But no-one was prepared for the shock which lay in store. They did what no male should ever do. They shaved their heads and to add insult to injury we, the feminine, intelligent, technologically advanced life forms were expected to swoon and kiss the ground they walk on. And for what? Big, bare heads with a cauliflower protruding from each side! Then there are the times when they don't win. We are able to decipher this by the expression which we all know so well: the hang-dog look which depicts the fact that they lost the match, the opposing team cheated, the ref. was biased and that the whole world is against them. And then come the tears. Our big, strong, bald-headed heroes in desperate need of a kleenex, when, in fact, what they really need is a fat kick up the wazoo, for lack of a more polite word. Now, I ask you, are these what we call the male hor-

mones in full flood and are we actually supposed to find it attractive? Yet, there are unfortunately those females who lack the ability to think for themselves and who can't help but be swept along with the gossip and boys and everything which goes with it. I once had an experience with one such girl. Our class was having an incredibly thought-provoking discussion and, as usual, tempers flared and it landed up in an argument. After the lesson four of my friends and I were confronted by three girls whose intelligence amassed to that of Baby Spice, Posh Spice and Pamela Anderson. They wanted to continue the discussion. Tensions rose and as the conversation got more heated one girl turned around and bowled us over with an intelligent, biting, witty remark. "Well, I'm prettier and I've got a better body then uh all, 1,2,3,4 uh 5 of you put together." It's when you witness statements

like this that you understand the true meaning of power.

Finally there are our teachers, without whom the school would fall apart. Some have not a care in the world except when it comes to the improvement of the sound and lighting equipment and when our very own ex-flower child talks about "peace, man." Next we have our particular male teachers who seem to have certain complexes and insecurities about their own self-image. We have rugby coaches and as enormous and terrifying as they seem, rumour has it that they also shed a few tears on each other's shoulders, behind closed doors, when their teams lose. Then there is the lady at the top who, with just a raise of the eyebrow could make even the hardest and bravest of Grade Eights shudder. All she has to do is whip out her ruler, make the little tart kneel, measure her skirt and say "meet me in my office at break".

Bald heads, cry-baby rugby players, girls with beautiful bodies but little between the ears and forboding teachers. These are what make up Bryanston High. And, even though we don't care to admit it, we love them, laugh at them, enjoy them and support them. I am a regular supporter of the rugby and I thrive in the teachers' classrooms. I wouldn't be without them for the world and I think I speak on behalf of the entire school when I say this: Bryanston High School is an academic institution of the highest calibre for the simple reason that it incorporates everything which allows for a perfect learning environment: work, sport, different types of people, a unique, incredibly special group of teachers and highly set standards. All these coupled with the dedication of Mr Visser, Mrs Webb and Mr Cuthbertson ensure that Bryanston High is a school of immense potential and capabilities. It's also taught me a number of lessons over the past two and a half years: Work hard, play hard, make absolutely, positively sure that your skirt is 12cm from the ground when kneeling and stay out of the way of matrics with tennis balls!



INTER-HIGH DANCE

Teacher-in-charge: Ms L. Wilkinson; Mrs H. Tucker

On Thursday evening, 3rd September this year Bryanston participated in the Interhigh Dance Competition held at Queens. We had to produce two sequences for the event - one for the voluntary section and one for the group section which had the theme 'Nature'.

The standard of dancing was very good and the adjudicator had some difficult decisions to make. The final results were as follows:

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| 1st | Queens |
| 2nd | Parktown |
| 3rd | Greenside |
| 4th | Bryanston |
| 5th | Edenglen |

Thank you to those who travelled to Queens to support the dancers who put in many late hours at school to produce their sequences.

Special Mentions:

Abi v.d. Westhuizen choreographed the voluntary dance
Kristi Hansen choreographed the group dance.

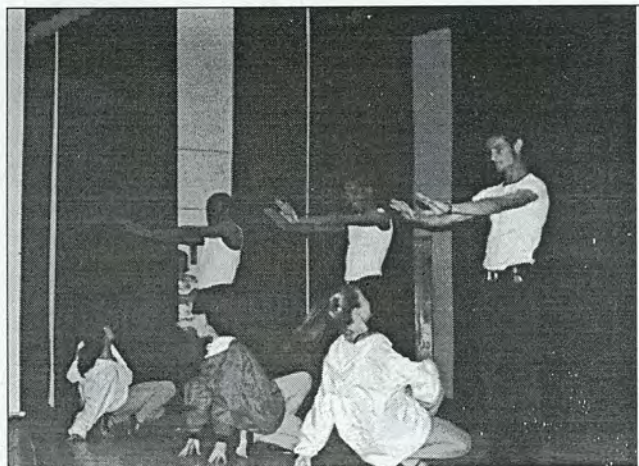
Ms L. Wilkinson

EISTEDDFOD

The Eastern Metropolitan Eisteddfod is one of the cultural highlights of the year, with a range of events being performed by learners of all ages, from Grade Ones to Senior Citizens. The quality of performances this year was extremely high, with a huge number of participants from schools all over the Gauteng Area, a large contingent being from Bryanston High School. The events ranged from dramatic monologues, with congratulations to Nicole Niemann scoring a phenomenal 96%, to electronic bands, featuring Phillip Ferguson and his band "Thrash" receiving 70% and Craig Hawkins, James Moyes and Shane Forbes from "Destroy" with 74%. The aim of the event is to cater for all the dramatic and cultural facets, a sort of inter-schools dramatics festival. Well done to Bryanston on extremely high achievements. In winning the trophy for the best high school we hope the high quality will continue.

Thank you to Mrs Schumann, Mr Bowie and Ms Walls for guiding all participants. Congratulations to Olivia Vermaak and the cast of "Lead us not into ...", for an inspired performance.

Greg Russell



INTERHIGH DANCE COMPETITION "Women Power"

Abi van der Westhuizen, Jackie Lawrance, Roslyn Musto, Colleen Jeery, Obakeng Masanamela, Stephen Leepile, Ryan Smith



INTERHIGH DANCE COMPETITION Winners - "Storm"

Kristi Hansen, Claire Coward, Yolande Christopher, Kirsty Jones, Michelle Thijs, Debbie Catto



DIPLOMA WINNERS

Left to right: Melanie Mulder, Nicole Nieman, Poly Miu, Tessa Blane, Silvia Auger, Simon Masemela, Greg Russell, Warren Small, Mrs M. Schumann, Tracy Fletcher

POTTERY CLUB

Staff Responsible: Ms K. Hofmeyr
(Assisted by Wits student
Miss J. van Eyck in the third
term)

Members: Dennis Quick, Nicole Schuler,
Rene Robinson, Gayle Olivier,
Sarah Robbs, Diane Lowrie, Sam Quick,
Danielle Haus, Yolandi Wilmans,
Dionne Place, Kerri Martin,
Bradley Twaddle, Tarryn Roos

We started off the year making ceramic animals, and other small objects. In the second term Ms S. Hoskins gave us a demonstration of how to pour animal mugs into a mould and the members each purchased a lion, elephant or giraffe from the "Out of Africa" range and painted them in beautiful glazes.

Term three consisted of making a "dinner table setting" for the Art Exhibition in August. A broken french loaf, including crumbs, spaghetti meatballs and a snake knife and fork set made a wonderful contribution to the Art Department Display. A group effort well done!

In the last term, we'll be making ceramic wall clocks including angels, teddy bears, sunflowers and a cow (amongst others). We would then like to end the year making something for Christmas.

We've had lots of fun every Wednesday afternoon!

Ms K. Hofmeyr



Lion mug made by Nicole Schuler



Pouring of animal mugs in a mould



The Pottery Club and Ms. Hofmeyr at the pavilion with their "installation" for the Art Exhibition



Ms S. Hoskins demonstrating how to make a mug. Left to right: Jerome Erasmus, Charles McCowan, Nicholas Fischer

MISS ELEGANCE AND MISS PIZZAZ

Staff Responsible: Mrs Gerry, Mrs Tucker, Miss Orchison

For Miss Elegance/Pizzaz we decided on a Shakespearean theme: "Romeo and Juliet" and "A Midsummer Night's Dream"...

We made a brick balcony and dressed our compères, in costume. Ivy candles and roses decorated the school hall.

The M.D.C. members modelled clothes from generous stores and the entrants looked breathtaking (hence all dropped open jaws!)

The ivy, candles and roses decorated the school hall. It was a night of sweet scented perfume and fantasy for all!

Miss Elegance

First Lara Stirton
Second Olivia Killian
Third Olivia Vermaak

Miss Pizzaz

First Latoia Maresca
Second Robyn Deeb
Third Sarah Kozlowski

Lorien Swemmer



Sarah Kozlowski
Miss Pizzaz - First Princess



Latoia Maresca
Miss Pizzaz
Winner



Lara Stirton -
Miss Elegance
Winner



Olivia Killian
Miss Elegance
First Princess



Robyn Deeb
Miss Pizzaz
Second Princess



Olivia Vermaak
Miss Elegance
Second Princess

WILDLIFE CLUB

WILDLIFE HIKE

After a long four hour drive, a single dim light half-way up the mountain welcomed us. This was base camp, where we spent an entertaining first evening.

The next morning began early with a hectic uphill hike. Thanks to our over-enthusiastic pathfinders we managed to cut 3km off the day's hiking, only to be made up later that day when the same pathfinders took the wrong route causing us to add 3km to the hike! However, all was not in vain, as we did catch a glimpse of the Saltpeterskrans and got an interesting view of kraal life. By lunch our pathfinders had been demoted to rear guard duty, and we were able to reach lunch safely. Lunch consisted of swimming, eating, sleeping, and, of course, fishing! Our destination that night was Three Fingered Rock.

On arriving at our destination, we were relieved to discover our accommodation was somewhat larger than that of the previous evening's, and we had two separate huts: one for the adults and one for us. The rest of the day was spent deciding on which flavoured two minute noodles to have for dinner.

The next morning was greeted with bleary eyes and the thought of having to walk back to base camp! As all roads eventually lead to the base camp, some of the not so energetic hikers decided on the easy way out! Reaching camp at last, we all dumped our packs and climbed into our swimming costumes, heading straight for the earlier noticed "foofy-slide" at the nearby dam. As usual, the fun was short-lived with shouts from the "adults" informing us that home would be the next stop.

Danielle James



Above: The "cool" wildlife teachers: J. Saint and T. Orchison

Right: Wildlife Society - "Born to be wild"

WILDLIFE TRIP TO PILANSBERG : 31 JULY - 2 AUGUST

After waiting for the Grade Tens to arrive back from Veldschool, we were on our way to Pilansberg. The trip was made up of six teachers and twelve pupils. Finally at 6.30pm we found our camp site where we would stay. Putting up tents in total darkness was a challenge for us "Sandton Snobs". Eventually we were all unpacked and getting dinner ready. After dinner we had a fun time on the trampolines and in the swimming pool. We discovered that a swim at 11pm in August is a rather cold experience.

In the morning we all had to look for Miss Orchison's car keys before we could go on any game drive. After phoning the A.A., Miss Saint found them where Miss Orchison had put them for safe keeping. BLONDIE. Game drive time had come and we were all eager to go. On our different routes: species like elephant, lion, hippo, crocodile, zebra, giraffe, impala, warthog, blue wildebeest, blesbok and some others were seen by all. What excitement!

We had the rest of the day to relax and some of us needed sleep so we couldn't let this moment go by. In the afternoon we went for another game drive. The more patient ones went to the Scavenger's hide. To our amazement we found a wild boar and a brown hyena there.

That night many of us learnt how to play pool during the long wait for our potjiekos. After eating our half-cooked supper we all sat around the fire trying to keep warm. Later we decided that sleeping bags were a warmer option, so we retired for the night.

At 5.30am on Sunday morning "the early birds" set off for a game drive and others joined a couple of hours later. Gareth Corbett got the fright of his life when the lion he was making eye contact with mock charged him.

Our "professional" chef, Mr Smith made breakfast for us before we started to pack up. The time had come for us to leave, so by 2pm we were packed and on our way home. A wonderful weekend will be remembered by all.

Julie Corbett



INTERACT

Outgoing President's Message

I am often ashamed to discover myself criticising people I don't know and have never met - namely the people who work for the government.

These criticisms usually revolve around how incompetent the officials and ministers are, or how the state of the roads, hospitals, townships etc. is the fault of this political party or that committee.

Children blame their problems on their parents. Parents blame their problems on the government and the government blames the apartheid era. All this blaming results in a large waste of time and money, and nothing gets done about the problem.

This is where Interact Clubs and community organizations like them step in to help. Our philosophy is "If you don't make the future better for yourself, nobody will do it for you".

Interact Clubs worldwide are committed to raising money for and bringing hope to worthwhile causes in their communities. A classic example of this was our visit to the Princess Alice Adoption Home, where we donated a considerable amount of money.

Doing good in the community is so often synonymous with monetary donations, and this money is not easy to come by. Therefore when Interact undergoes a fund-raising activity, it needs your support to make it successful.

So do a little good in YOUR community. Make this country better for YOUR future and stop blaming others for problems you can help solve.

Caroline Smith



Sean Platt and Vicky Forsyth preparing for the Valentine's Ball

Interact is a club that was started by the Rotary Society. It aims to get the youth involved in helping to raise money for charity and for donating to needy causes, whilst having the most fun possible in doing so. Interact has clubs at schools all over Gauteng and Bryanston High is lucky enough to have one too. Our club has its own committee, which divides the necessary tasks, each committee member being in charge of a specific area. Our committee this year consisted of the following people:

Mluleki Masinga - President - responsible for the entire club, chair of our weekly meetings and our main representative in the school and at functions. Nicola Mantovani - Vice President - was to represent our president in his

absence, represent our club and to help the president. I am the Secretary and my jobs were to take minutes at our meetings, keep register, keep the club members' details, to make all the necessary phone calls for the club, and to remind the club of important events. Yolandi Wilmans - Public Relations - was in charge of writing letters, helping to advertise the club and to give the club a good reputation by doing things such as ordering club T-shirts. Celia Beaumont - Treasurer - was in charge of keeping our money, planning our budget and working out expenses. As soon as the club started running properly the committee started planning our goals for the year. Our major goal was to improve the club's image and to gain more members, which we did quite successfully. We also wanted to help the underprivileged, which we have managed by way of the Valentine's Ball and The Red Nose Day coin collection. The Valentines Ball was our first major event. It was open to Grade Ten, Eleven and Twelve pupils. Prizes of Tommy Boy and Tommy Girl were awarded to the best turned out couple and a Teddy bear was awarded to the best dressed girl. Sean Platt was our DJ and managed to get everyone dancing and having fun. The evening was very successful. In connection with Valentine's Day, Interact also sold roses to the school and delivered them to the various classes. We offered red, white and pink roses. The school gave us much support and this helped us to pay for the Valentine's Ball expenses.

Shortly after this ten of our Interact members, including the entire committee, went on the annual Intercon camp. The highlight of this day camp was the shaving cream fight in the pitch black!

We got to meet all the other Interact clubs from all over Gauteng and we were all quite shocked when we arrived at the camp to see hundreds of little bodies pitching their tents. There were two heated pools at the camp but, because there were so many of us it was hard to move around in the pools. The camp was not to everyone's liking for various reasons - one of them being that it was very hard to pitch a tent in the rock hard soil and another being that some other interacters found it very funny to go round knocking our tents down. We got to meet some interesting people and we got to hear some of their fund raising ideas too.

Our next major project was the Red Nose Day major coin collection. This was a Bryanston High initiative where we challenged other schools to see who could raise the most money for Red Nose Day, by asking their pupils for spare change. We donated a floating trophy which was awarded to Boksburg High for raising over R1500,00. Altogether we raised over R3000,00. It took a long time to plan this and counting the money was also quite a lot of work.

We are busy planning a collection of toys, old clothes and any other things that people can think of to donate to needy creches in underprivileged areas such as Orange Farm. We are also hoping to hold a Halloween Ball in the pavilion which should prove to be very exciting

Interact has had an extremely busy year and many of our smaller projects have not been mentioned, such as the youth week Sports Dinner where we gave the Rotarians a theme dinner at the Rivonia Hall. We have gained more support in the school than we had and we have also managed to complete many projects successfully and donate money to charity.

Thank you very much to all those people who contributed to Interact and to those who supported us and especially to our Interact teacher-in-charge, Mrs Armstrong, who has helped us enormously throughout the year.

Alexandra Butterworth

MESSAGE FROM THE DEBS BALL CONVENOR



Over the past 30 years the Debutantes' Ball has become a traditional part of the Bryanston High School ethos. The glamour and sophistication of this function is enormous. Considering the calibre of students who participate in this prestigious event, I have been greatly privileged to work with this enthusiastic team of young people, all striving to raise funds for a group of charities and our own school. The entrepreneurial skill of our young team has been outstanding and if their ability to raise funds is any indication of their future, wealth is most certainly on their agenda. I have witnessed raffles, cake and candy sales, and catering services to name but a few of the fundraisers.

Monitoring the collection of the funds is one of the most difficult tasks of this programme and Mrs Jenny Saunders has mastered this skill throughout the year with commendable patience and good humour. We are indebted to her for her time and commitment.

I am certain that the glitz, glamour and dignity of this wonderful evening will live on in the memories of each and every deb or squire. We wish them a happy and unforgettable evening, one which will enchant them for the rest of their lives.

I salute all you young people who have chosen to go the extra mile to make a difference to others by collecting funds for this worthwhile venture.

Bev Weir (Debs Ball Organiser)

DEBS MANIA!

With not much time left, the clock ticking away madly, just about everyone begins to feel the tension! Some opinions were canvassed:

"It'll probably be better than your own wedding day!" (Mrs Weir)

"It's a good excuse for fund raising and it's an opportunity for people to show their fundraising skills" (J. De Villiers)

"More of the money should go to Charity" (Anon)

"Its worth the wait" (J. Strudwick)

"I finally got the shoes!" (L. Swemmer)

Every Deb and Squire had to raise R1200.00 to "qualify" for the ball. As if this was not stressful enough, there was also the challenge of finding the right dress, tux, shoes. All of which had to be the traditional white, and Murphy's Law . . . white is impossible to find in Winter. Then there is always the crisis of finding a partner!

Finally the evening arrived. At 18h00 Debs, their partners and some parents began arriving for the official photographs and cocktails. There was a visible air of nervousness and excitement but this only lasted until the officialities were over! Each Deb was presented to the Guests of Honour, Mr and Mrs Paige. Thereafter a scrumptious 3-course dinner was served consisting of a buffet of mixed seafood cocktails, sliced melons, cold meats and garden fresh salads. The second course was a hot buffet of lamb and chicken, naturally followed by desserts of cream caramel, chocolate mousse, apple pie, pavlova, pecan nut pie, fruit salad, ice-cream and hot chocolate sauce!

When the tummies were full, the dancing commenced with the traditional opening waltz. The lights were dimmed and the softness of the candlelight, exquisite flowers and crystal chandeliers complemented the classy and romantic atmosphere.

All partied with enthusiasm until dawn when the evening culminated with the announcements of the principal fundraisers and Debutante Princesses.

Cindy Davidson was crowned "Miss Debutante 1998", with Dominique Hare and Katherine Miles taking second and third places respectively.

"Couple of the evening" went to Jacqui Lawrence and her handsome partner, Douglas Hardres-Williams.

The top fundraiser was Candice Fraser who raised an incredible R8000-00 and was rewarded with a beautiful gold Kruger Rand. Second place went to Nicolette Frost who raised R6166-40, and third place was achieved by Melanie Mulder who raised R4275-00. Olivia Killian and Nicola Heuer came fourth and fifth. An incredible amount of R114 000-00 profit was raised for worthy charities and school funds.

Colleen Buchan



Debutantes Ball 1998

The Bryanston High School Debutantes Ball was held at the Indaba Hotel on Saturday 13 June. 135 girls and boys in Grades 11 and 12 entered to make this one of the largest balls held in the history of the school. Over R200 000.00 was raised for various charities and to supplement school funds.

On the evening, the places of the most monies raised were announced:



1st: Candice Fraser -R8000-00 (centre), 2nd: Nicolette Frost - R6,166.40 (extreme left), 3rd: Melanie Mulder - R 4 275.00 (left), 4th: Olivia Kilian (right), 5th Nicola Heuer (extreme right)

Couple of the evening went to:
Jacqui Lawrence and
Douglas Hardres-Williams

The Debutante Queen and Princesses were also chosen:



1st: Cindy Davidson (centre),
2nd: Dominique Hare (left)
3rd: Katherine Miles (right)

SCHOOL GARDENS REPORT

We were delighted to find a Mom with a little time and a great deal of drive to assist us in the school gardens this year. Kikki Bakker joined our team and was able to spend quality time with our chief gardener Scotch to upgrade the front gardens of the school. Spring has been marked with a splash of colour as one drives into the school grounds. Edges have been improved and gradually the wilderness is being converted into organised gardens. Linda Catto has organised the planting of indigenous trees along the parking on the Nichol Highway and together with Scotch who waters them regularly we hope to create an area which will be shady in the heat of the African summer sun. Barbara assisted us with our rose pruning and together the team suggested the Spring Civvies Day to raise funds for the purchase of compost and more shrubs for our gardens. Grade Eleven was responsible for the funds raised to pave the circles on the entrance lawn, helping to create a better impression as one drives into the school. The matrics of 97 will be remembered by the beautiful birdbath which now stands regally amongst the shrubs at the school entrance. We hope to continue the garden development project and encourage any parents interested to get involved.

A sincere thanks go to the Committee who give up their precious time to assist us in our development programme.

Mrs B. Weir



Beautiful gardens at Bryanston High



*The "Garden ladies", Above: Mrs K. Bakker
Below: Mrs B. Weir and Mrs L. Catto*



THE STUDENT CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION - "ACTS"

Staff Responsible: Mrs C. Buchan, Mrs A. Hall,
Ms E. Pretorius

Committee: Michelle Barclay, Thamar Houliston,
Jonathan Leaf-Wright, Mluleki Masinga.

REPORT:

The Student Christian Association was renamed "ACTS" this year. It is an acronym for "Active Christian Teen Society" and "active" has been the operative word! Learners have diligently met each morning to pray for the teachers and Mr Visser, fellow classmates and about any other problems which have necessitated the need for prayer. It has been largely due to these diligent few, who have been responsible for the steady growth in numbers and commitment this year.

Of course, the involvement of the Bryanston Methodist youth pastor, Delme Linscott, and his apprentice, Steve Sparg, has also been wonderful. Every Monday, Delme has faithfully brought a word of encouragement or teaching to the meetings. Each Wednesday he has met with the committee to plan meetings and activities. Not only has Delme been an excellent role model and teacher, but he has provided superb in-service leadership training. Delme has also been the major proponent behind projects like collecting money for Bible distribution etc. Thank you Delme for all your hard work. May you be richly blessed for it!

As each year goes by, we are supposed to mature as Christians. This is as true for me personally, as I know it is for others. The Lord allows us to face trials and temptations so that our characters and commitment as Christians may be strengthened. It may seem like a terrible contradiction, and grossly unfair of a loving God to test us so, however, He is always faithful and promises to be with us, not to give anything more than we are able to endure. My prayer is that we learn our lessons quickly so that hardships may cease! ACTS is a place where we may be encouraged and loved through these trials.

"Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of sufferings.

And the God of all grace, who called you to his eternal glory in Christ, after you have suffered a little while, will himself restore you and make you strong, firm and steadfast. To him be the power for ever and ever. Amen." 1 Peter 5: 8 - 11

Mrs C. Buchan



SCA COMMITTEE

Back Row (left to right): J. Leafwright, M. Barclay,
W. Xundu

Front Row: Mrs C. Buchan, M. Mosinga, Ms E. Pretorius
Absent: T. Houliston, B. Meiring, D. Linscott, S. Sprigg



SCA

Back Row (left to right): Enala Khunga, Akona Bashe,
Maya Khunga, Kerry Martins, Inger Plaskitt, Lelethu
Ngwena, Brian Wylia, Leandra Harrison, Vaughan Phillips

Middle Row: Gift Mnguni, Vanessa Duma, Malampi
Lebaba, Zanele Kunene, Yvonee Ndlovu, Olivia Kilian,
Chantelle van Steijn, Claire Kruise, Hektor Kunene,
Marc Katumba

Front Row: Mulateki Masinga, Steve Sparg, Mrs A. Hall,
Delme Linscott, Mrs C. Buchan, Wanga Xundu, Jonathan
Leaf-wright



FIRST AID SOCIETY

Staff responsible: Mrs V. Webb and Mrs L. Corbett
Captain: Simon Masimola
Vice Captain: Kerry Muller

During 1998 we learnt how to deal with a variety of injuries - and characters! We are probably the only people who see the 'soft' side of rugby and netball players, and the 'tough' side of hockey players. We coped with everything from torn muscles and broken bones, to torn nails and broken hearts.

I would like to thank all of the First Aiders for helping me to make 1998 such a successful year. I wish you all well, especially the matrices, Kerry (Vice Captain) and Candi, who gave so much of their time to lead and teach the less-experienced members of the team. To Adrian too - you were always available with advice and support. You're a real brother!

Thank you to Mrs Webb and Mrs Corbett, for your support and faith in me. I will see you both next year. You're not getting rid of me that easily, Ma'ms!

To the Mothers' Committee - you gave us great teas and were always on hand with something to quench our thirst. Thank you - you are the best!

First Aid has provided me with the skill to deal not only with physical injuries, but with emotional ones as well. It improved my understanding of other people and provided me with the opportunity to mature and develop as a person - and to earn recognition for this.

In conclusion, I would like to wish the First Aiders of 1999 the best of luck!

Simon Masimola (Captain)

The First and Second Netball girls would like to thank the First Aiders for their never-ending commitment and dedication; and for always being there in case of any unforeseen accidents. Your time and effort is greatly appreciated.

Kirsten Edwards

On behalf of the 1st XV rugby boys and the members of the other rugby teams, I would like to thank you for assisting our injured players - and for allowing us to use your strapping. To those of you who aren't in matric, good luck for the future and keep up the good work.'

Warren Small

On behalf of all the swimmers (not only those that you helped), I would like to say a very big thanks. Having the First Aid team on the side of the pool, gave all of the swimmers the confidence to push the race just that much harder, knowing that if they 'drowned' in the process, expert help was at hand. Thanks again.'

Grant Ansell



FIRST AID TEAM

Back Row (left to right): J. Dymond, M. Haeefele, B. Sherwell, L. Harrison

Front Row: B. Trenoweth, B. Müller, C. Manson, Mrs L. Corbett, B.C. Norquoy

AWARDS

Team Colours: Mark Haeefele, Candy Manson, Ryan Phillips, Clare Norquoy, Bronwen Trenoweth

Half Colours: Kerry Muller

Full Colours: Simon Masimola

BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL ON THE INTERNET

Staff Responsible: Mr A. Crighton

Pupils Involved: Jacques David De Villiers;
Richard Moore; Murray Schreiber

Did you know Bryanston High has a homepage? This year has been a busy one for our design team. Bryanston is lucky enough to have some talented pupils who have expert knowledge about web page design and maintenance.

The team, headed by Jacques De Villiers, set about building a page all Bryanstonians can be proud of. The end result is fantastic. It is extremely informative - it tells readers about Bryanston events, our code of conduct, timetables, pupils, teachers, sports and cultural activities and many other things.

With the acquisition of a digital camera by the photographic club, it has been possible to take many photos and put them on the web page at minimal cost. The web page has many photographs depicting life at Bryanston High School. The web page is updated on a regular basis with new information and photographs, results of sporting events and newsletters. Our team is busy working on their next project, which will be video clips on the web page. Then you will be able to see short extracts from all aspects of Bryanston High such as a rugby match or a science experiment.

We look forward to this and more from the Webmasters. I would like to thank them for their hard work and dedication to this project.

Visit us at: WWW.BRYANSTON.COM or e-mail us at: bry-high@bryanston.com

Mr A. Crighton

CHARITY

Leading a committee of approximately thirty-five girls can often be a daunting task, but when it's a committee filled with such enthusiasm and new ideas it turns out to be joy!

This year the Charity Committee took part in many new fund-raising ventures such as the Child Welfare Debutante's Ball, Tackie Tax and St Mary's Childrens Home Golden Trolley. During the first term we had great success in collecting toys, clothes and food for our baby and children's hampers. These hampers were donated to five children's homes making some worthy little people very happy when they saw the piles of gifts. We then raised R5 960 for Child Welfare and nine girls were invited to attend the prestigious "Models for a Purpose" Debutante's Ball.

All in all this year we have supported the SPCA, homeless people and many Childrens homes with money, blankets and toys. The school has made a great effort this year and collected R8 100 in the first term alone. Our appreciation goes to all who gave so generously. The results can definitely be felt by the community. Thanks must also go to Mrs Fulcher for running the committee so smoothly this year.

Tessa Blane



CHARITY

Back Row (right to left): C. Caulder, L. Richardson, T. Norris, J. Rodrigues, C. Mason, T. Blane, R. Newton, I. Pfuhl

Middle row: L. Davis Haniball, N. Summers, J. Kruuse, B. Falconer, M. Flowerday, A. van der Westhuizen

Bottom row: R. Golding, B. Fiorè, S. Auger, C. Hainsworth, M. Wainwright, G. Olivier

Front row: K. Miles, J. Paris, S. Stanley, V. Cotter, M. Ford



JOHANNESBURG STOCK EXCHANGE SCHOOLS CHALLENGE

Staff responsible: Mr A.Crighton

Imagine R100 000 to spend on any shares on the Johannesburg Stock Exchange! This is what nine teams of between three and five Grade Eleven accounting pupils experienced this year.

This year had the best participation ever in the JSE game, with about forty pupils taking part. The game works like this. Each team receives an imaginary R100 000 to use as they wish. The teams buy and sell shares on the stock exchange. They learn about brokers' notes, bulls, bears and many other aspects of the stock exchange.

The teams had access to on-line share prices via the Internet so that any decision made was an informed one. However, there were instances of Grade eleven pupils with a newspaper pinned to the wall with a few darts in their hands!

The pupils soon realised that investing on the stock exchange is not an easy business, especially when there is a stock market crash. The pupils who in fact had traded very little and kept their portfolios liquid, actually came out on top in the end. The best returns came in at around 22%, which is not bad when here the JSE over-all index has slumped so much this year.

Well done to all the teams who were very enthusiastic in their approach to this year's JSE Schools' Challenge. We look forward to the final results of the competition.

Mr A.Crighton.

HEADBOY'S ADDRESS

Good evening Mr and Mrs Visser, Honored Guests, Staff, Parents and of course, the reason why we are all here tonight, my fellow matrixes. I'd also like to extend a special word of welcome to the newly elected monitor Prefects of 1999 who have joined us for this evening.

It is an honor for me to address you at the end of another year during which the school's high standards have again been maintained, in the classroom, on the sports fields and in the arts and rhetoric departments.

But I stand here this evening with mixed feelings at the prospect of going into final exams and leaving school.

I'm sure that I won't hear any arguments from my fellow Matrixes, when I say I'm delighted at the thought of finally leaving school. After all, this is what we've been working towards for the past twelve years. But when I start thinking about it, I realise that two thirds of my life has been spent in the confines of school which, on the one hand, with its rules and regulations has often seemed overly restrictive and sometimes harsh and petty; but in reality it has provided security, support and stability in these formative years of our lives.

We're now moving out of this comfort zone into a less predictable environment. One where we really have to start taking ownership of our individual destinies. An environment where we won't have the disciplines of school, which have seemed to be such a drag, where we will be free to make our own decisions and we won't continue to be pressed into the mould of the conventional scholar which determines what we wear, how we act, when we deliver and how well it's completed. We now have the power of choice but with it comes the responsibility for our decisions.

As I leave Bryanston, and I try to sum up the past five years in five minutes, what now becomes very apparent is that I have been well prepared for this new freedom. Bryanston has taught me more than the three R's of reading, (w)riting and (a)rithmetic, it's added another three, reason, right from wrong, and respect. It's the Bryanston values and culture which together with the excellent tuition levels have provided a solid platform from which we can launch into adult life.

Bryanston has been much more to me than just a school. Apart from the pure academics, at Bryanston we have learnt how to deal with others; how to lead and how to be led. We have learnt what it is like to be a team member and how to achieve results as a group. We have learnt to play sport but more importantly we have learnt sportsmanship; we have learnt how to be gracious winners, but also how to deal with the disappointment of defeat. We have learnt so many lessons of life, all of which help fit us for our future outside the walls of our school.

So although it is with sadness and apprehension that we leave Bryanston, we rest in the assurance that we have been well prepared and are now ready to leave the "Hoopoes" nest and fly into the big world as proud and competent members of society.

Thirty years of history in secondary education has pro-

duced, in Bryanston High, a learning institution of the highest quality. But although a culture and tradition is built over a period of time, it needs to be continually nurtured and developed or it will fade and fall away. The current custodians of the Bryanston culture are Mr Visser and his team, well supported by the school's governing and parent bodies, and it is to them that I would like to pay tribute tonight for providing the schooling environment that this year has again delivered the goods.

Mr Visser and his deputies, the heads of department and the school administrative staff have ensured that the fundamentals have been in place and that teaching staff and facilities of the highest quality have been available. They together with the Prefect body have maintained discipline at a level which is the envy of other schools.

Then a very special thank you to our "mom and dad" away from home, Mrs Webb and Mr Cuthbertson, our grade controllers, who have seen us through thick and thin and who have always been there for us with advice or a word of encouragement. Unfortunately Mr Cuthbertson could not be with us tonight but he sends his greetings from his new post in Nelspruit and wishes us all the best for our exams and on leaving school.

To the teaching staff themselves, thank you for your teaching skills. The lessons we have learned from your years of experience have far surpassed the basic requirements for passing the subject at the end of the year. In particular thank you for your patience and understanding when times got tough and you must have wondered why you were still doing it. We hope that our Matric arrogance has not caused you too many sleepless nights.

To Mr Waite and his ground staff, thank you for all you put in to the upkeep of the grounds and fields. From all the visits to other schools that I have experienced as a member of various sporting teams and this year as head boy I am proud of our fields, courts and swimming pool, our classrooms and halls and our school surrounds and gardens. Many times I have spent talking after hours to Mr Waite who has helped me personally with practical advice on disciplinary and organizational issues affecting the school.

Dr Swemmer and the governing body also need a special mention. I was fortunate enough last year to have been a member of school's inaugural governing body under the new educational dispensation where schools are required to run their own affairs along business lines. Bryanston is indeed privileged to have an educator of the calibre of Dr Swemmer as chairman of the governing body. Under his leadership a school Vision and Mission statement has been developed around which sound strategies have been formulated and are currently under action. These plans will ensure that Bryanston maintains its position as the leading co-educational secondary school in the province.

Next, the support of our parents both as individuals and through the parent bodies must be mentioned. The time and effort put into fund raising activities, to ensure that the school's plans are well funded is sincerely appreciated. The mothers group support in providing refreshments at sporting activities is outstanding and the Bryanston tuck-shop they run is a model for other schools to emulate.

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Last, but not least I must thank the Prefect body who have worked so well as a unit this year. I've really valued the support of each of you and in particular yours, Sam. Thank you for your enthusiasm, friendship and tolerance.

Finally a personal word of thanks to Mrs Webb who has been an inspiration and mentor to me and whose friendship I will always fondly remember.

All of these groups and individuals together with the learners, both past and current, have made Bryanston what it is today and looking at next years learners and in particular the Matrics and the new prefect body, I am confident that Bryanston will go from strength to strength in years to come.

Grant Ansell

HEADGIRL'S ADDRESS

'Your joy is your sorrow unmasked, for the selfsame well from which your laughter rises was often times filled with your tears. Yet, how else can it be? Is not the cup that holds your wine, the very cup that was burned in the potter's oven? And is not the flute that soothes your spirit the very wood that was hollowed with knives? When you are joyous, look deep into your heart and you shall find it is only that which has given you sorrow, that is giving you joy.'

Good evening Mr Visser, members of staff, ladies and gentlemen and the matric class of 1998.

Kahlil Gibran's words echo true once more as I stand here before you all. This, for me, is the final time I will address anyone in my capacity as 1998's Head Girl. For that, I am sad. Yet the reason that we have gathered together here tonight, is one of great joy, for we have finally finished school. Thus, sorrow coupled with joy has led me to a state of confusion.

As I look toward tomorrow, it is not hard to feel a sense of uncertainty, nor one of apprehension. If I place myself in the shoes of the professionals behind me, Curriculum 2005 is proving to be more daunting as days become weeks. As a parent, my child is leaving the security of school and entering the adult world; and then, as a part of the matric class of 1998, I am reaching out into the unknown, not sure if I will stumble and fall, or continue to soar.

Thankfully, a man named Clive Lewis has put my mind at rest. He once said: "The future is something which everyone reaches at the rate of sixty minutes an hour, whatever he does, whoever he is". When you see it in that light, it no longer seems so terrifying, and then when I think about how well we are all actually prepared for our futures, I realise that worrying is a thief of time.

As your Head Girl this year, I have learned an incredible amount about people, human relations, friendships and, I have learned to find myself. However, I could not possibly have reached this height alone and so I would like to thank all who have influenced me and who have helped to carve the best memories I have as those here at Bryanston High School.

Firstly, to the man I most respect, admire and follow: Mr Visser. Sir, the words of Winston Churchill: 'Real leaders of men do not come forward to lead, they show the way.' This year you have been just and honest, ever faithful and fierce-

ly protective of your morals. I admire that and on behalf of all the matrics, I would like to thank you.

To Mrs Webb: our inspiration, confidante, advisor, guidance counsellor and our friend. I can't believe 5 years has flown by so quickly. You've been such an unbelievable source of power that it seems universal. Thank you, for simply being you.

To the vibrant, incredible staff - we all thank you. It has been in your classrooms we have learned our A, B, C's'. It has been in your company we have explored our ideas and it has been through your guidance that we are here, ready to face the world.

To D and Rory. The two of you have been my rocks of strength this year. You're both amazing people and true examples for all to follow.

To the 1998 prefects. You are the most magnificent group of individuals! Your tenacity, spirit, unity and fiery devotion has been the main reason I have smiled all year. You're priceless and I thank you all, for your energy and friendship.

Then, to Grant. All men like to think they can do it alone, but a real man knows there's no substitute for the support and encouragement of a woman! Boss man, thank you for sharing a special year with me. You're a fantastic guy, a true friend and I couldn't have made it without you.

Then finally to you: the matric class who have now shared 5 years with me. Do you all remember our Std 6 year? We were so brave, so cool and so, so naive! Yet we've grown up together. We've shared laughter, like when our boys did their little 'Full Monty Act' in the talent show. We've shared tears at our loss of Karen and we've shared our dreams of love, success and fame. But most of all, we've shared each other.

I searched long and hard to find inspirational words to leave you all with, and although the parents and staff have already crossed the bridge which we stand on the brink of, I believe we can all take the following to heart.

When you get what you want in your struggle for self, and the world makes you king for a day. Just go to a mirror and look at yourself, and see what that man has to say. For it isn't your father or mother or wife whose judgement upon you must pass. The fellow whose verdict counts most in your life, is the one staring back from the glass. Some people may think you a straight shootin' chum and call you a wonderful guy, but the man in the glass says you're only a bum, if you can't look him straight in the eye he's the fellow to please, never mind all the rest, for he's with you clear up to the end. And you've passed your most difficult test if the man in the glass is your friend. You may fool the world down the pathway of life. And get pats on your back as you pass but your final reward will be heartache and tears. If you've cheated the man in the glass!

Matrics, to all of you: Make every moment count, enjoy life to its full splendour, don't forget to wear sunscreen but most important of all: be true to yourselves.

I'll miss you Bryanston.

Thank you.

Samantha Barichiev

VALEDICTORY AWARDS

1. Business Economics Award:
 2. Industrial Arts Award: Best practical student -
 3. Industrial Arts Award: Best overall student -
 4. Roger Pain Trophy: Bible Education -
 5. Special Award for Service to Bible Education:
 6. Austin Trophy - Home Economics:
 7. Stoltz Award - Art:
 8. Accounting Award:
 9. Davis Trophy: Biology Practical:
 10. Geography Trophy:
 11. History Trophy:
 12. Humanities Award:
 13. English Trophy:
 14. Afrikaans Trophy:
 15. Official Language Award:
 16. Time Centre Trophy - Science:
 17. Mathematics Trophy:
 18. Lichtigfeld Trophy - Biology:
 19. Natural Sciences Award:
 20. French Trophy:
 21. Certificates of Merit:
For Cricket Scoring:
 22. Top Twenty and Academic Colours:
(These are calculated on the year's promotion marks:)
- Not Top Twenty but to receive Half Academic Colours:
- 68% :
- 69% :
- Top Twenty & Full Academic Colours
- 16th 70% : Michelle du Plooy, Rosalind O'Meara, Nicola Ferrar,
Sarah Louw, Samantha McCann, Natasha Starling

Sonia Vasiliou (74%)

Douglas Hardres-Williams
(85%)

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(85%)

Olivia Kilian

Simon Masemola

Melanie Mulder (80%)

Tracy Fletcher, Kristian Jung,
Lara Stirton (88%)

Grant Ansell (87%)

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Michael Zinn (90%)

Victoria Louw (93%)

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Samantha Barichievu (85%)

Melanie Mulder (91%)

Samantha Barichievu (84%)

David Campey (80%)

Francis Kwei (95%)

Melanie Mulder (84%)

David Campey (79%)

Vanessa Nottelet (86%)

Rosalind O'Meara,
Pam Schreiber

Nicole Southgate,
Ashleigh Swan,
Leandra Harrison

Pamela Schreiber



David Hardres-Williams



Stoltz Award Winners



Melanie Mulder



David Campey

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Top Twenty & Full Academic Colours

16th	70%	:	Michelle du Plooy, Rosalind O'Meara, Nicola Ferrar, Sarah Louw, Samantha McCann, Natasha Starling
15th	71%	:	Jose de Franca
13th	72%	:	Tracy Fletcher, Mia Wilmot
12th	73%	:	David Campey
9th	74%	:	Kim Baker, Lara Stirton, Phillipa Stalker
7th	75%	:	Melanie Hider, Brett Mahon
4th	76%	:	Samantha Barichiev, Melanie Mulder, Francis Kwei
1st	80%	:	Grant Ansell, Danielle David, Victoria Louw

23. Sandton Mayoral Award: Academic Achievement - Girls:
Danielle David and Victoria Louw (80%)

24. Sandton Mayoral Award: Academic Achievement - Boys:
Grant Ansell (80%)

25. Top 26 Participation Points and Hoopoe Trophy Award:

26th	:	90 points:	Kerry Ann Jones
25th	:	91 points:	Ryan Smith
23rd	:	92 points:	Renton Haskell, Douglas Hardres Williams
22nd	:	93 points:	Danielle David
21st	:	94 points:	Warren Small, Taryn Cassidy
9th	:	97 points:	Kirsten Edwards
8th	:	102 points:	Candice Fraser
17th	:	105 points:	Rory Smith
16th	:	106 points:	Wendy Stevens
15th	:	109 points:	James Raymond
14th	:	110 points:	Julie Corbett
13th	:	111 points:	Bronwyn Anderson
12th	:	114 points:	Simon Masemola
11th	:	117 points:	Pippa Gregory
10th	:	120 points:	Claire Kruise
9th	:	124 points:	Taryn van Goeverden
8th	:	126 points:	Denis Quick
7th	:	128 points:	Samantha Barichiev
6th	:	129 points:	Melanie Mulder
5th	:	136 points:	Daniel Cabral
4th	:	139 points:	Stephen Leepile
3rd	:	146 points:	Tracy Fletcher
2nd	:	163 points:	Kristy Glass
1st	:	170 points:	Pamela Schreiber



Wendy Stevens

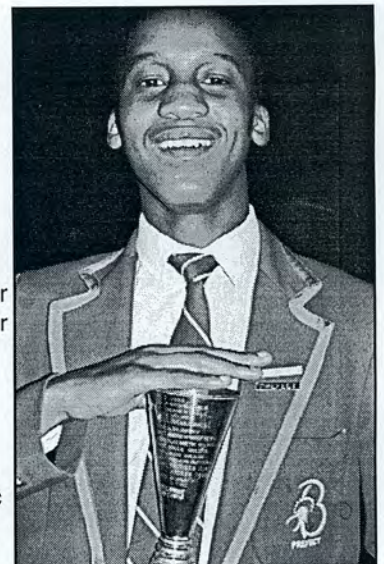


Vicky Louw

26. Sportsman of the Year Award:
The talented young gentleman who is to receive the trophy for sportsman of the year obtained full colours in a number of areas, namely cross country, swimming, athletics and rugby. His dedication and tenacity was an inspiration to his fellow pupils. Well done and congratulations to **Renton Haskell**.

27. Sportswoman of the Year Award:
The award for sportswoman of the year goes to a young lady who obtained full colours for hockey. She played in the Gauteng Winter Games Team and was awarded the trophy for the best player for the festival. She obtained full colours for hockey umpiring and has Provincial Grading Level II. She also has full colours for Squash and her contribution to Tennis was considerable. Congratulations to **Wendy Stevens**.

28. Round Table Award- for Service
This service award goes to an exceptionally talented young lady who excelled on the stage and who gave unselfishly of her time to promoting dramatics and public speaking in the school in general. As Vice Chairperson of the S R C in 1997 she fulfilled her duties with enthusiasm and total commitment. For five years of dedication and service to Bryanston High School, congratulations to **Tracy Fletcher**.



Steven Leepile

29. Lion's International
This award goes to a young man for his total commitment, his desire to be of service to others and for his extreme dedication to the maintenance of his qualifications in order that he could provide the most effective service possible. For all his time and effort in First Aid, congratulations to **Simon Masemola**.
30. Silver Medallion - Service Award - Girls: For the leadership she has given to the school, this award is made to our Deputy Head Girl - **Danielle David**.
31. Silver Medallion - Service Award - Boys: For the leadership he has given to the school this award is made to our Deputy Head Boy - **Rory Smith**.
32. Welsh Cup - Dux Leadership Award - Girls: This award is made for the highest leadership position for girls in the school - to our Head Girl - **Samantha Barichiev**.
33. Welsh Cup - Dux Leadership Award - Boys: This award is made for the highest leadership position held by a boy in the school - to our Head Boy - **Grant Ansell**.
34. Cum Laude Awards:
The criterion for this award is the achievement of academic colours for five successive years. These recipients will receive a gold medal.
Congratulations to
Lara Stirton
Samantha Barichiev
Melanie Mulder
Grant Ansell
Danielle David
35. 100% Attendance: For full attendance throughout her entire school career, **Julie Corbett** receives this special award.
36. Esprit de Corps Trophy:
This award is decided on by the Grade 12 pupils themselves. It is presented to the Senior pupil, who, in the opinion of his or her peers, best epitomises the spirit or "esprit de corps" at Bryanston High School by virtue of his or her commitment to the motto "one for all, all for one".
Girl: **Danielle David**
Boy: **Grant Ansell**
37. **Special Awards:**

Prefects' Trophy:
This award goes to a very modest, yet extremely dedicated prefect. Throughout the year he has timeously gone about his duties, performing in his leadership role in such a way that he is respected and admired by prefects and fellow pupils alike. His reliability in any situation is what has distinguished himself as a prefect with only the good of Bryanston High in mind. It is therefore our pleasure to present Michael Zinn with this year's Prefect Award.
38. Headmaster's Award
The 1998 award goes to a pupil whose involvement in the affairs and concerns of Bryanston High encompasses sport and cultural activities. The recipient has been uncompromising in his dedication to the achievement of excellence and to the fulfilment of his responsibilities. His positive influence has provided a clear statement of integrity in a time of blurred values. He embodies the energy, values and character which our current society needs to build a future for all its citizens.
The recipient is **Stephen Leepile**.
39. White Honours Blazers:
We have always encouraged pupils at Bryanston High School to be fully involved in the activities which are offered by this institution.
1. A certain young man was very reluctant to change high schools a few years ago but once he arrived here, he learnt to love Bryanston High. During 1998 he was at school for most of the day since he was involved on the sportsfields in the afternoons and dramatics in the evenings. Without reservation, he was awarded full colours for his excellence and expertise in the fields of Cross Country, Athletics, Dramatics and First Aid and is now a most worthy recipient of a white honours blazer.
Congratulations to **Simon Masemola**.

2. Another young gentleman also excelled on the sportsfield as a rugby player and is an outstanding athlete. We will never forget the expression on his face as he ran past the supporters on the stand at the Inter High A League Athletics meeting. He received full colours for rugby and athletics and for prefectship and was awarded full colours for dramatics at the matrics final assembly.

Congratulations to **Oba Masenamela**.

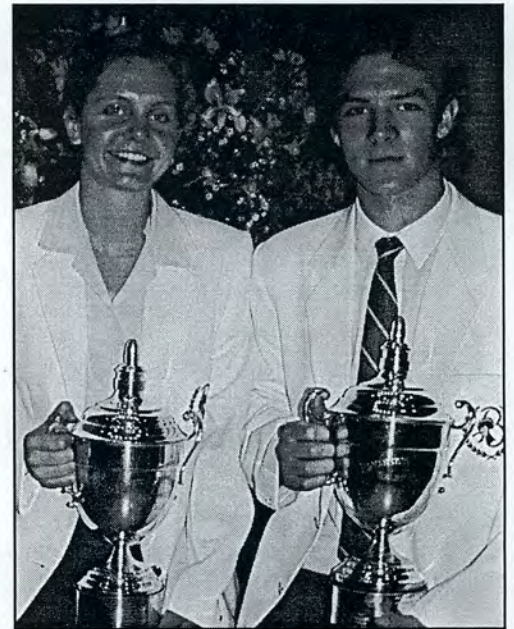
3. A young lady obtained four full colour awards during 1998. As a dedicated academic, she has excelled in the classroom and received full colours this evening. She won the Senior Best Speakers competition and has been involved in the Rhetoric Society and in Dramatics for the past five years. She has full colours in these two activities. As a prefect, she led by her example and assumed a very strong leadership position. Once again, we have an exceptionally worthy recipient of the white honours blazer.

Congratulations to **Tracy Fletcher**

4. Besides holding the highest position in the school that a young lady could possibly occupy, this young lady has Netball colours for excellence on the netball court. This evening she was awarded full colours for academics. She has devoted a tremendous amount of time to dramatics and at the end of last term was awarded full colours in this field. On Tuesday evening she received the trophy for her overall contribution to dramatics.

Congratulation to our Head Girl **Samantha Barichiev**.

5. As if it is not enough already to have received a white blazer in June, there is a young gentleman who has earned a re-award. This is a truly remarkable achievement. For his full colours in Swimming, Rugby, Academics and Prefectship, we make the final award to our Head Boy **Grant Ansell**.



Samantha Barichiev and Grant Ansell



White Blazers



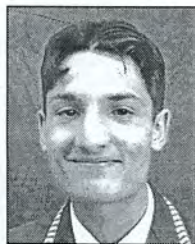
Matric Valediction - Smiles all around !



*Trying out their new prefect-monitor duties:
Brett Raymond, Andrew Kietzman and Rosco Millar*

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FAREWELL



Roberto Alunni
Mercury - Cricket U14B, U15B, U16B, 3rd Team; Rugby U14C, U15B, U16B, 3rd Team;

Athletics Gr 11, Team colours; Badminton Gr 8; History Olympiad Gr 12; Academic Colours Gr 11; Top Twenty Gr 11



Bronwyn Anderson
Neptune - Vice Class Captain Gr 8, Class Captain Gr 9, Class Captain Gr 11; U14B Netball captain, U15B Netball captain;

Secretary SRC 1997, Chairlady of SRC 1998; Major Production Gr 8, 9, 10 and 12, Inter-high dance Gr 9, 10 and 11, 2nd place in Gr 10 and 11; Matricdance committee; Houseplays Gr 8 - 12; Talent Show Gr 8, Gr 9 second place for dance, Gr 10 third place for dance; Eisteddfod Gr 10 poetry silver certificate; Drama committee secretary - 1997, 1998 head of dance; RAPS special mention 1996; Service Award for Netball 1998; Rhetoric and public speaking, team colours 1997 and 1998; Dramatic team colours, 1997; Prefect



Grant Ansell
Apollo - Swimming A team from Gr 8 - 12; Rugby A team from Gr 8 - 10, 1st team from Gr 11 - 12; Athletics

A team Gr 10; Class Captain Gr 9, Vice Class Captain Gr 10 and 11; Swimming A Captain Gr 12; SRC Chairman Gr 11; Governing Body representative Gr 11; MDC Chairman Gr 11; Head prefect; Academic Full Colours Gr 8 - 12; Athletics Team Colours Gr 10; Swimming Merit Awards Gr 8 - 9, Best junior boy Gr 8, Team Colours, Full Colours Gr 10 - 12, Provincial Colours Gr 8 - 12 Nationals Currie Cup Colours Gr 11 - 12, S.A. Record swimming Gr 11, School records Gr 8 - 12 (Breastroke); Rugby Team Colours (1st team) Gr 11 - 12, Full Colours (1st team) Gr 12, Most improved player Gr 10; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Honours Gr 12; Backstage Houseplays, House dances, Apollo House Committee, Compère Miss Elegance and Miss Pizzaz.



Kim Baker
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 12 (3rd team); Squash Gr 8 - 12 (2nd team); Netball Gr 8 U14C; House Plays Gr 11 and

12; Eisteddfod Gr 11; Charity Committee Gr 11; House Committee; Major Production Gr 11; Inter-house dances Gr 11; Drama team colours Gr 11, Academic Colours Gr 10, 11, 12; Top Twenty Gr 10, 11, 12; Maths Olympiad Gr 11; Tutoring Gr 11



Michelle Barclay
Apollo - House plays; Netball Gr 8 - 12 Open B Captain, Best shooter award 1998, Transnet

netball team; Hockey; Swimming Gr 8 - 12; Cultural, Eisteddfod, Gold certificates Gr 8 - 12, public speaking Gr 8, A.C.T.S. (SCA) committee member, Major production, Front of house Gr 10 and 11; Cheerleader 1998; Class captain 1998

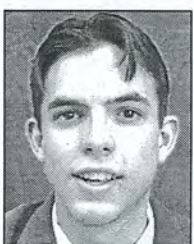


Audrey Kgotoleng Barei
Neptune - Netball Gr 11



Samantha Barichiev
Neptune - House Captain Gr 12; Athletics Gr 8 and 9 and Inter-house Gr 8 - 10; Netball Gr 8 - 12 (Open A);

Cultural, House plays Gr 8 - 12 Junior and Senior, Interhigh Dancing Gr 8 - 10, Talent Show Gr 8 - 11, Major Production Gr 8 - 12,, Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12, R.A.P.S. Gr 8 - 11, Cultural Dinner Gr 10 - 12, Miss Elegance And Pizzaz Gr 8 - 12, M.D.C. Gr 11, Drama Committee Gr 11 - 12; Vice Class Captain Gr 9, Vice Captain Open A netball, Vice Chairperson Drama Committee (Gr 11), Chairperson Drama Committee (Gr 12), Gold Certificates Eisteddfod; Full Colours Netball, Dramatics, Academic, Prefectship; Netball half colours Gr 11, Full Colours Gr 12; Drama Full Colours Gr 10 - 12; Academic Full Colours Gr 8 - 12; Head Prefect; Spirit Trophy (Netball) Gr 12; Acutt Trophy (Best Dancer) Gr 11

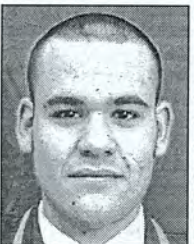


Justin Bate
Apollo - Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Swimming Gr 8; Tennis Gr 9



Samantha Bunting
Apollo - Eosteddfod Gr 8 and 9; Hockey Gr 8 - 10; Netball Gr 8; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 and 9; Inter-class

Dancing Gr 8, 9 and 10; Cross Country Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10 and 11; Inter-High dances Gr 11; Cheerleading Gr 12; Half Academic colours



Daniel Cabral
Apollo - Athletics Gr 9 - 11, Inter-house Gr 9 - 11; Rugby Gr 8 - 12 (1st team) Vice Captain; Cultural

Major Production Gr 9 - 12, R.A.P.S. Gr 11 - 12, House Plays Gr 8 - 12; Talent Show Gr 8 - 12, Best Supporting Actor 1997, Best Actor 1998; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12 4 x Gold Certificates; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11; Tennis Gr 10 - 12 (2nd Team) vice captain; Chess 1st team 1996; Hoopoe Award 1995, 1996 and 1997; S.R.C. 1997 - 1998; Governing Body 1998; Inter-High Dance Gr 10; Discipline Committee 1998; Rugby team colours and Full Colours 1997 and 1998; Dramatics Half Colours 1996, Full Colours 1997 and 1998; Prefect



David Campey
Apollo - Chess Gr 10 - 12 (1st team); Hockey Gr 10 - 11 (U16B); Rugby Gr 10 (3rd team);

Maths Olympiad Gr 10 - 12; Science Olympiad Gr 11; English Olympiad Gr 11; Major Productions Gr 10 - 11; Eisteddfod Gr 11 Silver and Gold; Athletics Gr 11; Academic Full Colours x 2; Dramatics Half Colours; First Aid Half Colours; Athletics Team Colours; Top 20 presently; Hoopoe Award Gr 10 and 11; Interact Gr 10 and 11, Committee, P.R.; S.C.A. Gr 10 - 12 Committee; Public Speaking Gr 10; Sergio Maths Computer Tutoring Gr 10



Taryn Cassidy
Jupiter - Badminton Gr 9 and 12; Lighting and Sound Crew Gr 9 - 12, Captain Gr 11 and 12; Team

Colours for Drama Gr 11 and 12; Best Technical Management Trophy Gr 11 and 12; Acted in House Plays Gr 10; R.A.P.S. Gr 9 and 11



Shannon Cawood
Jupiter - Athletics Gr 8; Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Junior Poetry Award winner; Junior Essay Award

Winner; English Olympiad Award Gr 12



Richard Chapman
Mercury - Rugby Gr 9 - 11; Hockey Gr 8; Squash Gr 12; Cricket Gr 8 - 12; Talent Shows Gr 9 - 11; House

Plays Gr 9 - 12; Class Captain Gr 11 and 12; English Olympiad; Best Actor (House Plays); Inter-house Swimming and Athletics

Hung-Chieh Chen Jupiter - Rugby Gr 8, A Team



Maurice Chirwa
Mercury - Athletics Gr 10; Rugby 3rd Team Gr 10



Daniela Cloete
Jupiter - Netball Gr 8 - 11, U15 Captain, U17 Vice-Captain; Inter-High Dancing Gr 11; Talent

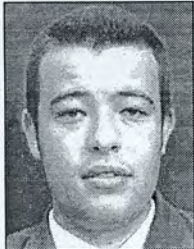
Show Gr 11; Cheerleader Gr 11; Debutante Gr 112; Miss Elegance Gr 11

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Julie Corbett
Neptune - Wildlife Club Gr 8 - 12; Hockey Gr 8; Netball Gr 9 - 11; Inter-High Dancing Gr 9 - 11;

Athletics Gr 9 - 12, Team Colours Gr 10 and 11; Cross Country Gr 8 - 12, Team Colours Gr 10, 11 and 12; Debs Ball Gr 12; Midmar Mile Gr 10 - 12; Inter-House Plays Gr 9 and 12; School Choir Gr 10; Miss Pizazz and Miss Elegance Gr 8 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8 and 9; House Committee Gr 12; Top Twenty for Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 10



Anthony Cox
Neptune - Shooting Gr 11 and 12 2nd Team



Kathryn Cronje
Apollo - Swimming Gr 8 - 12, Provincial Swimming Team Gr 8 - 12, Swimming A Team Captain,

Merit Certificate for Swimming Gr 8 and 9, Full team colours Gr 10 - 12, Most promise Junior swimmer Gr 8, Gr 9 - 10 Junior individual Medley, Gr 9 - 10 Junior Vitrix Notations, Gr 11 - 12 Senior Individual Medley and Senior Vitrix Notations; Netball Gr 8 - 12, Vice Captain A team, Half Team Colours Gr 12; Athletics Gr 10, Team Colours Gr 10; Major Production Gr 12; RAPS Gr 11; Eisteddfod Gr 11; House plays Gr 8 - 12, Drama Course work Gr 10; M.D.C. member; Afrikaans Olympiad; Top 20 Gr 8 - 11; Hoopoe Award Gr 11; House Committee Member Gr 12



Chantal Darkes
Apollo



Grahame Diedericks
Apollo



Danielle David
Apollo - Netball Gr 8 - 12 (Captain); Athletics Gr 8 - 12 Vice Captain Gr 11, Captain Gr 12;

Swimming Gr 10 - 12 Captain B Team; Apollo House Committee Gr 11 and 12 Captain Apollo Gr 12; Class captain Gr 8, 10 and 11; Miss Elegance Gr 10 and Gr 12; M.D.C. Gr 11; Apollo Inter-house Dance Gr 11 and 12, Apollo Backstage Gr 9; Vice Head Prefect; Eisteddfod Gr 9 and 10 (Poetry); Debs Ball Gr 12; Talent Show, Dance Gr 10, Academic Full Colours Gr 8 - 11; Athletics Merit Award Gr 9, Full Colours Gr 10 and 11, Victrix Ladorum Gr 11; Swimming team Colours Gr 12; Netball Half Colours Gr 12, Most Improved Player Gr 12; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Hoopoe Award Gr 10



Carolyn Davies
Mercury - Hockey Gr 8 - 9; Netball Gr 10; Squash Gr 8 - 12 Captain U 14; Badminton Gr 11 2nd team

Captain; Inter-House Squash Gr 8 - 12; Inter-House Badminton Gr 11 - 12; Miss Elegance Gr 10 - 11; Debs Ball Gr 12; Colours; Top Twenty



José David de Franca
Neptune - Cricket Gr 9 and 10; Rugby Gr 10 - 12; Debating Gr 10 - 12; Public Speaking and Senior

Debating Gr 10 - 12; Inter-House Rugby Gr 11; Chess Gr 11 - 12; Maths Olympiad Gr 11; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 11; English Olympiad Gr 12 top 4%; Academic Half Colours; Top Twenty Gr 11 and Gr 12;



Sarah Doyle
Neptune - Inter-schools Horse Show Gr 9 and 11; Eisteddfod (Afrikaans) Gr 8; Inter-house

Cross Country Gr 8 - 12; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 9



Nombulelo Dubasi
Mercury - Netball, S. Gauteng Team Full Colours, Team Colours Gr 11 and 12, Inter-House

Netball; Athletics U17, Inter-House Athletics Gr 11 and 12, House Committee Athletics Gr 10 - 12; Talent Show 2nd Gr 8 - 10; Cheerleading Squad Gr 9 - 10; Major Production Gr 11; Class Captain Gr 12



Mbulelo Dubasi
Mercury - Rugby Gr 10 and 11; Athletics Gr 10 - 12; Crickety Gr 10



Michelle Du Plooy
Apollo - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Swimming B Team Gr 10; Badminton Gr 10 and 11; R.A.P.S.;

House Plays Gr 8 - 12; Major Production Gr 9 - 11; Talent Show Gr 12; Tennis; Inter-House Swimming Gr 9 - 11; Inter-house Athletics Gr 9, 10 and 12; Eisteddfod Gr 10 and 11; Olympiads for Afrikaans and History; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10; Academic Colours Gr 9 and 11; Dramatics Team Colours; S.R.C.; Top Twenty; Best House Play Production 1997; Best set design (R.A.P.S.) 1997; Afrikaans Olympiad (78%)



Vanessa Duma
Apollo



Gregg Du Toit
Mercury - House Committee; House Plays (Backstage) Gr 8 - 10; Rugby 1st XV; Swimming A

Team; Tennis Gr 8; Interhouse Dancing



Kirsten Edwards
Apollo - Netball First Team; Tennis Gr 8 - 10; Major Production Gr 9; R.A.P.S. Gr 10 - 12;

Eisteddfod Gr 11 - 12; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11; Inter-house Netball Gr 8 - 12, First Team Captain Gr 12, Full Colours Gr 10 - 12; Academic Full Colours Gr 8 - 10; Drama Half Colours Gr 11; Gr 11 Vice Captain; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 11; South Gauteng U16 A Netball Team, South Gauteng U19 Netball Squad; Hoopoe Award Gr 10 - 11; Apollo Vice Captain Gr 12; Miss Elegance Gr 10 - 12; Inter-house Athletics Gr 8 - 12; Prefect



Linda Eggers
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 12 4th team; Director of Senior House Play Gr 12; Debutantes

Gr 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12; House Play - Front of House Gr 11; Major Production - Front of House Gr 11; Miss Elegance Gr 11 - 12; Dramatics Course work Gr 11



Joanne Farrell
Apollo - Hockey Gr 8 - 10; Swimming Gr 8 - 12; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 8 - 12;

Netball Gr 8; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9; Pottery Club Gr 9; Badminton Gr 10; Interact Gr 11; First Aid Course Gr 11; Debutante Gr 12



Bradley Fensham
Neptune - Tennis Gr 8 - 10

Victoria Fleming Jupiter

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F A R E W E L L



Nicola Ferrar
Apollo - Netball Gr 8 - 10; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8; Public Speaking Gr 8; Inter-class dancing Gr 8, 9 and 10;

Athletics Gr 9 - 11; Hockey Gr 10 - 12; Talent Show Gr 10; Gym Display Gr 11; Miss Elegance Gr 11 and 12; Eisteddfod; Class Captain; Vice Class Captain; Prefect; Vice Captain of First Team Hockey Gr 12; Captain U14A and U15A Netball; Academic Colours and Top Twenty; Umpiring Hockey Full Colours; Hockey Team Colours; Athletics Half and Team Colours



Tracy Fletcher
Apollo - Athletics Gr 8 - 11; Hockey Gr 8 - 9; Netball Gr 10 and 11 (captain); Squash Gr 8 - 11; Cross

Country Gr 9 - 11; Life Saving Certificate Gr 11; Drama Gr 8 - 12, House Plays Gr 8 - 12, Best Supporting Actress Gr 8 and 9, Best Actress Gr 11 and 12, Director Gr 11, Awarded Best Properties and Decor, Best Publicity; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12, 4 Diplomas, 12 Gold, 1 Silver, Most Promising Actress Gr 8, Merit Award Gr 9; R.A.P.S. Gr 8 - 12; Merit Award for acting Gr 8 - 11; Trophy for Most Artistic Poster Gr 11; Rhetoric Gr 8 - 12; Public Speaking Festival Gr 8 - 12; Drama Course Work Gr 8 - 11; Newspaper Gr 8 - 10; Drama Committee Gr 10 - 12; Choir Gr 11; Interact Gr 8; Major Production Lead Role Gr 11 and 12; Backstage, ushering Gr 8 and 9; Talent Show Gr 8 - 12; Cultural Play Festival Gr 12; Miss Elegance Gr 10 - 12; Trophy for overall Best Actress Gr 11; Prefect; Chairlady of Students Representative Council Gr 11; Chairlady of Charity Committee Gr 11; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11 - awarded most hard working; House Committee Gr 10 and 11; Full Colours Dramatics Gr 11; Team Colours Cross Country Gr 11; Team Colours Rhetoric Gr 11 and 12; Full Colours Academic Gr 9 - 11; Senior Best Speaker Gr 12; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 11; 2nd in participation Gr 10 and 11; First in Art Gr 8 - 11; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 9 - 12; English Olympiad Gr 10; Won National Poetry Competition Gr 9; Prefect; Strategic Planning Gr 11



Diana Forsyth
Apollo - Swimming Gr 8 - 12; Social Squash Gr 9; Beginners Hockey Gr 8; Netball Gr 11; Miss Elegance Gr

10; Talent Show 2nd Place Gr 10; Captain U17C Netball Team



Samantha Foxon
Jupiter - Netball Gr 10 and 11; Miss Elegance Gr 11



Candice Fraser
Apollo - Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Team Colours Gr 10 - 11, Hockey umpiring Team Colours Gr

10, Umpiring full Colours Gr 11 - 12; ; Squash Gr 8 - 12; Netball Gr 8; Drama Gr 8 - 12 Drama Committee Gr 11 and 12; R.A.P.S. Gr 9 - 12; Hockey umpiring Gr 10 - 12; Inter-house Swimming Gr 10 - 12; Inter-house Athletics Gr 8; Inter-house Plays Gr 8 - 12, Miss Pizzaz Gr 8; Interact Club Gr 8 - 9; Debutante of 1998; Prop painting Gr 8 - 11; Eisteddfod Gr 8 and 12; General Knowledge Olympiad Gr 11; Talent Show Gr 9 and 12; Inter-house Cross Country Gr 8 - 12; First Team Hockey Gr 10 - 11; House Committee; S.R.C. Gr 11; Head of Props Gr 11; Best Make-up for House Plays and R.A.P.S.; Gold certificate Afrikaans Eisteddfod Gr 8; Stafford Trophy Gr 10; Most Promising Umpire Trophy Gr 11; Trophy for Dedication Gr 12



Neil Frost
Mercury - Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Cricket Gr 8 - 10 (Vice Captain U15B); Inter-house Cross Country Gr 8 and 9



Jason Geldmacher
Jupiter - Swimming Gr 8; Rugby Gr 8 - 10



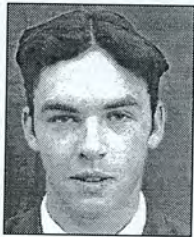
Craig Fuchs
Neptune - Cricket Gr 10 - 12 (Vice Captain) Captain District D' Team Gr 12; Hockey Gr 10 - 12 (Captain 1st Team) Team

Colours; Tennis Gr 10; Golf Gr 12; Rugby Gr 12; House Plays, Props Major Production Gr 12, Backstage Gr 12, House Committee Gr 11 and 12; S.R.C. Gr 12; Vice Class Captain Gr 10;



Kristy Glass
Mercury - Swimming Gr 8 - 12 B Team, Inter-house Swimming Gr 8 - 12; Squash 1st Team Gr 8 - 12, Inter-

house Squash Gr 8 - 12, Squash Half Colours Gr 11, Squash Full Colours Gr 12, School Captain; Athletics 1st Team Gr 8 - 12, Inter-house Athletics Gr 8 - 12, Athletics Team Colours Gr 11 and 12; Hockey Gr 8 - 12 1st Team, Inter-house Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Hockey umpiring Gr 12, 2nd Team Vice Captain, Hockey team Colours Gr 12, Hockey Umpiring Half Colours, Pat Deacon Award, Indoor Hockey Gr 11; Cross Country Gr 10 and 12; Eisteddfod Gr 10; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10, 11 and 12; Inter-house Badminton Gr 12; Inter-schools Horse Riding Gr 10; Cheerleader Gr 12; House Plays Gr 12; Major Production Gr 10 - 12; Debutante Gr 12; Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 12; Class Captain Gr 12; Mercury House Committee Gr 12; Propos Painting - Major Production



Nick Goodyear
Apollo - Rugby Gr 8 - 10



Colleen Gordon
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Interact Gr 8 - 11; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 8 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8; Debating Gr

8; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9; Drama Workshop Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10; English tutor Gr 11; Debutantes Gr 12; Inter-House Plays Gr 12; Academic Colours Gr 8 - 11; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 11; Top 11 in Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 11; First in Afrikaans Eisteddfod (Choral verse)



Tracey Gould
Jupiter - Swimming A Team Gr 10 - 12, Team Colours; Tennis Gr 9 - 11; Netball Gr 9 - 11; Matric

Dance Committee; Major Production Gr 12; House Plays Gr 11 and 12; Miss Elegance Gr 10; Drama Course Work Gr 10; Front of House for House Plays Gr 9 - 11; R.A.P.S. Gr 11; Backstage Gr 11; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 11; Hoopoe Award Gr 9 - 11



Vicky Greeff
Jupiter - Pony Club for Dressage and Equitation Gr 8; Regional Equestrian

Colours for dressage and show jumping Gr 10; Athletics Gr 11; Inter-high Horse Riding Gr 11; Eisteddfod Gr 11; Talent Show Gr 11; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 12



Philippa Gregory
Mercury - Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Most promising player Gr 9, Team Colours, Half Colours, Full

Colours, U16 Gauteng Hockey Gr 10 & 11, U18 Gauteng Hockey Gr 12, School Captain; Indoor Hockey Gr 9 - 11, First Team; Hockey Umpiring Gr 12, Half Colours; Squash Gr 10 - 12, U15A Captain, U16A Captain, 2nd Team Captain; Swimming Gr 10B Team, Midmar Mile Gr 10 & 11; Athletics Gr 10, Team Colours; Netball Gr 8, U18A Team, Vice Captain; Vice Class Captain Gr 8; Cheerleading Gr 12; Drama Gr 9 - 11, Talent Show, House Plays, Half Colours, Inter-house dances Gr 11 & 12, First Places; Charity Committee Gr 11; Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 11; Eisteddfod Gr 11, Gold Certificate; Rhetoric Gr 12, Runner up for Best Speakers; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11; Debutante Gr 12; House Committee Gr 9 - 12, House Captain; Prefect



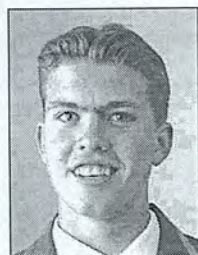
George Halkias
Mercury - Badminton Gr 11 - 12, Team Colours Gr 12, Vice-Captain Gr 11

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Matthew Lloyd Harding
Neptune - Cricket Gr 8 - 12; Rugby Gr 8 - 10, Most Improved Player Gr 8; House

Cricket Gr 8 - 12; House Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Swimming Gr 8 and 9 2nd Team



Douglas Hardres-Williams
Neptune - Cricket Gr 8 - 12 (1st Vice Captain); Athletics Gr 9 - 12; Cross Country Gr

10 - 12; House Cricket Gr 8 - 12; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 8 - 12; Inter-house Athletics Gr 8 - 12; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11; Academic Colours; Top Twenty Gr 9 and 10; Cricket Team Colours, Full Colours and Coaches Award; Athletics Half Colours; Cross Country Team Colours; Class Captain Gr 8; Vice Class Captain Gr 9; Prefect



Dominique Hare
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Squash U16; Eisteddfod Gr 8; Debutante Gr 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr 10

and 11; Miss Elegance Gr 11



Leandra Harrison
Mercury - Athletics Gr 8 - 12, Inter-house Athletics Gr 8 - 12; Swimming Gr 10 - 12, Inter-house Swimming

Gr 8 - 12; Netball Gr 9 - 10; Half Colours for Academics Gr 11; Top 20 in Academics in Gr 12; South African Tumbling, Senior Protea Colours for Tumbling in 1996 - 1998, S.A. Champion



Bruce Hatherell
Neptune - Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Squash Gr 10 - 12



Renton Haskell
Apollo - Swimming Gr 8 - 12, Full Colours for Swimming; Rugby Gr 8 - 12, Full Colours Gr

12; Athletics Gr 8 - 12, 800m Trophy Gr 12, Full Colours Gr 12; Tennis Gr 10 - 12; Class Captain Gr 8; Class Captain Gr 11; Prefect; Honours Blazer Gr 12



Nicola Heuer
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Swimming Gr 8 - 10; Miss Elegance Top 20 Gr 11; Midmar

Mile Gr 9 - 11; 5th Debutante Gr 12



Nicola Heaver
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8; Squash Social Gr 9; Netball Gr 8 - 12, Vice Captain U16B; Swimming Gr 8 - 10

Talent Show Gr 10 2nd Place, Gr 11; House Dance Gr 12; Class Captain Gr 12; Top Twenty Gr 8 and 9; Academic Colours and Top Twenty Gr 11



Melanie Hider
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 12 2nd Team Captain, Most improved Hockey

Player in Gr 12; Squash Gr 11 and 12; Tennis Gr 8 - 10; Athletics Gr 11; House Plays Grade 8 - 12; Member of Charity Committee; Neptune Vice Captain; Matric Dance Committee Member; Prefect; Academic Colours Gr 10 - 11; Award for best Poster Design (1997 Major Production)



Lee Hitge
Apollo - Netball Gr 8 - 11; Hoopoe Award Gr 10; Athletics Gr 8 - 10; Badminton

Gr 10; Dramatics Gr 10 - 12, Team Colours



Thamar Houliston
Mercury - Drama Gr 11; Hockey Gr 8 - 12; Athletics Gr 11; Swimming Gr 8 - 12; S.C.A.

Committee Gr 11 and 12; Talent Show; Eisteddfod Gr 11 and 12; Inter-House Hockey; Inter-House Dancing; Inter-House Athletics; Inter-House Cross Country; Team Colours for Athletics; Afrikaans Olympiad 78%; Hoopoe Award Gr 11



Duane Tristan Houeld
Jupiter - Cross Country Gr 11



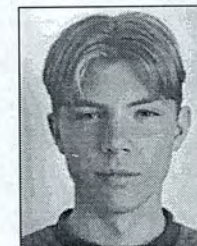
Cleona Ilett
Jupiter - House Captain; Hockey Gr 8 - 12; Athletics Gr 8 - 11; House Plays Back Stage Gr 12; Class Captain for

Gr 12; House Committee Gr 10 and 11; Team Colours for Athletics Gr 10 and 11



Danielle James
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 - 9; Drama Gr 8; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 9 Gold; Squash Gr 10; First Aid

Gr 11; Wildlife Gr 11 - 12 Vice President; Debutante Gr 12; Cheerleader Gr 12; Half Colours Academic; Team Colours First Aid; Hoopoe Award Gr 8



Vincent Janse van Rensburg
Apollo - Vice Class Captain Gr 10; Cricket Gr 10; 1st Team Shooting Gr 11 - 12, Captain; 4th

Place in First Aid Competition; Full Colours for Shooting Gr 12; Team Colours First Aid Gr 11; Transvaal Practice Group - Shooting



Robert Jansen Van Vuuren
Apollo



Alex Joell
Apollo - Rugby Gr 10 and 11; Athletics Gr 10 - 12 1st Team; President of the Wildlife Club for Gr 11 and 12; Apollo



Kerry-Anne Stewart Jones
Apollo - Tennis Gr 8 - 12; Hockey Gr 10 - 12; Badminton Gr 10 - 12; Debs Ball

Gr 10 - 12; Eisteddfod Dancing Gr 10; Indoor Hockey Gr 11; Netball Gr 8 and 9a; Tennis Captain, Team Colours and Half Colours; Badminton Vice Captain, Team Colours and Half Colours; Trophy for Most Improved Senior Player for Hockey Gr 11



Ray Jones
Neptune - Squash Gr 9 - 12 2nd Team; Swimming Gr 11 - 12 2nd Team; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 11; Vice

Class Captain; Best Stage Management for Neptune Junior House Plays



Kristian Jung
Neptune - Cross Country; Cricket; Dramatics; Hockey; Prop Painting; Olympiad;

Backstage; Eisteddfod; Class Captain Gr 8; S.R.C. Gr 12

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Olivia Kilian
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Captain Gr 12; Athletics Gr 11, Team Colours, Inter-House Athletics Gr

8 - 11; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 8 - 12; House Committee Gr 12; Vice Class Captain Gr 12; S.R.C. Gr 11 - 12; Charity Committee Gr 11; A.C.T.S. Gr 8 - 12; Debutantes; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 - 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10 and 12; Major Production Gr 8; Front of House Gr 9 - 12; Inter-House Plays Gr 8 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12; English Olympiad Gr 12; Talent Show Gr 8 - 11; 1st Princess Miss Elegance Gr 12; Team Colours Drama



Claire Kruuse
Mercury - Athletics Gr 8 - 12, Inter-House Athletics, Team colours Gr 11; Swimming; Hockey Gr 10 - 12;

Cross Country, Team Colours Cross Country Gr 11 - 12; Inter-Schools Dancing; Major Production make-up Gr 8 - 12; Front of House Gr 8 - 12; Inter-House Dancing Gr 11; House Plays backstage Gr 8 - 12; Eisteddfod Announcing Gr 10 - 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 - 10; Miss Elegance Gr 11 - 12; House Committee Gr 9 - 12; Class Captain Gr 10; Charity Committee Gr 11; A.C.T.S. Gr 9 - 12

Nobantu Kubeka Mercury - Athletics Gr 11; Hockey Gr 8 - 10; Cultural Evening Gr 10; Talent Show Gr 8 - 11; Choir Gr 10; Interact Club Gr 10



Atupele Timothy Kumwembe
Jupiter - Swimming Gr 11 and 12, Inter-House; Inter-House Athletics Gr 12



Zenele Kunene
Mercury - Cultural Dance Gr 10 (Silver Certificate); Interact Gr 10 and 11; Acts Gr 11 and 12; Inter-High

Dance Gr 10; Cross Country Gr 10



Francis Kwei
Mercury - Eisteddfod Gr 11 and 12; Badminton Gr 11 and 12, Team Colours, Inter-House

Badminton; Major Production Gr 12; Inter-House Play Gr 12; First Aid Gr 12; Full Academic Colours Gr 10 and 11; Top 20 Gr 10 - 12; First Aid Level 1 Certificate; Top in Mathematics Gr 10 and 11



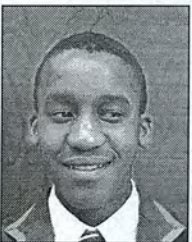
Rob Labuschagne
Mercury - Rugby Gr 8 - 10 2nd Team; Cricket Gr 8 - 9; Talent Show Gr 9



Kim Langerman
Neptune - Netball A team Gr 10 - 12, Awarded South Gauteng Second Team Netball

finalist (Junior Championships)aaa; Inter-House Swimming in Gr 12; Inter-High Dancing Gr 10 and 11; Inter-House Plays Gr 11 and 12

Justin Lawrance Apollo - Swimming Gr 8 - 12, Full Colours Gr 10 - 12, Vice Captain A Team, Victor Notationis Gr 10 - 12; Athletics Gr 8; Rugby Gr 8; Cross Country Gr 8



Stephen Leepile
Apollo - House Captain for Apollo; Rugby Gr 8 - 12; Dramatics Gr 8 - 12; Musical Gr 9

- 12; Debating Gr 9 - 12; Cross Country Gr 8 - 12, Team Colours, Half Colours; Talent Show Gr 9 - 11; Cheerleader Gr 12; M.D.C. Gr 11; Drama Committee Gr 11 - 12; Front of House for Fun Galore; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12, Silver; Badminton Gr 8; Prefect; Vice Class Captain; R.A.P. Best Actor 1995, Most Promising Actor 1995, Supporting Actor 1998; S.R.C. Gr 11; Athletics Gr 8 - 12; Northern Districts Cross Country 1998; Prestige Athletics 1997



Malampi Letoaba
Neptune - Netball Gr10; Talent Show

Brendon Lewis
Neptune



Scott Lindeque
Jupiter - Gauteng Polo Cross



Darryl Lindeque
Jupiter - Cricket Gr 8 - 12, Vice Captain, Team Colours for Cricket; Rugby Gr 10 and 11; Transvaal

Polocrosse Gr 8 - 12, Free State Open A Colours, South African U19 Team, South African Colours; Talent Show; Physical Education Display Gr 11

Sarah Louw Mercury - Rhetoric Gr 8 - 12; Dra-matics Gr 9 - 12,



M o s t Promising Junior Orator, Rhetoric Team Colours x 2, Dramatics H a l f Colours; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12, G o l d

Certificate; Athletics Gr 10, Team Colours; Wildlife Gr 8 - 12; Hockey Gr 8 - 9; Academic Colours X 2; Top Twenty Gr 9 - 12; Best History Student Gr 11; History Olympiad; Directed House Play Gr 11, Won Best House Play, Best Make-up, Best Costumes.; Vice Head Rhetoric; Secretary of S.R.C.; Member of Charity Committee; S.R.C.; Prefect

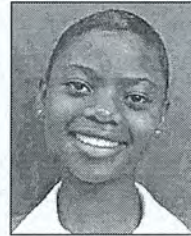


Vicky Louw
Mercury - Rhetoric Gr 8 - 12; Wildlife Gr 8 - 11; Drama Gr 8 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12; Talent Show Gr 11; H o u s e Plays Gr 11

and 12, Director; Hockey Gr 8; M.D. C. Gr 11; Charity Committee Gr 11; Young Historians Gr 11; History Olympiad Gr 12; Captain Wildlife Gr 10 - 11; Secretary Rhetoric; Head of Rhetoric; Academic Colours x 3; Rhetoric Team Colours x 2; Rhetoric Half Colours; Prefect; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Best Junior Orator; Best Junior Speaker; Merit Award for Rhetoric



Lomcebo Mahlangu
Apollo - Netball Gr 8 - 10



Lebohong Mahlase
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 - 12; Athletics Gr 11; Talent Show Gr 10; Cultural Evening Gr 9; Cheer-leading

Gr 12; Pat Deacon Trophy 1998



Brett Lyle Mahon
Mercury - Chess Gr 8 - 12, Captain 1998; Mintek Science Quiz;

Academic Colours Gr 10, 11, 12.



Maria Malakoane
Jupiter - Netball Gr 8 - 11, Vice Captain; Cultural Evening Gr 10; Talent Show Gr 9; Choir Gr 9;

Drama Gr 8



Candice Manson
Jupiter - Rhetoric Society Gr 8 - 10; First Aid Gr 10 - 12; Hockey Gr 8 - 10; Debutante Gr 12;

Cross Country Gr 11; Top 20 Gr 8 - 11; Academic Colours Gr 10 First Aid Level 1 and II Certificate Gr 10 and 11

Georgie Martini
Jupiter - Inter-Schools Horse Show Gr 8 and 10; Interact Gr 8 and 9; Talent Show Gr 9; Inter-Class Dance Gr 8 and 9; Transvaal Childrens Equestrian Team, Showing, Eventing and Dressage Gr 9

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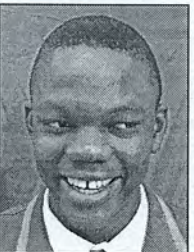
Alexandra Manson
Jupiter - Netball Gr 8 - 12, Captain Netball Gr 9; Squash friendly Gr 8 - 12; Drama House Plays

Gr 8 - 12; Major Production Gr 10; R.A.P.S. Gr 10 and 11; Academic Colours Gr 9; Dramatic Team Colours Gr 11; Hoopoe Award Gr 10; Top Twenty Gr 8 and 9



Sepheu Simon Masemola
Apollo - Cross Country Gr 9 - 12 Vice Captain 1997 and Captain 1998; Athletics Gr

9 - 12 800m and 1500m; Interact Gr 9 - 12, Committee Member, Public Relations 1995, President 1996, Vice President 1997; Dramatics Gr 9 - 12, Talent Show every year Eisteddfod 1996 - 1998, Major Production 1996 - 1998, Sound and Lighting 1995 - 1998; First Aid Gr 9 - 12



Obakeng Masenamela
Mercury - Cricket Gr 8 - 12 (First Team), Team Colours, Most Promising Cricketer U15; Rugby Gr 8 - 12

(First Team), Full Colours, Most Promising Rugby Player U14, Most Improved Rugby Player First Team; Athletics Gr 8 - 12 Half Colours; Dramatics Gr 9 - 12 (Major Production, Inter-house Plays, Dance), Full Colours, Best Actor of House Plays Gr 10 and 11; Eisteddfod, Best Actor Award Gr 11; House Captain of Mercury; M.D.C. Gr 11; Prefect Vice Class Captain Gr 11; R.A.P.S. backstage; Tennis 2nd Team



Lerato Mathibela
Neptune - Netball Gr 8 - 12, Full Colours, Captain Gr 8 - 10, Gr 11 Best Open B Player; Athletics Gr

8 - 10; Talent Show Gr 8 - 9; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 - 9; Major Production Gr 11; Cultural Evening Gr 8 - 9; Neptune House Committee; Cheerleading



Anita Mayne
Apollo - Tennis Gr 9 Squash Gr 10 - 12; Badminton Gr 11 and 12, Colours, Inter-House Badminton

Gr 11 and 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10 and 11; Debutantes Ball Gr 12; Best Overall Garment Gr 10 Home Economics



Samantha McCann
Mercury - Tennis Gr 8 - 12 (Second Team); Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Academic Colours in

Gr 9 and 11; Top Twenty in Grade 9 and from Gr 11 to 12; Certificate for Afrikaans Voorbereide Eksamen Gr 9



Chris Meer Neptune - Cricket 1st, Full and Half Colours, Best Cricketer of the Year Award; Hockey, Inter-House Hockey; Miss Elegance and Miss Pizzaz; House Plays; Inter-High Athletics;



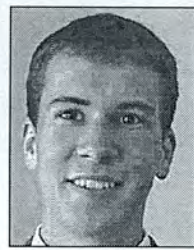
Kristy Merrifield
Jupiter - Afrikaans Eisteddfod, Gold Medal; Hockey Gr 8 - 12; First Aid Gr 8 and 11; Wildlife Gr 8 - 10; Talent

Show Gr 9; Public Speaking Gr 9; Major Production (Front of House) Gr 10; Pottery Gr 10; Drama Club Gr 11



Katherin Mills
Jupiter - Debating Gr 8; Drama Gr 8; Photographic Society Gr 8; Cricket Scoring Gr 9; Maths Olympiad

Gr 10; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 10 - 11; Cricket Gr 11; Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Squash Gr 8 - 12



David Moat
Mercury - Athletics Gr 10 - 12, Inter-House Athletics Gr 10 - 12; Swimming Gr 10 - 11 B Team, Inter-House

Swimming Gr 10 - 12; Major Production Gr 10 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 10 - 11 (Diploma in Gr 11); House Plays Gr 10 - 12; Squash Gr 10 - 11; Inter-House Dance Gr 12; KAPS Gr 11 (Lighting) Talent Show Gr 10 and 12; Drama Committee Gr 12, Half Colours Gr 10, Full Colours Gr 11; Class Captain Gr 10; Class Captain Gr 11; Prefect; Cheerleader



Lebohong Molokoane
Jupiter - Rugby Gr 8 - 12; Cricket Gr 8; Member of S.R.C.



Stuart Monaghan
Neptune - Cricket Gr 11; Hockey Gr 11 and 12, Most Dedicated Player Award, Full Colours



Taryn Moore
Mercury - Swimming Gr 8 - 10; Hockey Gr 8; Front of House Gr 11; Front of House Gr 12; Inter-

House Plays Gr 11; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 and 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10 - 12



Sam Moore
Neptune - Rhetoric Gr 8 - 12; Wildlife Gr 8 - 11; Tennis Gr 11; House Plays Gr 10 - 12, Director Gr 12;

Eisteddfod Gr 9 - 10; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 10 - 11; Debutante; Vice-Captain of Wildlife Gr 10; Academic Colours Gr 9 - 11; Top Twenty; Top Student in Accountancy Gr 8; Hoopoe Award for participation Gr 10; Merit Award for Rhetoric Gr 11



Nolene Morrison
Apollo - The Talent Show Gr 9; Hockey Gr 9 - 12, Indoor Hockey Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 12; Debs

Ball Gr 12; Eisteddfod Gr 9; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 9 - 12; Inter-House Hockey Gr 9 - 12



Innocentia Mosoeu
Mercury - Hockey Gr 8 - 10; Cultural Evening Gr 8 - 10; Talent Show Gr 8 - 10; Athletics Gr

8; Tennis Gr 8



Rose Mothapo
Apollo - Netball Gr 8 and 9; Tennis Gr 8; Athletics Gr 8; Certificate for Cultural Dance



Maieane Mphirima
Mercury - Rugby Gr 9 - 12



Mlungisi Mtsi
Neptune - Rugby Gr 8 - 12 (2nd Team); Chess Gr 8 - 10, Team Colours; Athletics Gr 8 - 11, Team Colours;



Kerry Müller
Apollo - Rhetoric Society Gr 8 - 12; First Aid Team Gr 10 - 12; Debutante Gr 12; Top Twenty Gr 8

- 10; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 11, A++ Symbol Poetry; Academic Colours Gr 9, Academic Half Colours Gr 11; 2nd Place Cooking Competition; Most Promising Junior Orator Gr 10; Hoopoe Award for Participation Points Gr 10; Level I Red Cross First Aid Certificate Gr 10, Level II Red Cross First Aid Certificate Gr 11; Class Captain Gr 11; Rhetoric Team Colours Gr 11, Service Award for Rhetoric Gr 11; First Aid Vice Captain Gr 12

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Melanie Mulder
Mercury - Hockey Gr 8 - 11, Indoor Hockey Gr 9; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr 8 and 9;

Class Captain Gr 9; Miss Elegance Gr 10; House Plays Gr 10 - 12; Inter-High Dance Gr 10 - 12; Cross Country Gr 11; Major Production Gr 11 - 12; Squash Gr 11 - 12; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11; R.A.P. Festival, Sound and Lighting Crew; Cheerleading; 1998 Mercury Vice Captain; Academic Full Colours Gr 8 - 11; Half Colours Dramatics Gr 11; Team Colours Cross Country Gr 11; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 11; Prefect; Honours Blazer



Deshni Naidoo
Apollo



Darren Napier
Jupiter - Rugby Gr 8 and 9; Cricket Gr 8 - 10; Cross Country Gr 8 - 11, Team Colours Gr 10; Athletics Gr 8 - 11,

Team Colours Gr 10; Vice Class Captain Gr 9 and 10; Class Captain Gr 11; S.R.C. Gr 11



Sergio Nunes
Apollo - Rugby Gr 11 and 12; Tennis Gr 12



Andrew Nutman
Neptune - Swimming Gr 10; Cricket Gr 12; Neptune House Committee Gr 11

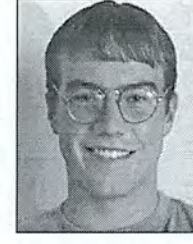


Rosalind O'Meara
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 12; Netball Gr 8; Athletics Gr 11; Cross Country Gr 11 and 12;

Cricket Scoring Gr 8 - 12; Miss Elegance Gr 11; Inter-House Dances Gr 11; Inter-High Dances Gr 11; Midmar Mile Gr 11 and 12; Debutantes Ball Gr 12; Maths Olympiad Gr 8 - 12; Accounts Olympiad Gr 12; Academic Colours Gr 11; Awards Top 20 Gr 11; Hoopoe Awards Gr 11



Kevin Pezarro
Neptune - Shooting Gr 8 and 9; Rugby Gr 10



Vaughan Phillips
Neptune - Tennis Gr 8 - 10; Athletics Gr 11; First Aid Gr 11, Colours; Photography Gr 8 - 10; Pottery

Gr 10 - 11; S.C.A. Gr 11 - 12; Talent Show Choir Gr 12;



Greg Murgatroyd
Mercury - Rugby Gr 8 and Gr 10; Tennis 2nd Team; Swimming 2nd Team and Inter-House; Hockey 2nd

Team; Athletics Inter-House; Squash 2nd Team; Cultural - Afrikaans Olympiad



Chanel Naude
Mercury - Netball Gr 10 - 12; Badminton Gr 10; Interact; Major Production Gr 10; Drama

Workshop; Miss Elegance Gr 10 - 12; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 10 - 12 77%; English Tutor Gr 11; Charity Committee Gr 11; Debs Ball Gr 12



Sean O'Neill
Mercury - Rugby Gr 11 and 12, Captain of 2nd Team; Cricket Gr 11 and 12

Rubeshnie Pillay Apollo - Cheerleading Gr 12; Swimming Gr 10; Athletics Gr 10 and 11; Hockey Gr 10 - 12; House Plays Gr 10 - 12; Inter-House Dancing Gr 10; Major Production Gr 10; Debutant Gr 12; Miss Elegance Gr 10; 2nd Place in Gr 10 for Hoopoe Award; First Aid Gr 10 and 11

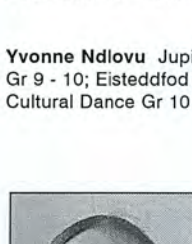


Jean-Paul Pires
Neptune - House Captain Gr 12; Swimming Gr 11 and 12; Athletics Gr 11 and 12, Team Colours,

Full Colours; Rugby, Team Colours; Inter-House Swimming; Inter-House Athletics; Inter-House Rugby; Major Production Gr 12; Inter-House Dances Gr 12; Inter-House Plays Gr 12; Prefect; Cheerleader; Talent Show Gr 12; Physical Education Display Gr 11



Toni Murphy
Neptune - Beginners Hockey Gr 8, Hockey 4th Team Gr 11; Talent Show Gr 9; Debutante Gr 11



Yvonne Ndlovu Jupiter - Netball Gr 9 - 10; Eisteddfod Gr 9; Cultural Dance Gr 10



Mark Musto
Mercury - Senior Boys Shotist from Gr 10 - 11



Ruane Neame
Apollo - Hockey Gr 9; Wildlife Gr 9; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 9 - 12, 76% Gr 11; Inter-House Cross

Country Gr 10 and 12; Interact Gr 11; Inter-School Horse Show Gr 11 and 12, Captain of Equestrian Team Gr 12; English Tutor Gr 11; Debutantes Gr 12; Academic Colours Gr 11, Top 20 Gr 11



Philippa Ormond
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 10 - 12; Squash Gr 10 - 12; Inter-House Plays Gr 12; Inter-House Dances Gr 12; Debutante Gr 12; Capricorn Gr 12



Sean Platt
Mercury - Rugby Gr 10; Athletics Gr 11



Jean-Paul Muteba
Jupiter - Squash Gr 7 - 8, Vice Captain; Rugby U 16B Captain; First Aid Gr 9; Interact Gr 10 - 11



Vanessa Nottelet
Apollo - Netball Gr 8; Hockey Gr 10 - 12

Committee Member; Transvaal Soccer Under 19; Athletics Gr 9 - 12; Media Centre Prefect Gr 9 - 10; Team Colours Athletics x 2, Gold and Silver Certificate for Athletics Gr 10 and 11



Gareth Osry
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 and 9 (A Team); Rugby Gr 8 - 10 (B Team); Cricket Gr 8 - 12

Captain, Team Colours, District Cricket 1st Team; Eisteddfod Gr 9; Cheerleading Gr 12; Talent Show Gr 12; Inter-house Cross Country Gr 8 - 12; House Committee Gr 11; School Golf Day (Student Winner); Inter-House Athletics; Inter-House Swimming

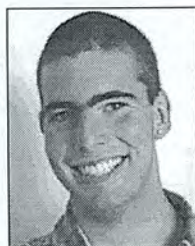


Brad Pye
Mercury - Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Cricket Gr 8 - 10; Athletics Gr 8; First Aid Gr 10 - 12

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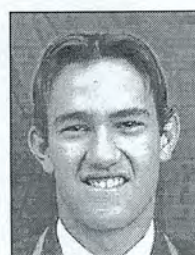


Denis Quick
Mercury -
Photographic
Society;
Dramatics



Nicholas Quinn
Jupiter -
Shooting Gr
9 - 12, Full
Transvaal
Colours and
Full School
Colours Gr
11; Cricket
Gr 9; Rugby
Gr 10;

Squash Gr 10 - 12, Half Colours
and Team Colours Gr 12



James Raymond
Tennis G 8 -
12 Captain
1st Team,
Full Colours,
Southern
Transvaal
Tennis Gr 8
- 10, Merit
for Tennis
Gr 8 and 9;

Rugby Gr 8 - 11; Cricket Gr 8 - 12;
Badminton Gr 9; Squash Gr 10 -
12, Captain 1st Team, Full
Colours; Athletics Gr 11 and 12,
1st Team Official, Team Colours;
Student Representative Council Gr
11; Prefect; Talent Show "Full
Monty"; Jupiter House Committee
Gr 12; Cheerleader Gr 12;
Swimming Gr 12



Paul Rees
Mercury -
Rugby Gr 8
and 9;
Cricket Gr 8
and 9;
Hockey Gr
10 and 11;
Squash Gr
12



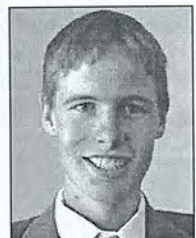
Edita Ristic
Jupiter -
Eisteddfod
Gr 9; Netball
Gr 10 - 11;
Badminton
Gr 9 - 12,
Vice Captain
in Gr 9 and
Captain Gr
12, Gauteng
Trial Gr 10,

Team Colours Gr 11 and Half
Colours Gr 12; House Plays
Backstage Gr 10, Make-up Gr 12;
Athletics Inter-House Gr 11; Silver
Certificate for Chinese Dance,
Blue Certificate for Yugoslavian
Dance



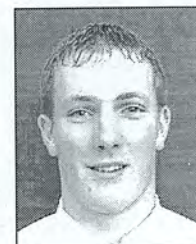
Jacques Roux
Jupiter -
Rugby Gr
10 - 12, First
Team, Tour
Zimbabwe,
Rugby
Assistant
Coach
1997;

Cricket Gr 8 - 10; House Play Gr
11 and 12; M.D.C.; Prefect; S.R.C.;
Vice Class Captain; Cheerleader;
Academic Half Colours Gr 8,9,11
and 12



Craig Sampson
Neptune -
Hockey Gr 8
- 10;
Badminton;
Chess Gr 11
and 12;
Photography;
Squash;
Afrikaans

Eisteddfod; Maths Olympiad;
Computers Olympiad; Accounting
Olympiad; Tennis; Half Colours Gr
11



Andrew Sanders
Mercury -
Rugby Gr 8
and 9;
Waterpolo
Gr 8 and 9;
Hockey Gr
8; Tennis
3rd Team;
Badminton
Gr 11 Vice

Captain, 1st Team Gr 12, Captain,
Team Award; S.R.C. Gr 12; Basball
Gr 8 - 10

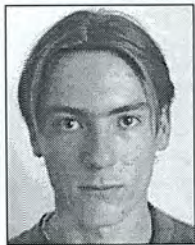


Chad Schertel
Mercury -
Drama Gr 8
- 12; Rugby
Gr 8 - 12;
Cricket



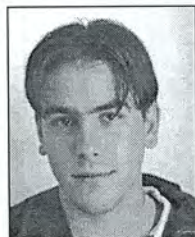
Pam Schreiber
Apollo -
Hockey 2nd
Team vice
captain;
Swimming A
Team Vice
Captain,
Half
Colours;
Athletics Gr

8 - 12, Full Colours; Squash 1st
Team, Half Colours; Tennis Gr 8 -
11; Major Production Gr 9 - 12;
R.A.P.S. Gr 9 - 11; Netball Gr 8 - 9;
Hockey Umpiring Gr 11; House
Plays Gr 9 - 11; Cross Country Gr
11 - 12, Half Colours; Half Colours
Dramatics; Half Colours Umpiring;
Charity Committee; MDC
Treasurer; Top Twenty Gr 11;
Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 11; Prefect



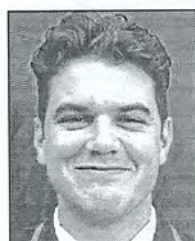
Guy Sherwell
Mercury -
Rugby Gr 8
- 10; First
Aid Gr 8 -
11, Level 1
Certificate,
Level 2
Certificate;
Cricket

Gr 11



Srdjan Sinobad
Mercury -
Rugby Gr 8
- 12, Inter-
House
Rugby;
Cricket Gr 8
- 10, Inter-
House
Cricket;

Inter-House Dancing; Inter-House
Athletics; Inter-House Swimming;
Inter-House Tug of War



Warren Small
Apollo -
Rugby 1st
XV, Vice-
Captain
1997,
Captain
1998, Tv
Develop-
ment Rugby

1995, Full Colours; Cross Country
1st Team, Team Colours; Dram-
atics, Half Colours; Athletics, Half
Colours; Raps 1998; Prefect in
Grade 12



Nadine Smit
Jupiter -
Swimming
Gr 8 - 12;
Inter-High
Dances Gr
11;
Cheerleader
Gr 12;
Debutante;
Hockey Gr

8 and 9 House Plays Gr 11; Talen
Show Gr 10; Award for best Gr 11
Cross Stitch



Caroline Smith
Neptune -
Badminton
Gr 9 and
10; Inter-
House
Swimming
Gr 8; Drama
Course
work Gr 10,

Major Production Gr 9, House
Plays Gr 9 and 12; Debutantes Gr
12; Interact; Charity Committee Gr
11; English Tutoring Gr 11;
Interact President Gr 11;
Assistance Secretary S.R.C.;
Academic Colours Gr 9 - 11; Top
Twenty Academic Gr 9 - 11; Rotary
Presidential Citation; Participated
in World Leaders of Tomorrow -
summit in Washington DC



Rory Smith
Jupiter -
House
Committee
Captain;
Swimming
Gr 8 and 12;
Cricket Gr 8
- 12, Team
Colours,
Captain

Second Team; Rugby Gr 8 - 12,
Second Team Captain Gr 11,
Team Colours; Athletics Gr 8 - 12,
Victor Ladorum Gr 10 and 11, Full
Colours, Half Colours and Team
Colours; Prestige Gr 10 and 11
Captain; Talent Show; Major
Production; Matric Dance
Committee Gr 11; Deputy Head
Prefect



Ryan Smith
Jupiter -
Rugby Gr 8
- 12, Team
Colours Gr
11 and 12
and Full
Colours Gr
12; Cricket
Gr 8 - 12,
Captain Gr

12, Team Colours and Full
Colours; Athletics Gr 8 - 12, Team
Colours Gr 11 and 12; Major
Production Cast; Talent Show;
Inter-High Dancing; Cheerleader;
P.E. Display 1997; Inter-House
plays; Light and Sound Crew Gr
12; S.A. Under 17 Soccer Team Gr
9 and 10; Prefect



Kelly Smuts
Jupiter -
Netball Gr 8
- 12,
Captain Gr
8; Squash
Gr 10;
Athletics Gr
11; House
Plays Gr 9 -
12, Directed

House Plays Gr 11, Talent Show
Gr 10 - 11; Major Production Gr
10; Inter-House Dances Gr 11 -
12; Inter-High Dances Gr 11; Inter-
House Sport Gr 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr
10; Miss Elegance Gr 11

Candice Snijman Neptune -
Netball Gr 8 - 12

Robert Spaan Mercury -
Rugby Gr 11 and 12, Inter-House
Rugby Gr 11 and 12; Cricket Gr
11; Inter-House Athletics Gr 11
and 12

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Nicole Southgate
Jupiter - Netball Gr 8 - 12, Captain; Hockey Gr 8; Talent Show; Inter-House dancing;

Inter-House Plays Gr 9 - 12; Inter-High Dancing Gr 11; R.A.P.S. Gr 10 and 11; Eisteddfod Gr 11; Cultural Dinner Gr 11; Miss Pizzaz and Miss Elegance Gr 11; Matric Dance Committee; Charity Committee; S.R.C. Gr 12; Hoopoe Award Gr 9; Drama Team Colours Gr 11; Full Academic Colours Gr 10 and Half Academic Colours Gr 11



Pippa Stalker
Jupiter - Major Production Gr 10 - 12, Backstage, Make-up, Front of House, Prop Painting,

Director of Senior House Play Gr 12, House Plays Gr 11 and 12, Team Colours for Dramatics Gr 11; Talent Show Gr 12; Eisteddfod Gr 12; Inter-House Dances Gr 11 and 12; Debutantes Gr 12; Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Alternate Captain / Vice Captain of 4th Team Gr 12; Academic Colours Gr 11, Top Twenty Gr 11 and 12; Young Historians 4th place - Gauteng Gr 11; English Olympiad Gr 10; History Olympiad Gr 12; Miss Pizzaz Gr 9 and 10; Miss Elegance Gr 12



Natasha Starling
Apollo - Inter-Class Dancing Gr 8 - 10; Home Economic Gym Display Gr 11; Inter-House Cross

Country; Front of House Gr 9; Top 20 Gr 8 - 10 and 12; Full Colours Academics Gr 11



Ashleigh Swan
Jupiter - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Tennis Gr 8 and 9; Home Economics Gym Display Gr 11; Inter-House Hockey Gr 8

- 11; Cross Country Inter-House Gr 8 - 10; Front of House Gr 8 - 10; Hockey Gr 10 - 11; Tennis 3rd Team Top Twenty Gr 12



Wendy Stevens
Neptune - Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Full Colours, U18 Provincial, Indoor Hockey Gr 9 - 11;

Umpiring Gr 11, Full Colours U16 Provincial, Gr 12 Full Colours; Squash Gr 8 - 12, Half Colours and Vice Captain Gr 11, Full Colours and Vice Captain Gr 12; Netball Gr 8; Tennis Gr 8; Athletics Gr 8 and 9; Hoopoe Award Gr 8 - 11; Talent Show Gr 9 Inter-House Dances Gr 10 and 11; Class Captain Gr 10 and 11; Neptune House Committee Gr 10 - 11; Charity Gr 11; Inter-High Dances Gr 11; S.R.C. Gr 11; Debs Ball Gr 12; Cheerleader Gr 12; Prefect; Cup for Player of the Year in Hockey Gr 12; Honours Blazer;



Lara Stirton
Mercury - Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Swimming Gr 9 and 11, Team Colours; Cross Country Gr 9, Team Colours;

Musical (Major Production) Gr 9 - chorus, Gr 10 - chorus, Gr 11 - Leading Role, Gr 12 - Leading Role; Academic Colours Gr 8 - 11, Top Twenty Gr 8 - 12; Matric Dance Committee; Eisteddfod Gr 11, Diploma for own Musical Composition, 2 Golds for Opera; 1 Silver for Song from a Musical, Eisteddfod Gr 9, Silver for Traditional Dance; Miss Elegance Gr 12; Drama Committee; Prefect; Hoopoe Award Gr 11; House Plays Gr 8 - 10, Directed House Plays Gr 11, Best supporting Actress Gr 12



Alain Tallier
Jupiter - Rugby Gr 8 - 10; Badminton Gr 12; Academic Colours



Kriton Theodoulou
Jupiter - Rugby Gr 8 - 12; Cricket Gr 8 - 10; Vice Captain Jupiter Gr 12; Talent Show, 2

years; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 8 - 11



Shane Theunissen
Jupiter - S.R.C.; Rugby Gr 9 - 11, Half Colours, Rugby Transvaal U16 and Northern

Gauteng 1998



Jonathan Tomlinson
Jupiter - Cricket Gr 8 - 10, Cricketer of the Year Gr8, 2nd Team; Rugby Gr 8 - 10;

Eisteddfod - Diploma in Gr 8; Maths Olympiad 2nd round Gr 11 and 12



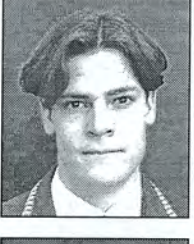
Nick van der Walt
Mercury - Cricket Gr 8 - 11 Captain; Athletics Gr 8 - 11, Team Colours; Rugby Gr 8 - 12 2nd team

Captain and 1st Team Colours; House Committee Gr 11; Vice Class Captain Gr 12; Vice House Captain Gr 12



Taryn van Goeverden
Jupiter - House Committee; Squash Gr 8 - 12; Netball Gr 8; Hockey Gr 8 - 12, Indoor

Hockey Gr 8 - 11; Cheerleader Gr 12; Charity Committee; House Play Gr 12; Spirit Committee Gr 12; Debutante; Miss Elegance Gr 11; Class Captain Gr 8 - 10



Reinier van Olphen
Mercury - Rugby Gr 10 - 12, Full Colours; Team Athletics Gr 10 and 11, Full Colours



Tamsyn van Schalkwyk
Apollo -



Chantal van Steijn
Neptune - House Plays Gr 8 - 11; Rhetoric Gr 8 - 12, Team Colours; Eisteddfod, Choral

verse, Gold Gr 10; Academic Full Colours Gr 10; Wildlife Gr 8 - 11; Canoeing S.A. School Sprints Gr 11 - 12, S.A. School Sprint Team Gr 12; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 10; Maths Olympiad Gr 11; Hockey Gr 8; Provincial Representation, Canoeing, Sprints Gr 11 - 12; National Representation, Canoeing, Marathon Gr 12



Sonia Vasiliou
Neptune - Netball Gr 8 - 10; Eisteddfod, Folk Dances Gr 9; House Plays, Front of House and

Backstage, Major Production Gr 10 - 12; Inter-House Dances; Hockey Gr 8; Drama Gr 8 and 9; Business Economics top mark in Gr 11



Olivia Vermaak
Apollo - Public Speaking Gr 8 and 9; Major Production Gr 12; Cultural Evening Gr 8 and 11;

Front of House Gr 9 - 11; Class Captain Gr 9 and 11; Vice Class Captain Gr 10; House Plays Gr 9 - 12; R.A.P.S. Gr 9 - 12; Inter-House Netball Gr 11 and 12; Netball Gr 9 - 12; Eisteddfod Gr 8 - 12; Afrikaans Taalbond Gr 9; Afrikaans Olympiad Gr 11; Academic Colours Gr 10; Dramatics Colours Gr 11; History Olympiad Gr 12; Drama Committee Gr 12; House Committee Gr 12; Prefect; Best Director Gr 11 and 12; Best Playwright Gr 12; Best Decor R.A.P.S. Gr 11; Best Costume and Make-up Gr 12; Gauteng Play Festival Gr 12; Top Twenty Gr 8 - 10; Inter-House Cross Country Gr 11 and 12; Tennis Gr 10; Matric Dance Committee Gr 11



Shaun Victor
Jupiter - Cricket Gr 9 - 12; Squash Gr 10; Rugby Gr 11; Hockey - Most improved

Player Gr 9, 2nd Team Player of the Year Gr 11, Team Colours Gr 12; Inter-House Swimming Gr 12; Inter-House Athletics Gr 11

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Kelly von Holdt
Neptune -
Tennis Gr 8
and 9;
Hockey Gr 8
- 12;
Eisteddfod
Gr 9 and 10,
3 Golds;
Afrikaans

Olympiad 1997 (76%) and 1998;
Talent Show Gr 8 - 10; Gym
Display Gr 11; Athletics Gr 11;
House Plays Gr 10; Major
Production Gr 10; Miss Pizazz Gr
9; Miss Elegance Gr 8 and 9;
Class Captain Gr 8; Cheerleader;
Spirit Committee



Gary Willis
Jupiter -
Tennis First
Team, Team
Colours Gr
10 and 12,
Half Colours
Gr 11, Vice
Captain Gr
11; Squash

Team, Vice Captain Gr 11; Cricket
Gr 8 and 9



Mia Wilmot
Mercury -
Hockey Gr 8
- 12; Inter-
House
Dances Gr
10 - 11;
Eisteddfod
Gr 9 and 10;
English and
Afrikaans
Olympiad Gr

11; Talent Show Gr 9; Gym Display
Gr 11; House Plays Gr 9 - 11,
Directed House Plays Gr 12, Major
Production Gr 9 - 12, R.A.P.S. Gr
12, Best Make up Award; Inter-
Class Dances; Eisteddfod Gr 12;
J.S.E. Stock Exchange Gr 11; Inter-
House Debates Gr 12; Academic
Colours; Drama Team Colours;
S.R.C. Representative Gr 11; Top
Twenty Gr 10, 11, 12; Vice Class
Captain Gr 11



MATRIC BREAKFAST
"Mom" Webb saying her speech.



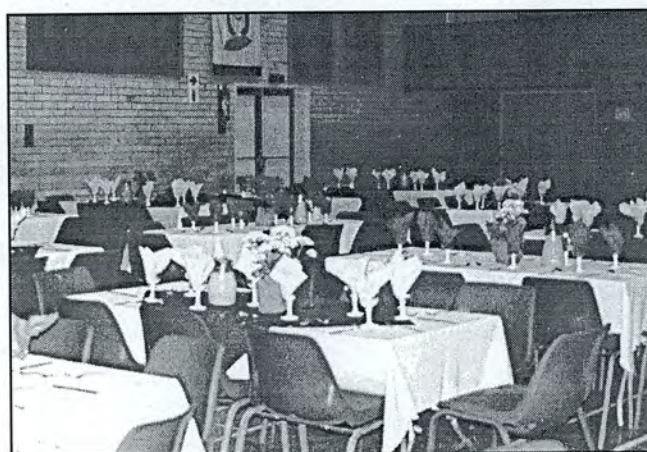
Bronwynne Waddell
Jupiter -
Swimming
Gr 8 - 9;
Netball Gr 8
- 12, Scorer;
Cricket
Scoring Gr
8; Interact
Gr 8; Netball
Service

Award Gr 12; Hoopoe Award Gr 8;
Class Captain Gr 8 - 9;
Debutantes Ball Gr 12; Charity
Committee Gr 11; House
Committee Gr 11 and 12; S.R.C.
Gr 12; Prefect



Michael Zinn
Neptune -
Rugby Gr 8
- 12, Team
Colours Gr
11 and 12,
Half Colours
Gr 11, Full
Colours Gr
12; Athletics
Gr 8, Inter-

House Athletics Gr 8 - 12; Inter-
House Swimming Gr 8 - 12;
Prefect



Catherine Walker
Neptune -
Public
Speaking Gr
8; Drama Gr
8; Tennis Gr
8; Hockey
Gr 8;
Badminton
Gr 9 and 10;
House Plays

Gr 10, 11, 12; R.A.P.S. Gr 11 and
12; Athletics Gr 8 and 9;
Eisteddfod Gr 9

*Right: Richard Chapman
and Olivia Vermaak*



Catriona Walsh
Mercury -
Interact Gr 6
and 7;
Netball Gr 6
and 7;
Cross
Country Gr
11; Athletics
Gr 11;
House Plays

Gr 11; Team Colours for Cross
Country Gr 11

*Below: Matric boys at the
gala: Grant Ansell, Chad
Schertell, Nick Goodyear,
Jason Geldmacher,
Justin Bate*



Grant Walters
Neptune -
Rugby Gr 8;
Cricket Gr 8
- 9; Hockey
Gr 9 - 12,
Vice Captain
U15A, Team
Colours Gr
11 and 12;

Inter-House Cross Country Gr 9
and 10; Inter-House Swimming Gr
10 and 11; Badminton Gr 12;
Hoopoe Award Gr 8



MA CARRI RE SCOLAIRE

Le bal de matric, les ennuis de l'école son passés ...

J'avais commencé mon école maternelle à l'âge de trois ans. Chaque matin maman me disait "Chérie tu dois te réveiller car il est temps." En écoutant ces pauvres paroles de ma mère, je lui répondais avec tristesse et fatigue en disant " mais pourquoi pas, me réveiller même après dix minutes?" Maman quittait doucement ma chambre et aperçu papa à la direction de ma Chambre pour essayer aussi de me convaincre. A l'âge de six ans et demie mon père commençait à me dire "Thérèse, tu es maintenant grande" C'est à dire " tu dois apprendre à te réveiller toi-même, parce que tu seras punie chaque fois que tu arrives en retard". Je croyais toujours que les paroles de papa étaient des blagues, mais maman les répétait de temps en temps. Ma madame de première primaire s'appelait Mme Edmond. En rentrant à la maison maman me demandait "Chérie, as-tu trouvé des copines?" Je lui répondais joyeusement disant "bien sûr maman, j'ai trouvé seulement une que j'aime beaucoup," et elle me disait "a-t-elle ton âge? Est-elle amicale?" Je gardais secret de dire à ma mère l'âge de ma nouvelle copine. J'aimais lire, faire de calculs et apprendre à écrire.

L'école secondaire, je disais à mes parents "je désire faire mes études en Autriche", mais ma mère repliquait "non grande fille, j'aimerais que tu les fasses en France", "Non, non pas la France" disais-je, "je préfère encore l'Angleterre". Et papa

disait " L'Afrique du sud offre une belle éducation". L'Afrique du Sud n'était pas comparable à la France parce que je devais apprendre une nouvelle langue "l'anglais!" disait papa.

Maintenant je me dis toujours "mon bal de matric?" "Qui irais - je avec?" Je me demande toujours ces bêtes questions parce que mon copain n'est pas ici en Afrique du Sud et je n'aime pas trouver un copain Sud Africain parce qu'ils sont bizarres et aussi parce que ma mère me dit toujours "Thérèse c'est mieux de rester fidèle à Erick ..., il ne faut pas lui faire des désespoirs ...". Alors je m'enfous, le bal ne me vaut rien, mais j'ai encore d'espoir que mon copain peut quitter la France d'ici janvier 1999 sinon alors je n'irai pas au bal.

Thérèse Nzeba Gr 11D

J'AIME FLNER SUR LA PLAGE

En flfnant sur la plage tršs t't du matin. La lune est doucement s'affaiblant dans l'arrišre - plan

bleu. Le sable est froid sur mes pieds et c'est rampant au milieu de mes doigts de pieds. Au - dessus de l'horizon, un rougeoyer rose, est changeant dans une grand boule orange doucement descendant.

Les mouettes mouche au-dessus de ma t'te et dit salut ... moi. Les coquillages sont tendus dans une ligne, la mer les baigne. Le soleil est doucement faire le vent froid.

Sur les rochers, un petit homme va ... la p'chie pour le repas de sa famille. Un homme et une femme sont assis sur les roches dans le bras de l'un l'autre. Ils se parlent doucement avec des mots doux.

Plus tard dans la journ,e, en flfnant, une famille vient ... la plage. La mšre et le pšre s'assiedent dans le soleil et lisent. Les deux petits enfants courent dans les ondoyers et cherchent les crabes dans la flaque.

Il y a un image dans le sable que dit, "je t'aime" et un qui dit, "je t'aime aussi." □a c'est ce que j'al d,couvert quand je flfne.

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THE PORTRAIT

The child's face expressed no feeling. It stared blankly, straight ahead as though hypnotized by the monotonous movement of the painter's hand. The brush's bristles dipped into the pool of cobalt and in one movement, like the tick on a page, it returned to the face to start the journey of the eyes.

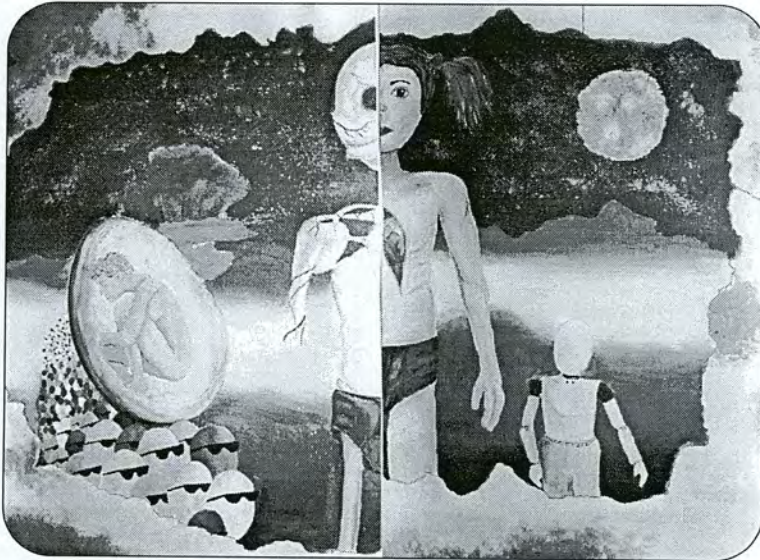
At that moment the boy's eyes eezed closed as if his concentration was being used to master the simple action. Shut. There was darkness. He wanted to run away, away from the sense of nothing attacking his

mind as though it was everything. He needed light and colour and ... he was trapped inside. He opened his eyes again, released from the dark cage into brightness. In doing so, a small drop escaped from the duct of his eyes. It inched slowly down his face, guided only by the structure of his cheekbones. My heart cried for him.

The painter started on the eyes; creating an exact replica of his model's, they were expressionless. Moving down the map, he reached the mouth - a closed straight line. It curved down at the edges as if tiny strings

tugged at the corners. I was also painting the child's mouth; I didn't want to get too close.

The child's heart screamed, urging the tongue to speak, to shout out that he wanted his mouth drawn open, giving him the ability to speak. He could



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 Acrylic Diptych painting Pippa Stalker (Gr 12)

then sing his favourite songs and tell stories to his mother; he could talk to lonely, lost dogs. He wanted his eyes portrayed as dancing mirrors, reflecting his excitement and eagerness to be, and to express his anger and frustration when he needed. He wanted his lips to drip with hunger for acceptance and love. The painter couldn't see that.

The bottom of the canvas was in focus now. Each finger of his pale, thin hands looked like dying leaves, wilting from life. But he wanted big, strong hands, which moved when his mind ordered them to do so. He would play music. He would cre-

ate a language, each note a word to ears of peoples' expressive souls. His fingers would intertwine and work together as a team to build wooden boats and maybe a dollhouse for his sister. With his newfound, sturdy instruments, he would catch rugby balls and fall down on the lawn over and over again until he achieved a handstand. He would give his dad warm hugs To me, the hands were lifeless, like the eyes.

The canvas was full and the portrait finished. Silently, ignoring the child, the painter left. Oh shame ... Every day people painted a picture of him, every

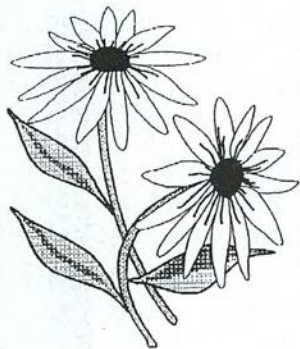
stranger and friend. The results of the images were always the same, not one variation. Oh shame I turned away.

The dumb and physically handicapped boy wants to sing like the sparrow on his window-sill. He wants to tell people he has dreams for space travel and computers. Although his disabilities are insurmountable, the young child still aspires to become a painter. He wouldn't monopolize the external appearance with false intentions; he would paint the portrait of people's souls.

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SUNSET IN THE BUSH

The animals are silent now with only the night creatures starting to hum their gentle songs. Cries of the birds have gone as though they have been by the sinking sun. The sun slowly dips below the horizon.

It looked as though the horizon was slowly eating up the sun and spitting out a collage of brilliant colours onto the soft clouds. As the sun sank lower and lower into the jaws of night, more and more colours invaded the sky, without pollution to distort its pattern. Red, yellow, blue, pink and more started to ripple the sky like rain on a pond.

It was gone, disappeared like fish in a pond. The moon rose in a beautiful dance that could charm even the evil at heart. The brilliant colours were absorbed by the moon and black filled the empty sky. Darkness had come.

As I turned back towards the camp I was certain the sun was still peeping over the horizon but when I looked back it was gone. I had now seen nature performing one of its most beautiful ballets.

Susan Klopper 8E

HAIKU POEM

Our tendrilled life

Now the singing bridge.
Is quieted with creepers...
Like our tendrilled life.

Ricky Milosevich Gr. 8E

THE BEACH

Walking down to the water, I feel the warm, rough sand beneath my feet, squishing between my toes. All around me are sounds of laughter and I see people's happy smiles. The smell of juicy hamburgers and hot-dogs fills the air.

I dive into the curling waves. The water is cold, but refreshing. The awful salty taste enters my mouth.

But quickly before it could enter my stomach I leave the sparkling water. The sun's hot rays penetrate my back, warming me, and the water droplets drip down onto the sand. To get rid of the awful salty taste, I make my way up to the brightly coloured, mouth-watering ice-cream stand. I pass lots of shrieking children on my way and hear the shrill cry of sea-gulls as they soar effortlessly through the sky.

The ice-cream awaits me. Taking a bite, I feel it is cold against my teeth. A creamy chocolatey taste fills my mouth, washing away the previous salty taste. Lying down on top of my towel, I fall into a deep sleep while the sun's hot rays keep me warm, like a blanket.

The stillness awakens me. No sound. Deathly quiet. All the people have gone and I am alone. No more juicy smells of hamburgers. No shrieking of children and even the sea gulls have gone. Far out to sea a dolphin leaps up out of the water. Twisting and turning, completing a perfect jump. Then it slips silently into the still sea.

Quietly, I make my way back up the beach, with the sand squishing between my toes.

Sheena van der Spuy 8E


OUT IN THE BUSH!

The wind whistled amongst the trees as the magnificent sight of the sun disappeared behind the big mountains, and night fell. Although it was extremely dark, the sounds of life were still out there in the bush and very much alive. The crickets were chirping, and the owls were hooting. In the distance we could hear some kind of disturbance, a lion making a kill maybe.

A breeze suddenly swept through our lodge like a fan in a room. The night was getting colder and becoming more and more quiet. It was a peaceful night, which went slowly and calmly. I was lucky enough to awake just in time to see the sunrise. It was beautiful and the sun was moving gradually through the sky, it was almost like a floating orange bubble, waiting to burst.

We could tell it was going to be another warm, delightful and interesting day for us 'out in the bush!' Another fresh day in the free world of the wild!

Rebecca Tyagi 8E

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Neem die "ou" dae byvoorbeeld. Lyfstraf het harde manne van seuntjies gemaak en na een keer se straf het hulle dit nie weer gewaag om iets verkeerd te doen nie.

Vandag se seuns is oor die algemeen sag, ongemanierd en het vrieslike taalgebruik. Sonder die rottang is daargeen beheer nie .. Waarom dink jy is daar nou soveel moffies skielik in ons land?

Ek kan van persoonlike ervaring praat. As prefek by 'n skool waar dissipline en respek eerste kom, kan mens sien hoe die standaard jaar na jaar daal in die onmoontlike gevegte teen die klein monsters'. Geen ander metodes, byvoorbeeld woorde uit skryf of rommel optel is die helfte so effektief soos lyfstraf nie.

Selfs die beroemde detensie wat bedoel is om hulle te straf word afgelag en ons moet 'n straf metode vind net om vir die leerlinge by die detensie te kry! Dit word beskou as 'n groot grap en tot die ouers stem saam om patetiese briefies te skryf sodat hulle kosbare 'engeltjies' nie gestraf kan word nie. Dit is waar die groot probleem .

Die probleem begin by die ouers. Daar is talle seuns wat nog nooit 'n goeie pakslae gekry het nie, nie eens van hulle ouers af nie en dit veroorsaak die yslike ironie in die hele saak. Veral in die Engelse gemeenskap word daar dikwels van die seuns gepraat as "mommies-boys".

Die mense wie se werk dit is om dissipline te handhaaf, byvoorbeeld prefekte en onderwysers, sit met

hulle hand in hul hare, want ons is raadop. Die wet beskerm leerlinge teen alle maniere van straf en as ons hulle uit die skool wil skop, is dit hulle reg om geleendheid te kry en dus is dit ook hulle reg om in ons skole te bly en dit verder in die grond te laat daal.

Bring die rottang terug! Want terwyl almal dink dat hulle beter daaraan toe is sonder lyfstraf... kruip die dwelms en misdaad by elke skrefie in en kort voor lank sal Suid-Afrika 'n besmettingsmiddel nodig hê om die vrieslike gewoontes uit te dryf.

Melanie Mulder 12D

EK HAAT DIT ...

"Bi, bi, bi...Beep; Bi, Bi, Bi... Beep." Die wekker lui. Dit is kwart oor sewe. Die vorige nag het jy nie 'n oog toegemaak nie. Jy het jou verslaap. Jy spring haastig uit die bed uit en hardloop na jou klerekas. Smrens ry jy saam met iemand anders skool toe en hulle sal om half sewe buite wees om jou op te laai. Daar is geen skoon hemde binne die kas nie! Daar is ook geen tyd om een te stryk nie. Gister se hemp lê in 'n verkreukelde balletjie op die vloer. Toe jy die skandelige skooldrag aantrek, besluit jy om nooit weer so wanordelik te wees nie. Die tyd is amper half sewe en jy het nog nie jou tande geborsel nie. Jou hare lyk asof jy gedurende die nag in 'n grot bewoner verander het. Sonder ontbyt, vlieg jy by die deur uit, uit die hoek van jou oog sien jy die kombuis kalender. Dit is Saterdag!

Ek is vreeslik gelukkig dat ek uiteindelik die kans gekry het om oor die volgende dinge te kla! Ek het hierdie onderwerp gekies, omdat as ons oor die negatiewe gevoelens praat, word dit makliker om vir jouself te lag en jy kan meer probleme uitstrip.

Voel enige iemand ook kwaad elke keer as jy 'n sakkie skyfies oopmaak. Die sakkie is altyd groot opgeblaas en jy kry so min skyfies daarbinne! Daar is net 'n paar van hulle in die geweldige sak!

Nog iets wat my irriteer is daaradige onnodige waspoeier advertensies waarna ons elke dag, een na die ander op die televisie moet kyk. Hulle is baie vervelig en maak asof hedendagse vraiens niks beter het om te doen as om verskillende bleikmiddels te vergelyk nie!

Daar is iets belangriker wat my pla. Elke keer as ek verby 'n verkeerslig ry, voel ek hulpeloos. Jy sien hierdie arm mense met die karton uithangborde, "Geen geld, geen werk, geen kos, Help my asseblief!" Ek doen alles wat ek kan om seveel van hulle as moontlik te help, maar ek voel nog tereergedruk omdat dit onmoontlik is om almal te help. Daar is ook nie ekstra geld in my huis nie! 'n Mans voel not skuldig om vir iemand nee te sê My hart breek as ek hulle sien, ek haat dit, dat ander mense in die wêreld ly. Ek voel dieselfde oor diere en ek kan nie verstaan hoe 'n mens hulle kan mishandel nie!

Onthou om elke keer as jy aan die dinge wat jy haat dink en jy voel hartseer dink net aan die dinge wat jy lief het en dan sal jy weer gelukkig voel!

Tracy Fletcher 12D

WHAT IS ARBOR WEEK?

Arbor Week is a full week to celebrate the beauty and benefits that trees provide, a chance to learn more about trees and about our environment. Do something positive to improve our world by planting a tree, caring for a tree or sponsoring a tree for those less fortunate. By actively taking part in Arbor Week everyone helps to make our planet healthier, greener, more beautiful and more productive.

Arbor Week has a long history going back 500 years, where in Switzerland, it was an occasion to make people aware of the role of trees, to appreciate the importance of trees. Arbor Days and Arbor Weeks have gained importance in many countries. For example, in 1872, when the early pioneers moved into America, they were confronted by treeless plains. They missed the trees from the east coast, from where they had come, so immediately began to plant new trees.

In South Africa, Arbor Day has officially been in place since 1983. Trees are very important in our country. Not only do they provide fruit and nuts for people to eat, leaves and fruit as fodder for animals, but also fuel, medicine from roots, barks and leaves, fencing poles, building materials, paper, wood for carving and furniture, as well as an

ecosystem for birds and other creatures.

Trees also help with fertilising the soil, providing shelter, reducing air pollution by trapping dust particles, reducing erosion by stabilising the soil, reducing noise, controlling temperature through transpiration, providing enjoyment for the Grade 8's when they want to climb trees, a place under which the Grade 9's can picnic, shade under which the Grade 10's can sit and gossip, cover behind which the Grade 11's can get to know one another a little more intimately. But most importantly, as I'm sure the Grade 12's will agree, trees help to improve air quality by producing oxygen, using carbon dioxide and filtering polluted cigarette smoke. Grade 12's will know that extra oxygen improves brain power but smoking plants, leaves and trees, destroys brain cells.

I'd like to end with a poem by E.E. Cummings - an American poet who loves the world and nature and thanks God for them.

I thank You God for most this amazing day; for the leaping greenly spirits of trees and a blue true dream of sky; and for everything which is natural which is infinite which is yes

(I who have died am alive again today, and this is the sun's birthday; this is the

birth day of life and of love and wings: and of the gay great happening illimitably earth) how should tasting touching, hearing seeing breathing any - lifted from the noof all nothing - human merely being doubt unimaginable You?

(now the ears of my ears awake and now the eyes of my eyes are opened)

FORM POEMS

Females
moody
self conscious, intelligent
careful, dainty, swift a
necessity to life.
Women!

Ros Ford; Wendy Dinsmore
Grade 10A

TELLING A FEW DELIGHTFUL LINES

I wish I weren't so fat
My wife has fed me up for
slaughter,
so much so, I have an anorexic
daughter
I get compared to the marsh-
mellowman
because I have to put my belt
on with a boomerang.
When I go on holiday to Plet
I have to use a Jumbo Jet
They say that glutting is a sin
but I would not be the same if
I was thin.

Carl Bittkau and
Jacques de Villiers

"And the King Agreed"

by Kerry Gilfillan

Nature created articulated joints, like knuckles, knees, ankles to provide her subjects with the ability to move, to physically traverse her terrain. The other option to give her subjects while she was molding us out of putty and compressed dung, was the rotating wheel on an axis. This, she shunned. It wouldn't do; her terrain being rugged and unforgiving, this mode would have been next to useless. So, casting the wheel aside in the corner of her cosmic workshop, she, having the sadistic sense of humour she does, set to work creating the entertaining specimen we call 'man'.

For a number of centuries the wheel was all but forgotten, until one day, man, Nature's own pupil, learned in craft of his teacher, resurrected the wheel, and created it himself - blowing a right raspberry in Nature's face. This, of course, set him off in flattening the land, construction, trade, progress - to form the man we have today.

In other words, the creation of the wheel in itself was a revolution. One of them that succeeded, anyway.

What do I mean by that? Success is relative, and the shape that success takes may be as indefinable as the changing of the winds. Whether a revolution is successful or not depends upon which side of the fence you are sitting, but if you'll take the wheel and look at the revolution of the wheel - I mean the physical turning to form one revolution, you'll notice that, starting out at 0 degrees, the wheel traces a path round to 360 degrees - and lo and behold, where you've ended is exactly where you started - 0 degrees. That's a revolution! And many revolutions, on the surface, took this path of... well, pointlessness...or did they?

The atmosphere was electric. A seething, writhing pool of heads, arms and bitterness collected on the cobblestone road. For there, looming dark, hunched and archaic, stood...the Bastille. Just as dark, hunched and archaic, in fact, as the

monarchy, the way of life it represented....

And so, with a barbarian's cry and the splintering crack of heavy, wooden doors, the French Revolution was begun.

The next year, all of the church's property was confiscated - the priests and the congregation didn't have a say. The government in other words looted the church - that was twenty-eight days after the government published the Declaration of the Rights of Man and the Citizen, in which the watchwords were: "Every man is equal, unless you get on our bad side." They were trying to build a free and equal society by undermining property rights. It was like cutting down trees to grow a forest. And so, the precedent was set.

Funnily enough, there is another revolution that is following a similar course. In a land far south, the government is snatching jobs from people on the basis that they have a white skin - all in the name of equality and freedom, you understand. This land is South Africa.

Much like the declaration of the Rights of Man, this governing party has produced in the past their own document, The Freedom Charter, setting out great principles for a nation - now, if only they were followed...

They are doing this looting in order to "level the playing fields", for "equal opportunity", but is this the right way to go about it - by undermining property rights to create a free and equal society? By replacing fat cats (the product of an immoral regime), with people who in most cases received a second-class education, and little or no experience (the product of an immoral regime)?

Seems a bit like cutting down trees to grow a forest, I'd say. And so, this sets a precedent for this revolution.

The wheel turns a few more degrees, and now we have anarchy, as France descended into an abyss...

The French public, treated like barbarians, acted barbarically. For their surrender, the leaders of the mobs and bands promised the guards and officials of the country-side chateaux,

safe-conduct. They broke their word though, and hacked most of them to death, their hands and heads soon bobbing on pikes, to the chants of 'Liberty, Equality, Fraternity'.

Michelle Wilson and her family were hi-jacked last year.

Bands of men invaded France's town halls and killed city magistrates.

Only her brother got out alive.

Thousands of people sold their homes and fled the country, taking with them precious skills and human capital.

The only family he has left after their flight is his one, single uncle.

The Marquis de Sade, from whom we derive the term 'sadism', was released from prison.

They never caught the hi-jacker.

As France was ripped apart, and as South Africa is ripped apart, people leave for fear of persecution, fearing for their lives - an exodus of South Africans flocking to 'Planet Perth' . They are our emigres, and our curse as they leak from South Africa, bearing testament to something of a war-ravaged country where babies are shot, or at the very least sjambokked, and 'getting even' becomes a career. These emigres tow with them South Africa's skills and her resources, her economy - and needless to say, our Rand.

The infamous Rand, which, yes, you guessed it, brings to mind the ever-more infamous Assignat. Both of which one must have buckets-full in order to buy anything Uri Geller can bend, warp, christen or resurrect.

At last we come to the leaders of France and those of her revolution. Besides FW's striking resemblance to Louis XVI, both of whom can be most aptly described as having a face that looked like it was made of sugar, and had recently been licked, both eigh-

cancer of corruption. Sure one can say that one cannot equate lives with simple money - the respective values just don't compare. BUT, whether we like it or not, it's not my choice and it's not yours - in the world we live today, lives can be bought and life is cheap. And that money is the lifeblood of this country.

So, through extortion and fraud, our government, our beaurocrats, the beating heart of our country (sad as that may sound... if that's our beating heart, one is more inclined to drive a wooden stake through it, or at least a silver bullet); but nevertheless, they who hold the reins, or at least many of them - as South Africa gives them her hand, are using the other to stab her in the back.

So, finally, the question comes down to: as the abused becomes the abuser, the molested the molester, does the oppressed become the oppressor - does the revolution rotate back to zero?

Well, if one isolates the French Revolution, towards its end, Robespierre became more of a tyrant than Louis XVI ever was. Similar to the passbooks that black South Africans had to carry, French people had to carry the ironically named certificate of Good Citizenship. People were watched constantly by Committees of the Revolutionary Communes, and such a torrent of laws flooded forth, that everyone was guilty of some crime or another. Saint-Just, in summing up the educational program, stated that 'children belong to the State' and advocated taking boys from their homes at the age of five.

Of course, in the aftermath of the Revolution, when Napoleon became emperor - there was nothing democratic about his 'regime', and this so-called 'Son of the

Revolution' shunned some of its most basic principles.

The revolution, it seemed, had come full-circle, completed its cycle and achieved very little.

SO, can I say that the oppressed has and will, in South Africa for instance, become the oppressor? Can I say the revolutions of which I have spoken, have and will come right back to zero degrees?

Not really actually, because the course of a revolution does not necessarily depend on the turning of the wheel, but perhaps on the spokes of the wheel, the people that form the substance of the revolution, the purpose of it. Maybe, if they try, those people can stop that wheel turning at three-hundred-and-fifty-nine degrees, before they literally carry it too far - before the reform is carried to an excess that needs reforming.

Perhaps, through these revolutions and the witnessing of the power of the people, the spokes of the wheel, when told that the peasants are revolting, the king will not, in fact, agree.

Pen Portrait of Stephen Kumalo from Cry the Beloved Country

Stephen Kumalo sat on one of the benches in the wood-and-iron church, old and fragile. The events of the past couple of weeks had aged him. Never before had he felt such a burden upon his shoulders. He re-read the letter which he had just received, with tired and lifeless eyes. It was from the lawyer who

took Absalom's case for God and it said there would be no mercy for his son. He rested his head in his hands, his figure hunched over. He began to think many things as he usually did, all the while whispering "Tixo, Tixo". He thought of Absalom as a boy, innocent and full of life. He thought of his wife and the sadness he'd seen in her eyes when he'd read the letter from the lawyer. His own brown eyes mirrored her sadness, so he'd come to his church because he knew he could think here. He felt comfortable and at peace here. A deeply religious man, he was ashamed and felt almost responsible for what his son had done. He had come to his church a number of times to pray and attain an inner-peace. Today he'd come to his church for comfort but as tears fell to the floor and the lines on his forehead deepened beneath his greying hair, he knew that he would never be whole again.

Ashleigh Harvey IOE



AUTOGRAPHS

ART GALLERY



Anna Stirton - Gr 12 - Acrylic on board



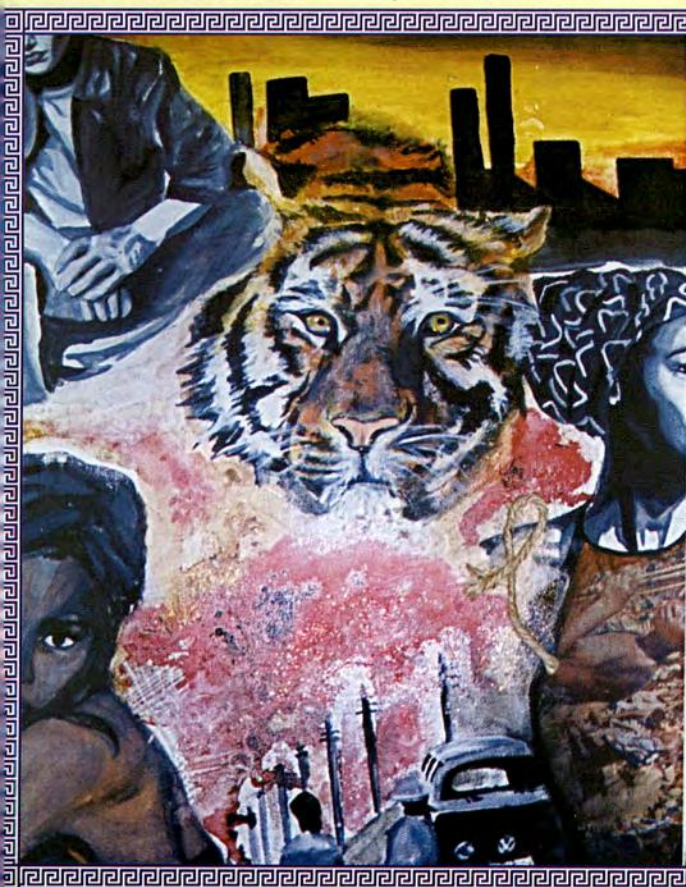
Chad Schertel - Gr 12 - Acrylic on board



Robert Janse van Duuren - Gr 12 - Coloured Pencil Crayon



Dennis Quick - Gr 12 - Diptych Landscape



Tracey Fletcher - Grade 12 - Acrylic on board, Diptych

