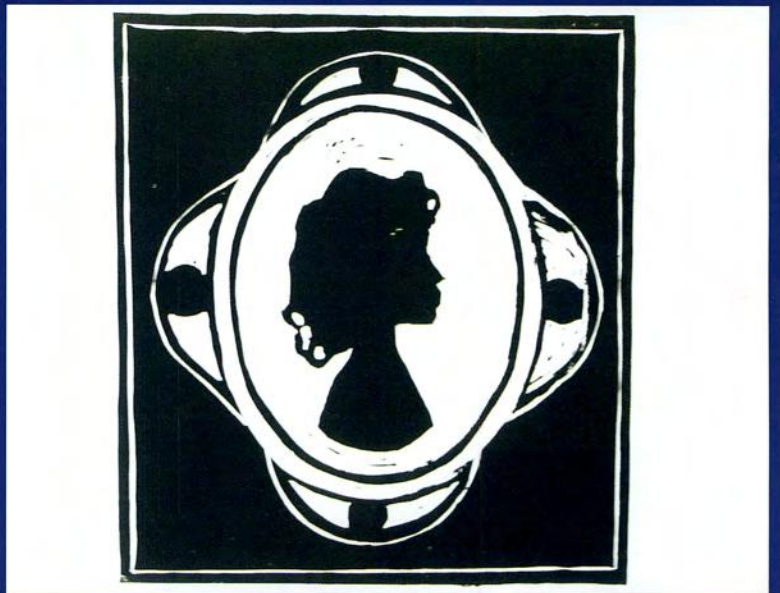
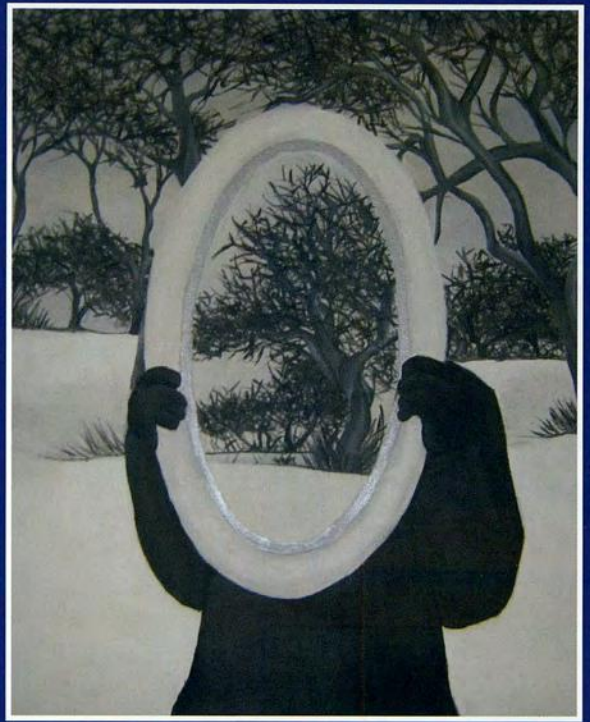


BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL



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THE YEARS SEEM TO BE SWEEPING BY AT AN EVER INCREASING RATE. BRYANSTON HIGH IS A VERY BUSY SCHOOL AS WE TRY TO CONFORM TO THE NEWS POLICIES, LEGISLATION AND CURRICULUM BUT, AT THE SAME TIME, RETAIN THE TRADITIONS AND POLICIES THAT HAVE MADE OUR SCHOOL SO SUCCESSFUL IN THE PAST. IN ADDITION, SOCIETY, TECHNOLOGY AND THE ECONOMY IS CHANGING AT AN EVER INCREASING RATE. TO PROVIDE A QUALITY AND RELEVANT EDUCATION IN THESE CHANGING TIMES IS AN EVER INCREASING CHALLENGE. I DO FEEL THAT ACADEMIC STANDARDS ARE UNDER THREAT. WE MIGHT LIVE IN A KNOWLEDGEABLE SOCIETY, HOWEVER, THE TRADITIONAL ACADEMIC SKILLS SUCH AS LEARNING NEW INFORMATION, CRITICAL ANALYSIS, RESEARCH, COMPREHENSION, EXPERIMENTATION AND CREATIVITY REMAIN THE FOUNDATION ON WHICH ALL ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS ARE FOUNDED.

NEW CURRICULUMS HAVE TRIED TO EMPHASIZE NEW WAYS OF LEARNING, BUT I FIRMLY BELIEVE THAT BASIC ACADEMIC SKILLS ARE ABOVE AND BEYOND THE CALL OF TIME AND ARE TRIED AND TESTED. WE OWE IT TO OUR CHILDREN TO GIVE THEM THE OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE AS MUCH KNOWLEDGE AS POSSIBLE AND ALL THE SKILLS AND CREATIVE ABILITY THAT GOES WITH THIS. ARMED WITH KNOWLEDGE AND SKILLS THEY WILL BE MORE THAN READY AND PREPARED TO MEET THE CHALLENGES OF THE GLOBAL ECONOMY AND BE ABLE TO ADAPT TO RAPID TECHNOLOGICAL AND SCIENTIFIC CHANGE. IF WE TEACH THE BASICS WELL TO OUR STUDENTS, THEY WILL BECOME THE NEW LEADERS IN THE WORLD AND NOT THE FOLLOWERS.

THE CHALLENGES TO MAINTAINING STANDARDS ARE CONSIDERABLE:

- TEACHERS ARE BATTLING TO ADAPT TO THE EVER CHANGING CURRICULUM AND THE ADMIN THAT GOES WITH IT
- FAMILIES ARE NOT AS STRONG AS THEY WERE IN THE PAST AND IT IS PLACING AN EXTRA BURDEN ON SCHOOLS TO TEACH STUDENTS VALUES AND THE CORRECT WAY TO BEHAVE
- VALUES HAVE DECLINED. JUSTICE, HONESTY AND FAIRNESS ARE DECLINING VALUES
- TV AND MOBILE PHONES HAVE CHANGED THE WAY PEOPLE INTERACT
- THE INTERNET HAS OPENED UP MANY OPPORTUNITIES, BUT IT HAS ALSO CREATED CHALLENGES, SUCH AS FACEBOOK AND PORNOGRAPHY
- MARKETING AND ADVERTISING IS MANIPULATING THE MARKETS AND THE WAY PEOPLE THINK AND WHAT THEY DO
- MORE AND MORE PEOPLE ARE UNDER SOME KIND OF CHEMICAL INFLUENCE OR HAVE A DEPENDENCY
- CRIME HAS MADE PEOPLE SCARED AND VULNERABLE
- THE DECLINING ECONOMY HAS THREATENED THE INCOME OF MANY FAMILIES
- THE SCHOOL IS STRUGGLING TO COLLECT SCHOOL FEES
- THE EXEMPTION SYSTEM IS DRAINING THE SCHOOL
- IT IS MORE AND MORE DIFFICULT TO GET STUDENTS AND THEIR PARENTS TO COMMIT TO THE EXTRA-MURAL PROGRAMME.

IT IS A TALE OF NEGATIVITY, HOWEVER I DO BELIEVE BRYANSTON HIGH HAS AN ANSWER TO MOST OF THE ABOVE ISSUES. WE ARE MAINTAINING STANDARDS AND OPENING UP NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL OUR MOTIVATED STUDENTS.

OUR TEACHERS ARE COMMITTED TO THE SCHOOL AND THE PROFESSION AND DO A FANTASTIC JOB UNDER DIFFICULT CIRCUMSTANCES. THE MANAGEMENT OF THE SCHOOL IS EXPERIENCED AND VERY COMPETENT. I BELIEVE THAT BECAUSE OF THEIR SKILLS AND HIGH STANDARD, THEY DO COME IN TO CONFLICT WITH PARENTS, STUDENTS AND EDUCATIONAL AUTHORITIES WHO DO NOT

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ALWAYS MATCH THEIR EXPERTISE OR EXPERIENCE.

WE HAVE A NEWLY ELECTED GOVERNING BODY WITH MANY MORE SKILLS THAN IN THE PAST AND I BELIEVE THAT WE HAVE A STUDENT BODY THAT IS TALENTED AND INVOLVED. OUR FACILITIES ARE THE BEST AROUND AND WE ARE CONSTANTLY UPGRADING THEM.

A 90% UNIVERSITY PASS RATE AND 100% PASS RATE MEANS OUR MATRIC RESULTS ARE SOME OF THE BEST IN THE COUNTRY. OUR MUSICAL WAS FANTASTIC. THE LEADERSHIP PROGRAMME IS ONE OF THE BEST. WE STILL ARE ABLE TO FIELD AS MANY SPORTS TEAMS AS WE HAVE DONE IN THE PAST. ALL STUDENTS AND TEACHERS HAVE ACCESS TO COMPUTERS. WE TRY TO MANAGE THE SCHOOL IN A DEMOCRATIC WAY SO OUR STUDENTS CAN LEARN THE SKILLS REQUIRED TO FUNCTION IN A FREE SOCIETY.

BRYANSTON HAS A LOT TO BE GRATEFUL FOR AND A LOT TO BE PROUD OF!

THE GOVERNING BODY WAS ELECTED DURING THE MIDDLE OF THE YEAR AND IT BROUGHT IN NEWLY ELECTED MEMBERS WITH NEW AND MUCH NEEDED SKILLS. IT IS EXCITING TO SEE THE NEW CHANGES IN THE ADMISSION PROCEDURE, FINANCIAL PROCEDURES AND THE REFURBISHING OF THE TUCK SHOP.

MR HUTTON HAS DONE A SUPERB JOB IN MANAGING THE FINANCES OF THE SCHOOL. HIS KNOWLEDGE AND ACCOUNTING EXPERTISE HAVE KEPT THE ACCOUNTS BALANCED AND HE HAS HAD THE SUPPORT OF A SKILLFUL BURSAR, MRS PEACOCK.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK OUR RE-ELECTED CHAIRMAN, MR ESTEVES, FOR HIS LOYAL SUPPORT OF THE SCHOOL AND MYSELF. THE TEACHERS AND I ALWAYS NEED TO KNOW THAT WE HAVE A COMMITTED CHAIRMAN ABLE TO SUPPORT US THROUGH ALL THE CHALLENGES WE FACE.

I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO THANK MRS DE VILLIERS FOR ALL HER SUPPORT IN THE ADMIN OF THE SCHOOL AND ASSISTING THE SBG TO OPERATE SO EFFICIENTLY. THE GOVERNING BODY'S CONTINUED MEMBERSHIP AND SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNING BODY FOUNDATION HAS GIVEN US IMPORTANT LEGAL AND POLICY ADVICE AND KEPT US INFORMED OF LEGISLATIVE AND POLICY CHANGES IN EDUCATION.

I AM VERY CONCERNED ABOUT THE FINANCIAL VIABILITY OF THE SCHOOL IN THE FUTURE. EXEMPTIONS ARE MAKING A BIGGER AND

BIGGER DENT IN OUR INCOME AND THE COST OF EDUCATION IS NOT DECREASING. ELECTRICITY AND MUNICIPAL CHARGES ALONE ARE A BIG THREAT AS THEY BECOME MORE AND MORE EXPENSIVE. THE GDE DOES NOT MAINTAIN THE INFRASTRUCTURE OF THE SCHOOL. SECURITY IS A GROWING COST. TEACHERS HAVE RECEIVED LARGE SALARY INCREASES IN THE PAST TWO YEARS. WE NEED TO KEEP OUR TEACHERS AND NOT LOSE THEM TO BETTER PAYING SCHOOLS. FILE SERVERS AND COMPUTERS ARE VERY EXPENSIVE AND EVERY MODERN SCHOOL NEEDS THEM. THE GROUNDS NEED CONSTANT ATTENTION, YET THE GOVERNMENT MAKES IT MORE AND MORE DIFFICULT TO COLLECT FEES AND IS NOW SEEKING TO CAP SCHOOL FEES. ONE WONDERS HOW LONG WE CAN MAINTAIN STANDARDS WHEN WE FACE SUCH A FINANCIAL THREAT IN THE FUTURE. I APPLAUD THE LADIES IN THE OFFICE COLLECTING THE FEES, UNDER THE GUIDANCE OF THE GOVERNING BODY. THIS IS AN IMPORTANT, BUT VERY STRESSFUL JOB.

ONE CAN SEE THE PATTERN IN SCHOOLS WHERE PARENTS HAVE RESISTED THE PAYMENT OF SCHOOL FEES AND THE NUMBER OF EXEMPTIONS HAVE GROWN; THESE SCHOOLS DO NOT ACHIEVE TO THE SAME LEVELS AS THEY HAVE DONE IN THE PAST.

THIS THEN RAISES THE ISSUE OF EXTRA-MURALS. I BELIEVE IN HOLISTIC EDUCATION WHERE EXTRA-MURALS PLAY A CRITICAL ROLE IN THE EDUCATION PROCESS WE OFFER AT THE SCHOOL. SPORT AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES PLAY A CRUCIAL ROLE IN THE HIDDEN CURRICULUM OF THE SCHOOL. EXTRA-MURALS GIVE THE SCHOOL A SOUL AND A PURPOSE. IT IS MY EXPERIENCE THAT IF EXTRA MURALS ARE ALLOWED TO DIE, SO DO THE ACADEMIC STANDARDS AND DISCIPLINE OF THE SCHOOL. ALL THE TOP SCHOOLS IN THE WORLD OFFER ELABORATE AND WIDE RANGING EXTRA-MURAL ACTIVITIES, BUT THE TREND IS FOR MANY GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS TO GIVE UP EXTRA-MURALS.

THE EVIDENCE IS APPARENT WHEN SOME SCHOOLS ARE NO LONGER COMPETING AGAINST US - EVERY SEASON WE ARE IN SEARCH OF NEW FIXTURES AS MANY OLD AND TRADITIONAL FIXTURES ARE NO LONGER VIABLE FOR US. YET PARENTS STILL CONSISTENTLY RESIST SUPPORTING THE SCHOOL WHEN THEY DO NOT ENCOURAGE THEIR CHILDREN TO PARTICIPATE IN AN AFTERNOON OR WEEKEND ACTIVITY, OR THEY SUPPORT THEIR CHILD'S INVOLVEMENT, BUT NEVER COME AND WATCH THE MATCH.

IT IS A CHALLENGE FOR TEACHERS TO CARRY A HEAVY ACADEMIC LOAD AND STILL GO ON TO UMPIRE A CRICKET MATCH OR TRAVEL ACROSS JOHANNESBURG FOR A HOCKEY MATCH, BUT THEY DO IT BECAUSE THEY KNOW IT CREATES A

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QUALITY SCHOOL AND IT MOULDS AND BUILDS QUALITY AND SUCCESSFUL STUDENTS. I HAVE NEVER BELIEVED THAT MAKING YOUR SON GIVE UP RUGBY SO HE CAN CONCENTRATE ON HIS MATHS WILL RESULT IN A HIGHER MATHS MARK. IN FACT I WILL ARGUE THAT BY DOING BOTH, HE WILL LEARN TIME MANAGEMENT AND DISCIPLINE.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL TEACHERS FOR DOING A WONDERFUL JOB. THERE ARE ALWAYS ISSUES IN THE STAFFROOM, BUT WE DO HAVE A HAPPY GROUP OF TEACHERS WHO CONDUCT THEMSELVES IN A PROFESSIONAL MANNER. THE STRESS IS ENORMOUS AT TIMES AND WE DO CRACK, BUT I ALSO BELIEVE WE ARE SKILLED AND PROFESSIONAL ENOUGH TO SOLVE PROBLEMS AND GROW FROM THE EXPERIENCE. WITH NEW CURRICULUM CHANGES IN THE PIPELINE, TEACHERS AGAIN HAVE TO LEARN NEW SYSTEMS AND ADAPT TO NEW POLICIES.

EVERY TEACHER IS SPECIAL AND I WOULD LIKE TO THANK EACH ONE FOR THEIR LOYALTY TO THE SCHOOL, THEIR SUPPORT OF ME AND THE HUGE COMMITMENT THEY HAVE MADE TO THE STUDENTS OF THE SCHOOL. IT IS A PRIVILEGE TO WORK WITH SUCH WONDERFUL PEOPLE.

THE ADMIN STAFF ARE AMAZING AND VERY SUPPORTIVE AND THEY TAKE A BIG LOAD OF PRESSURE OFF THE TEACHERS. FROM ANSWERING THE PHONE TO COLLECTING SCHOOL FEES THEY ARE AMAZING. PARENTS ARE OFTEN DIFFICULT; THEY HAVE TO DEAL WITH THE GDE; ADMISSIONS ARE COMPLEX AND YET THEY STILL HAVE TIME TO HELP STUDENTS WHO ARE NOT FEELING WELL OR STUDENTS WHO NEED HELP AND ASSISTANCE IN A FAMILY CRISIS.

MRS DE VILLIERS AND MRS PEACOCK ARE SUPERB LEADERS AND MANAGERS OF THE ADMIN AND FINANCES OF THE SCHOOL.

WE ARE BLESSED TO HAVE A LOYAL AND HARD WORKING GROUND STAFF. WE HAVE NOT REPLACED SOME OF THE STAFF WHO HAVE LEFT SO THEY ARE CARRYING A BIGGER WORK LOAD, YET THEY ARE PLEASANT TO WORK WITH AND ARE ALWAYS POSITIVE AND SUPPORTIVE OF THE SCHOOL. THE NEW SGB HAVE BEEN AMAZING IN BRINGING NEW ENERGY, EXPERTISE AND SKILLS INTO THE GOVERNING BODY AND THEY HAVE UNITED INTO A VERY GOOD TEAM, ACTING IN THE BEST INTERESTS OF THE SCHOOL. TO RUN A SCHOOL WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE NEW LEGISLATION IS A NOT AN EASY TASK AND THE FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS ARE HUGE.

ANOTHER MATRIC GROUP MOVES THROUGH THE SCHOOL AND I WOULD LIKE TO WISH THEM MUCH SUCCESS FOR THEIR EXAMS AND TRUST THEIR RESULTS REFLECT THE HARD WORK THEY HAVE PUT IN AND THAT THE RESULTS WILL BE STEPPING STONES TO EVEN GREATER SUCCESSSES IN LIFE. IT WOULD BE WONDERFUL TO HAVE A 100% PASS, A 95% BACHELORS PASS, AND WELL OVER 300 DISTINCTIONS. HOWEVER, STATISTICS DO NOT DO JUSTICE TO SAY WHAT A WONDERFUL GROUP THEY HAVE BEEN. TO HAVE AWARDED SO MANY HONOURS BLAZERS IS ILLUSTRATIVE OF HOW SUCCESSFUL THEY HAVE BEEN. GOOD LUCK TO ALL OF YOU AND THANKYOU FOR WHAT YOU HAVE DONE FOR THE SCHOOL!

D ROBINSON



CHAIRPERSON



OF OUR WELL TRAINED TEACHERS BY THE PRIVATE SCHOOLS.

SOUTH AFRICA HAS APPROXIMATELY 12.5-MILLION STUDENTS, SOME 386 600 TEACHERS AND 26 300 SCHOOLS, INCLUDING 1 100 REGISTERED PRIVATE SCHOOLS. OF ALL SCHOOLS, ROUGHLY 6 000 ARE HIGH SCHOOLS (GRADE 7 TO GRADE 12) AND THE REST PRIMARY (GRADE 0 TO GRADE 6).

IN GOVERNMENT-FUNDED PUBLIC SCHOOLS, THE AVERAGE RATIO OF SCHOLARS TO TEACHERS IS 36 TO ONE, WHILE PRIVATE SCHOOLS GENERALLY HAVE ONE TEACHER FOR EVERY 17 STUDENTS. THE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT PROVIDES A NATIONAL FRAMEWORK FOR SCHOOL POLICY, BUT ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITY LIES WITH THE PROVINCES. POWER IS FURTHER DEVOLVED TO GRASSROOTS LEVEL VIA ELECTED SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES, SUCH AS OURS, WHICH HAVE A SIGNIFICANT SAY IN THE RUNNING OF THE SCHOOL. IN OUR SCHOOL WE ARE ALLOCATED 36 TEACHERS, WHO ARE PAID FOR BY THE GDE, THE GOVERNING BODY EMPLOYS A FURTHER 31 TEACHERS, THIS IS TO KEEP THE STUDENT TEACHER RATIO TO MANAGEABLE PROPORTIONS.

THE BREAKDOWN OF STAFF EMPLOYED AT THIS SCHOOL IS AS FOLLOWS: ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF GDE 3 – SGB 6, GENERAL ASSISTANTS GDE 6 –SGB 9, TUCK SHOP SGB 2; AS YOU CAN SEE WE EMPLOY AND PAY FOR AN ADDITIONAL 48 STAFF MEMBERS TO MAKE THIS SCHOOL FUNCTION AT ITS OPTIMUM LEVEL.

MOST STATE SCHOOLS ARE STATE-AIDED TO SOME DEGREE; THE GOVERNMENT PROVIDES THE MINIMUM, AND PARENTS CONTRIBUTE TO BASICS AND EXTRAS IN THE FORM OF SCHOOL FEES. SCHOOL FEES ARE A VITAL SOURCE OF INCOME FOR US TO MAINTAIN THE STANDARDS THAT WE HAVE ACHIEVED THUS FAR.

SCHOOLS ARE RANKED IN FIVE CATEGORIES FOR FUNDING PURPOSES, BASED ON THE RELATIVE POVERTY OF THE COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE. THE POOREST SCHOOLS FALL INTO CATEGORY ONE, AND THE WEALTHIEST CATEGORY FIVE. WE FALL IN THE CATEGORY FIVE GROUPING, WHICH MEANS WE GET THE BARE MINIMUM FROM GOVERNMENT. OUR DEMOGRAPHIC PROFILE HAS CHANGED VASTLY AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO, AND WE STRIVE TO ATTRACT THE BEST POSSIBLE CANDIDATES.

PARENTS, I MUST ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONTINUE PAYING SCHOOL FEES AND CONTINUE TO ATTEND SCHOOL AGM'S WHERE YOU CAN AID IN DETERMINING FEES. BASIC EDUCATION IN THIS COUNTRY IS A GIVEN RIGHT, HOWEVER, WE AT

I WOULD LIKE TO BEGIN BY OFFERING A SPECIAL WELCOME TO THE NEW MEMBERS TO OUR GOVERNING BODY. JUDGING BY THE MEETINGS AND THE AMOUNT OF RESEARCH AND ACTUAL WORK BEING DONE BY THESE INDIVIDUALS, THEIR EAGERNESS TO GET INVOLVED AND TO INTERROGATE DECISIONS WHICH HAVE BEEN TAKEN IN THE PAST, I CAN SAY THAT MY PORTFOLIO AS CHAIRMAN HAS BEEN MADE SO MUCH EASIER. IT'S A PLEASURE WORKING WITH YOU.

THE AGM MEETING IS THE MOST IMPORTANT MEETING IN THE SCHOOL CALENDAR, AS PARENT INPUT AT A MEETING OF THIS NATURE IS CRUCIAL. THE AGM IS WHEN RESOLUTIONS ARE PASSED OR REJECTED; IT'S WHERE WE PITCH NEW FEE STRUCTURES FOR THE COMING YEAR; IT'S A PLATFORM FOR YOU AS THE PARENTS, TO ASK QUESTIONS OF GOVERNANCE OR ANY OTHER ISSUES FOR THAT MATTER; AND OF COURSE IT'S AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHOWCASE OUR ACHIEVEMENTS AS A SCHOOL. AT THIS POINT I WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE THE SCHOOL FOR BEING MENTIONED IN THE TOP 100 SCHOOLS IN SOUTH AFRICA, SUFFICE TO SAY FROM NOW ON WE SHOULD REFER TO OURSELVES AS A "TOP 100 SCHOOL".

THE MORE THINGS CHANGE THE MORE THEY STAY THE SAME, WE ARE ONCE AGAIN FACED WITH "TEACHER RETENTION" CHALLENGES, AND IN TRUE GDE FASHION, THEY ARE MAKING IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR THE GOVERNING BODY TO AUGMENT TEACHERS' SALARIES, COMMONLY KNOWN AS A "TOP UP" OR SECTION 38A OF SASA. WELL TRAINED AND DEDICATED TEACHERS SUCH AS OURS, ARE AN INCREDIBLY SCARCE COMMODITY IN THE PUBLIC SECTOR. PRIVATE SCHOOLS PAY TEACHERS WHAT THEY REALLY DESERVE, WHICH CREATES POACHING

CHAIRPERSON

BRYANSTON HIGH WE DO NOT OFFER A BASIC EDUCATION; WE OFFER A WORLD CLASS EDUCATION WHICH HAS TO BE PAID FOR. THERE ARE ONLY TWO KINDS OF PARENTS - THOSE WHO PAY SCHOOL FEES AND THOSE WHO WON'T!

THE HIGH COST OF LIVING IS AFFECTING TEACHERS AND PARENTS ALIKE; WE ARE ALL FEELING THE PINCH OF THE ECONOMIC CLIMATE. SCHOOL MATERIALS AND MAINTENANCE ARE ALL CONTRIBUTING FACTORS FOR THE INCREASE IN SCHOOL FEES.

INCREASES IN FEES AT GOVERNMENT SCHOOLS, WHICH MANAGE THEIR OWN BUDGETS, ARE AFFECTED BY THE INCREASING COST OF TELEPHONE BILLS, INTERNET CONNECTIONS, ELECTRICITY, WATER, AND GENERAL MAINTENANCE, INSURANCE FOR BUILDINGS WHICH INCIDENTALLY WE DON'T OWN, STOCK AND VEHICLES, AS WELL AS ADDITIONAL ACADEMIC AND NON-TEACHING STAFF EMPLOYED BY THE GOVERNING BODY. ELECTRICITY ALONE HAS INCREASED BY 32% THIS YEAR, AND FURTHER INCREASES OF 45% EACH YEAR FOR THE NEXT 3 YEARS ARE TO BE EXPECTED AND BUDGETED FOR. THE WORLD IS A DIFFERENT PLACE TO WHAT IT WAS 18 MONTHS AGO.

THERE ARE NO GOVERNMENT SUBSIDIES FOR OUR SCHOOL, AND IN ORDER TO BALANCE THE BUDGET, SCHOOL FEE INCREASES HAVE TO AT LEAST EQUAL THE INCREASE IN THE COSTS OF RUNNING THE SCHOOL.

LET US CONCENTRATE ON THE POSITIVE ATTRIBUTES OF THIS SCHOOL:

WHAT KIND OF SCHOOL DO WE HAVE? I BELIEVE WE HAVE AN EXCELLENT SCHOOL, MADE UP OF THE FOLLOWING INGREDIENTS, A VERY ABLE AND EXTREMELY COMPETENT CEO IN THE FORM OF THE PRINCIPAL, DAVE ROBINSON. THE CEO IS AIDED BY THE SMT (SCHOOL MANAGEMENT TEAM) WHO ARE VERY DEDICATED AND TAKE A NO NONSENSE APPROACH TO THE DAY TO DAY RUNNING OF THESE FACILITIES, AND THAT IS WHY WE ARE IN THE TOP 100 SCHOOLS IN GAUTENG.

THE MATRIC RESULTS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES ONCE AGAIN. LAST YEAR WE ACHIEVED A 100% PASS RATE, AND 90% OF OUR STUDENTS ACHIEVED A UNIVERSITY EXEMPTION.

AGAIN I WILL MENTION THAT IN THE SUNDAY TIMES SURVEY CONDUCTED LAST WEEK, WE WERE IN THE TOP 100 SCHOOLS IN GAUTENG. THIS SURVEY ONE CAN ARGUE AND SAY IS SKEWED AND

SUBJECTIVE ETC, BUT OUR ACTUAL RESULTS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES... WELL DONE STAFF THIS IS AN UNBELIEVABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

EQUALLY SPEAKING PRIVATE SCHOOLS CHARGE UP THE 250% MORE THAN WE DO, AND I STILL DON'T SEE THE BENEFIT OF AN EXTRA R60 000-00 IN FEES PAID IN PRIVATE SCHOOLS? LET ME REMIND YOU THAT IF YOU COMPARE THE FEES WHICH ARE BEING PROPOSED BY THIS SCHOOL WITH THAT OF ANY PRIVATE SCHOOL IN OUR FEEDER AREA, WE STAND HEAD AND SHOULDERS ABOVE THEM IN MOST ASPECTS

OUR SPORTS TEAMS HAVE ONCE AGAIN PROVED THEMSELVES ON THE FIELDS AND THE NUMBER OF BRYANSTON STUDENTS IN GAUTENG SIDES AND CLUBS PROVES THIS.

OUR HOCKEY BOYS WON THE AIKEN B LEAGUE AND HAVE NOW BEEN PROMOTED TO THE A LEAGUE.

A SPECIAL MENTION AND CONGRATULATIONS TO KIRSTEN WEIR FOR HER 4TH WHITE BLAZER AWARD, THE FIRST TIME IN THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY, THAT A STUDENT HAS RECEIVED THIS AWARD. A SPECIAL MENTION ALSO TO KELSEY SKINNER ON HER 3RD WHITE BLAZER. THIS IS A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT FOR BOTH OF YOU, WELL DONE!

WE ALL REMEMBER LERATO MHLANGA WHO IS WHEELCHAIR BOUND, SHE WAS A STUDENT HERE, UNTIL THE FIRST TERM THIS YEAR. I CAN REPORT THAT LERATO IS NOW AT THE HOPE SCHOOL IN WESTCLIFFE, AND IS DOING VERY WELL. BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL IS THE ADMINISTRATOR FOR THE FUNDS COLLECTED FOR LERATO FOR HER ONGOING EDUCATION. WE ARE ONCE AGAIN PROUD TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH A VERY SUCCESSFUL FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT PROGRAMME AT THE SCHOOL.

THIS YEAR THE SCHOOL HOSTED TWO STUDENTS FROM ARGENTINA WHO HAD A MOST MEMORABLE STAY AT THE SCHOOL. WE WERE FORTUNATE TO BE THE HOST FAMILY FOR ONE OF THESE GIRLS AND I CAN ONLY SAY THAT I WOULD DO IT AGAIN AND AGAIN.

I URGE YOU TO CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE SCHOOL AND THE TEACHERS OF THIS SCHOOL AND TO GET INVOLVED IN OUR ACTIVITIES, YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE, AND I ONCE AGAIN THANK THOSE WHO HAVE INDEED MADE A DIFFERENCE.

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STAFF REPORT

2009 HAS BEEN A BUSY AND EXCITING YEAR FOR THE STAFF AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. WE ARE FORTUNATE TO HAVE THE LEADERSHIP VISION OF OUR EXECUTIVE AND GOVERNING BODY WHO STEER THE SHIP WITH A STEADY HAND. THE STABILITY IS FURTHER ENHANCED BY THE MANY STAFF MEMBERS WHO HAVE SERVED THE BRYANSTON COMMUNITY FOR MANY YEARS. LONG SERVICE AWARDS WERE HANDED OUT, BY THE GOVERNING BODY, IN JANUARY. PARTICULAR MENTION SHOULD BE MADE OF JERRY MAHLADISA (35 YEARS); BEV WEIR (30 YEARS); MARLENE SCHUMANN (20 YEARS); JACOB BOLOKA (15 YEARS); VERONICA WEBB (15 YEARS).



MRS WEBB & MRS WEIR

ALTHOUGH THESE LENGTHS OF SERVICE ARE LONG AND NOTEWORTHY THEY PALE INTO INSIGNIFICANCE WHEN COMPARED TO MRS RON CHIAPPINI. RON HAS BEEN ACTIVELY ASSOCIATED WITH THE BRYANSTON COMMUNITY SINCE 1960. DUE TO ILL HEALTH SHE HAS DECIDED TO RETIRE AFTER 49 YEARS AND PURSUE LESS MATHEMATICAL ACTIVITIES. WE HOPE RON WILL ENJOY HER RETIREMENT, WE SHALL MISS YOU RON.

MR ROBINSON ALWAYS STARTS THE GRADE 8 YEAR WITH HIS ACTION MAN GARB. THE ACTION MAN EPITOMIZES MR ROBINSON AND HE ALWAYS ASPIRES TO CONQUER NEW PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES. THIS YEAR HE HAS BEEN ABLE TO REALIZE HIS DREAM TO RUN THE NEW YORK MARATHON. HE WAS CHOSEN AS A SOUTH AFRICAN FLAG BEARER. WE WERE DELIGHTED TO RECEIVE THE EMAIL RESULTS OF HIS 29164 POSITION. WELL DONE SIR! MR JEROME LAWRENCE IS OUR OTHER ACTIVE ATHLETE WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE TWO OCEANS MARATHON AND THE COMRADES MARATHON. WE BELIEVE THAT OTHER STAFF MEMBERS ARE TRAINING HARD TO BE PART OF THE 2010 COMRADES MARATHON. GOOD LUCK IN THE ARDUOUS TRAINING MR ROBINSON, MS WINSON, MR HARRIS AND MR LOUW.

NOT ALL TEACHERS RUN, THE SWIMMERS ENJOY A LONG SWIM AT MIDMAR DAM EACH

YEAR. CONGRATULATIONS TO MS TOERIEN, MR MOLLEMA, MR ROBINSON AND MR FARNELL FOR COMPLETING THE RACE. THE SWIMMERS WERE CHEERED ON BY MS MANDY VAN ROOYEN, MS KERRY MARTIN AND MR J.D. TOERIEN.

WALK THE TALK WAS A GRADE 8 ACTIVITY ORGANIZED BY THE GRADE CONTROLLERS, MRS SAM LABUSCAGNE AND MR CHRIS FONTAINE. THE HAPPY DAY WAS SHARED BY GRADE 8S, MR ROBINSON, MS MANDY VAN ROOYEN, MRS BEV WEIR, MS K. MARTIN AND MS KARLI MAARTENS.

ONE OF THE MANY PERKS OF TEACHING ARE THE LONG HOLIDAYS. MANY TEACHERS USE THIS TIME TO TRAVEL LOCALLY AND EVEN ABROAD. THIS YEAR OUR INTREPID TRAVELER AWARD IS PRESENTED TO MRS TERESA COOK WHO VISITED HONG KONG; NEW ZEALAND, FELL IN LOVE WITH ITALY AND THEN RELAXED IN MAURITIUS. OUR RUNNER UP TRAVELER AWARD GOES TO MRS WEBB WHO VISITED HER FAMILY IN LONDON IN APRIL AND JULY WHILE MS THOMSON VISITED ROME WHERE SHE RECEIVED A PAPAL BLESSING IN APRIL. MRS TOERIEN AND MRS TOLSTRUP TOOK THE GIRLS TO NAMIBIA. MRS TOERIEN VISITED EUROPE. MRS MARGE FIASCHI VISITED HOLLAND WHILE MR ANTONY OOSTHUYSE CHANGED HIS GAME VIEWING TO BOTSWANA NATIONAL PARKS.

MANY FAMILIES CHANGED THEIR STATUS THROUGH THE YEAR. MS KETH BECAME MRS LABUSAGNE, MRS PISO BECAME MRS MARTINS, MRS SCOTT BECAME MRS GILCHRIST, EACH OF THESE LADIES HAVE MET THEIR KNIGHT IN SHINING ARMOUR. WE WISH THEM JOY IN THEIR NEW LIVES.

EXCITEMENT AT ENGAGEMENTS AND PROSPECTIVE WEDDINGS AND BIRTHS ALWAYS ADD INTEREST TO THE STAFFROOM. THIS YEAR WAS NO EXCEPTION. CONGRATULATIONS TO MS KARLI MAARTENS ON HER ENGAGEMENT. GOOD LUCK TO MR TIM BARKER ON HIS FORTHCOMING MARRIAGE. MS DONNAY THOMSON IS ALSO GETTING MARRIED IN DECEMBER. FAMILIES GREW WITH THE ADDITION OF BEAUTIFUL BOUNCING BABIES. MRS NADIA KARCZMARCZYK RETURNED IN THE SECOND TERM AFTER THE BIRTH OF CHRISTOPHER. MRS JO COOK RETURNED TO SCHOOL IN THE THIRD TERM AFTER THE BIRTH OF HER BEAUTIFUL DAUGHTER ISLA. MR ANDY CRIGHTON'S WIFE GAVE BIRTH TO A BOUNCING SON ZACHARY AND MRS BRONWYN BYRNE WILL GIVE BIRTH SOON.

AHH... THE REST OF THE STAFF CONTINUE TO TEACH, COACH, AND SUPPORT THE LEARNERS OF BRYANSTON HIGH. IN CREATING THIS ENVIRONMENT WE HOPE THAT THEY WILL BE

STAFF REPORT

ABLE TO EMULATE MRS TOPSY TURVEY AND RETURN TO THEIR SCHOOL, 50 YEARS LATER. MRS TURVEY WAS ABLE TO CELEBRATE HER 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF HER MATRIC YEAR AT EUNICE IN BLOEMFONTEIN WITH HER CLASSMATES THIS YEAR.

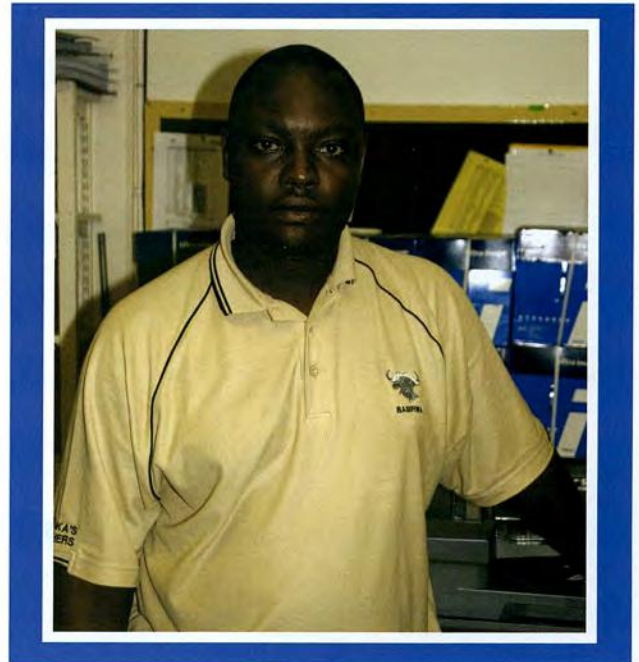
ALL STAFF MEMBERS JOINED THE GRADE 12 LEARNERS AT THE INDABA HOTEL FOR THE MATRIC DANCE. CONGRATULATIONS TO MRS WEIR, MS KERRY WINSON AND MRS BRONWYN BYRNE FOR PRODUCING MARDI GRAS – A PARTY TO REMEMBER.



SUPPORT STAFF

THE ACADEMIC SUPPORT STAFF ARE THE GREASE THAT RUNS THE SCHOOL MRS SANDY DE VILLIERS, THE HEADMASTER'S SECRETARY KEEPS ALL GDE MATTERS IN HAND. MRS MARGE FIASCHI TYPES UP ALL OUR DOCUMENTS BEAUTIFULLY AND EFFICIENTLY. MRS BARBS STROUD IS THE FACE OF BRYANSTON AS SHE DEALS WITH PARENTS AND LEARNERS. THEN THE FINANCE LADIES WHO WORK TIRELESSLY COLLECTING AND DISTRIBUTING

MONEY. THANK YOU MRS DI PEACOCK, MRS JUNE CORLETT, MRS SHAN MULLER AND MRS JENNIFER HARPER. A BIG THANKS TO MRS SONJA GILLESPIE IN THE LIBRARY AND MRS SHORTS DAVIDSON WHO IS ALWAYS AVAILABLE TO STAFF AND LEARNERS. THEN, OF COURSE, TO BEER WHO IS THE HEART BEAT OF THE OFFICE AS HIS MACHINES GRIND OUT MILLIONS OF COPIES EACH YEAR.



BEER



L - R: S. MULLER, J. HARPER, J. CORLETT, D. PEACOCK, S. DE VILLIERS, S. DAVIDSON, M. FIASCHI, B. STROUD, S. GILLESPIE

STAFF REPORT

GROUND STAFF

THE GROUND STAFF AND TUCKSHOP STAFF SPEND MANY HOURS WORKING BEHIND THE SCENES. THEIR DILIGENCE AND PATIENCE ARE A FACTOR THAT CREATES THE ENERGY AND ENTHUSIASM OF OUR SCHOOL. THANK YOU FOR THE LONG HOURS.

MRS T. MAXWELL



49 YEARS ON...



I WOULD NEVER HAVE THOUGHT AS I STEPPED INTO THE GATES OF BRYANSTON PRIMARY SCHOOL IN JANUARY 1960 THAT 49 YEARS LATER I WOULD FINALLY END MY TEACHING CAREER LEAVING BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL IN DECEMBER 2009.

BRYANSTON 1960 WAS A HAMLET IN THE COUNTRY – BEAUTIFUL BARONIAL HOMES ON 5 ACRE STANDS, HORSE STABLES AND BRIDAL PATHS, NO HIGHWAYS, NO SHOPPING CENTRES AND NO BRYANSTON HIGH! I CONFIDENTLY DROVE THE PUPILS FROM RIVERSANDS FARM TO SCHOOL AND BACK IN A 100 SEATER BEDFORD BUS.

METHUSELAH LIVED TO BE 969 YEARS OLD ... BUT IN FIFTY YEARS I SAW MORE IN THIS TIME THAN

HE SAW IN HIS LIFE TIME! MANY PUPILS WOULD HAVE KNOWN ME FROM GRADE 1 THROUGH TO GRADE 12 AS WE PROGRESSED FROM THE PRIMARY SCHOOL TO THE HIGH SCHOOL.

ALTHOUGH BRYANSTON BECAME MY HOME AND THE MANY PUPILS AND PARENTS, MY "FAMILY", I PERIODICALLY LEFT TO GAIN EXPERIENCE AND SPREAD MY WINGS. I TAUGHT IN THE U.K. FOR 2 YEARS (I REALLY HOPED TO BE A BAR-MAID) AND CAPE TOWN FOR A YEAR. IN 1970 I WAS APPOINTED TO BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL WHICH WAS THEN IN ITS SECOND YEAR OF EXISTENCE.

OTHER THAN A FIVE YEAR SPELL AT BLAIRGOWRIE HIGH AS HEAD OF THE MATHS DEPARTMENT, BRYANSTON WAS TRULY MY "FAMILY" NOW. I SERVED AS H.O.D. FOR 7 YEARS BEFORE DECIDING TO TAKE EARLY RETIREMENT. WITHIN A YEAR I WAS RECALLED TO TAKE UP THE CUDGELS AND HELP OUT IN THE MATHS DEPARTMENT.

AND NOW THE TIME HAS COME TO FINALLY SAY "AU REVOIR". THANKS FOR ALL THE MEMORIES, THE FRIENDSHIPS AND THE MANY LESSONS YOU HAVE TAUGHT ME. I WILL MISS YOU ALL AND TRUST THAT THE FUTURE WILL BRING ONLY HEALTH AND HAPPINESS.

GOODMAN ACE WROTE:

"I HAVE DISCOVERED THE SECRET FORMULA FOR A CAREFREE OLD AGE: JCR + F.I. IF YOU CAN'T RECALL IT – FORGET IT!"

I HOPE TO DO MUCH THE SAME.

GOD BLESS.

RON CHIAPPINI

ACADEMIC AWARDS



SENIOR AWARD WINNERS



JUNIOR AWARD WINNERS

GR 11 ACADEMIC AWARDS

TOP 25 PARTICIPANTS

THESE CERTIFICATES ARE AWARDED TO THE TOP 25 LEARNERS WHO HAVE COLLECTED POINTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR FOR PARTICIPATING IN SPORT, CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND FOR SUPPORTING SCHOOL FUNCTIONS.

WELL DONE TO:

25	73	VID GOBAC
24	74	ROSEY SEHALE
23	76	NOLLY SIBANDA
22	77	CRAIG TRESISE
21	78	LEE SPEECHLY
20	81	AMANDA KAPITO
19	82	THAPELO MOKOENA
18	83	MITCHELL HAEFELE
17	85	ROSIE NKOANE
16	86	MICHAEL TOUT
14	89	THAPI MAKGABUTLANE AND ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI
13	91	KIRTSSEN LANDMAN
12	92	COLLEEN WINTER
11	96	CHANELLE TORRENT
10	98	DEVLIN O' REILLY
9	101	LERATO KHATLE
8	114	LAUREN KILFOIL
7	115	GARETH BELL
6	119	LEE PECKOVER
4	131	MMATHOTO MANONG + KIRSTEN WEIR
3	134	CATHRYN MASTERSON
2	142	MEGAN DAVIDSON
1	183	KELSEY SKINNER

100% ATTENDANCE

THIS AWARD IS GIVEN TO LEARNERS WHO HAVE NOT MISSED ONE DAY IN GRADE 11 WHICH IS A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

WELL DONE TO:

ROSEY SEHALE, SHIRLEY MLAZA, TRACY BALOYI, BOIPELO RAMOSHU, KIRTSSEN WEIR, MICHAEL TOUT, ANDREW MILNE, GRAHAM HAY, NOLLY SIBANDA

SERVICE AWARDS

SERVICE BEYOND SELF WHEREBY LEARNERS HAVE MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE TO HELP OTHERS AND INVOLVED THEMSELVES IN DIFFERENT SPHERES WITHIN THE SCHOOL:

CHENEY DENT	LIFE ORIENTATION
TAMSYN LAWRENCE	AFRIKAANS
OLIVIA JANSEN	BUSINESS STUDIES
SIMPHIWE NHLAPO	MATHS
DEVLIN O' REILLY	MATHS
LEE SPEECHLY	MATHS
MMATHOTO MANONG	MATHS
MEGAN DAVIDSON	FIRST AID
KELSEY SKINNER	FIRST AID
CATHRYN MASTERSON	FIRST AID

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

FOR IMPROVEMENT:

KIRSTEN ADAMS – BIOLOGY
ANDREW BLANE – SCIENCE
JESSICA BOWYER – ART
DORIAN BRUYNS – MATHS
JESSE CASANOVA – BIOLOGY
JAMI-LEIGH CLOETE – BIOLOGY
YOLANDA DOMBO – ZULU
KAYLEE DOWDLE
VID GOBAC – AFRIKAANS
JODIE GRAVES – ENGLISH,
 CONSUMER STUDIES
SAMKELO GUNGULUZA –
 ZULU
MITCHELL HAEFELE – SCIENCE

KEEGAN HARRIS – SCIENCE
TYLER HILLARY – AFRIKAANS
CANDICE JACOBS –
 CONSUMER STUDIES
LERATO KHATLE – SCIENCE
MARIA KYRIAZIS – BIOLOGY
KIRSTEN LANDMAN –
 ENGLISH
ANDREW LE ROUX – SCIENCE
ROBERT LEE – EGD
TSEGOFATSO MBONGO –
 MATHS
TSHOLO MOSIKILI –
 BIOLOGY

LEON MULLER – EGD
SHAYNE MURRAY – ENGLISH
MANKE NAKEDI – BIOLOGY,
 GEOGRAPHY, CONSUMER
 STUDIES
DILLON NDLOVU – LO
PATRICK NDLOVU – ZULU
STORM OOSTHUIZEN – MATHS
MAXINE OOSTHUIZEN –
 MATHS LITERACY
KYLE PILLAY – LO
NISHMA POONAWALA – LO,
 GEOGRAPHY
KELVIN REDFORD – ENGLISH

MISTY RUHRMUND – LO
ROSEY SEHALE – LO
ALEX SFARNAS – HISTORY
MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH –
 MATHS
CARY-ANN STANTON –
 ENGLISH
TRISTAN LAMBERTI –
 BUSINESS STUDIES
CRAIG TRESISE – MATHS
DANIEL VONK – LO
JAMES WILLIAMS – EGD
DESMOND ZHANG –
 AFRIKAANS

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

MARGEUX ADAMS – AFRI-
 KAANS, ENGLISH
KIRSTEN ADAMS – ENGLISH
KYLE ASHFORD – EGD
ANDRE BADENHORST – LO,
 BUSINESS STUDIES
SUMMER BAILEY – ENGLISH,
 GEOGRAPHY
TRACY BALOYI – LO, BIOLOGY,
 ENGLISH
GARETH BELL – GEOGRAPHY,
 SCIENCE, ENGLISH, LO, MATHS
DYLAN BENSON – EGD
STACEY BONSER – LO
DORIAN BRUYNS – EGD
TALYA CARTER – MATHS,
 GEOGRAPHY
ANGELA COOK – GEOGRAPHY
SHAYLEEN CROWIE –
 AFRIKAANS, GEOGRAPHY
MEGAN DAVIDSON –
 SCIENCE, GEOGRAPHY,
 HISTORY, BIOLOGY
KIRSTEN DENYER – BIOLOGY
 GEOGRAPHY
BOJENA DEVEREUX – ENGLISH,
 GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
MICHAL DEVINE – AFRIKAANS,
 BUSINESS STUDIES
SHARON DUBE – CAT
CHRISTINA FERREIRA – LO,
 BUSINESS STUDIES

NICOLA FONDA – LO
SIMONE GAST – MATHS,
 GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY,
 BIOLOGY
VID GOBAC – GEOGRAPHY,
 MATHS
ANDREA GOCHEN –
 ENGLISH, GEOGRAPHY, BIOL-
 OGY
FRANCES GOODING – CAT
TEVIN GOVENDER –
 BIOLOGY
JODIE GRAVES – BIOLOGY
MITCHELL HAEFELE –
 AFRIKAANS
KEAGAN HARRIS – EGD
DAVID HATHERELL –
 SCIENCE, BIOLOGY, ENGLISH
GRAHAM HAY – GEOGRAPHY
DANIEL HUGHES –
 AFRIKAANS
CANDICE JACOBS –
 AFRIKAANS, GEOGRAPHY
OLIVIA JANSEN – ENGLISH,
 AFRIKAANS
LERATO KHATLE – MATHS
TIMOTHY KLUE – EGD,
 AFRIKAANS, GEOGRAPHY
CHAD KNEZOVICH –
 GEOGRAPHY
KIRSTEN LANDMAN –
 GEOGRAPHY

TAMSYN LAWRENCE –
 AFRIKAANS, ENGLISH,
 GEOGRAPHY
SIMON LEWIS – MATHS,
 SCIENCE, GEOGRAPHY,
 BIOLOGY
LANCE LUMSDEN – BIOLOGY,
 GEOGRAPHY
SIYANDA MADLANGA – LO,
 MATHS, SCIENCE, BIOLOGY
THAPI MAKGABUTLANE –
 SCIENCE
MMATHOTO MANONG –
 MATHS
CATHRYN MASTERSON –
 BUSINESS STUDIES
SHIRLEY MLAZA – LO,
 BIOLOGY, ENGLISH
TSEGO MBONGO – BIOLOGY
CHRISTINE MODIBA –
 CONSUMER STUDIES, AFRIKAANS
PETUNIA MTHOMBENI – LO,
 BUSINESS STUDIES
DIANA MURESAN – LO,
 SCIENCE
SHAYNE MURRAY – MATHS
 LIT
DEAN MYBURGH – EGD,
 AFRIKAANS
CIANKA NAIDOO – ENGLISH
DILLON NDLOVU – MATHS,
 BIOLOGY

MELLISSA NGWENYA – ZULU
SIMPHIWE NHLAPO – LO,
 BIOLOGY, ZULU
ROSIE NKOANE – BIOLOGY
MEAGAN OLIVIER –
 AFRIKAANS
DEVLIN O'REILLY –
 CONSUMER STUDIES
ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI –
 MATHS, SCIENCE, EGD,
 GEOGRAPHY
KEVIN PEACOCK –
 AFRIKAANS, BIOLOGY
LEE PECKOVER –
 GEOGRAPHY
DOROTHY PETEKE – BIOLOGY
NISHMA POONAWALA –
 MATHS LIT
BOIPELO RAMOSHU – CAT,
 AFRIKAANS, BIOLOGY
LUKE SEALE – GEOGRAPHY
ROSEY SEHALE – BIOLOGY,
 ENGLISH
SBU SHABANGU – ZULU
MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH –
 BUSINESS STUDIES
NOLLY SIBANDA – BUSINESS
 STUDIES
CLAIRE TAVERNER –
 CONSUMER STUDIES, BIOLOGY
AARON TENG – AFRIKAANS

GR 11 ACADEMIC AWARDS

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

CHANELLE TORRENT – LO,
GEOGRAPHY
MICHAEL TOUT –
GEOGRAPHY

CRAIG TRESISE – EGD
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN –
SCIENCE, AFRIKAANS,
GEOGRAPHY

COLLEEN WINTER – LO
DONOVAN WRESSSELL – EGD
ALEX WRIGHT – MATHS,
AFRIKAANS

MICHELLE WRIGHT –
CONSUMER STUDIES

EXCELLENCE IN GEOGRAPHY AS 8TH SUBJECT:

STORM OOSTHUIZEN, AMANDA KAPITO

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

DISTINCTIONS

5 DISTINCTIONS:

SIMON LEWIS, SIYANDA MADLANGA,
ALEX WRIGHT, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI

6 DISTINCTIONS:

SIMONE GAST

7 DISTINCTIONS:

KIRSTEN WEIR, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN

ENGLISH 1ST LANGUAGE
AFRIKAANS 2ND LANGUAGE
FRENCH
ZULU 2ND LANGUAGE
MATHS LITERACY
MATHS
BUSINESS STUDIES
SCIENCE
LIFE SCIENCES
ACCOUNTING
GEOGRAPHY
HISTORY
CONSUMER STUDIES
LIFE ORIENTATION
IT
CAT
EGD
ART

TOP IN EACH SUBJECT

SIMONE GAST, KIRSTEN WEIR (82%)
SIMONE GAST (93%)
CHANELLE TORRENT (84%)
ANDREW SIBIYA (82%)
CHELCIE REYNOLDS (90%)
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, KIRSTEN WEIR (96%)
ALEX WRIGHT (90%)
KIRSTEN WEIR (85%)
KIRSTEN WEIR (87%)
SIYANDA MADLANGA (91%)
KIRSTEN WEIR (92%)
STORM OOSTHUIZEN (86%)
MEAGAN OLIVIER (82%)
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, KIRSTEN WEIR (90%)
ALEX WRIGHT (93%)
EUVESHAN GOVENDER (79%)
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN (93%)
SIMPHIWE NHLAPO (95%)

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES (RCL)

LEADERSHIP SCROLLS ARE AWARDED TO MEMBERS OF THE L.I.A. WHO HAVE EXCELLED THROUGHOUT THE YEAR AND HAVE BEEN ROLE MODELS TO THE L.I.A. WELL DONE TO:

ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA, CHRISTINA FERREIRA, SIYANDA MADLANGA, AMANDA KAPITO, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE, LERATO KHATLE, MMATHOTO MANONG, CATHRYN MASTERSON, PETUNIA MTHOMBENI, MEGAN DAVIDSON, CHAD KNEZOVICH, LAUREN KILFOIL, LEE PECKOVER, KELSEY SKINNER, KIRSTEN WEIR, TAMSYN LAWRENCE, MARGEUX ADAMS, MEAGAN OLIVIER, GARETH BELL, DAVID HATHERELL, OLIVIA JANSEN

TROPHY AWARDS

TOP ACHIEVER IN L.I.A.

THE 2008 TROPHY IS AWARDED TO TWO LEARNERS WHO WERE AN INSPIRATION TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE LIA. A YOUNG LADY WHO SHOWED DETERMINATION, COMMITMENT AND WAS OFTEN THE BACKBONE TO MANY FUNCTIONS. SHE HAD THE ABILITY TO MOTIVATE OTHERS AND WAS ALWAYS ON THE PHONE OR VISITING PEOPLE TO GET SPONSORS. SHE WAS AN ABSOLUTE STAR! A YOUNG GENTLEMAN WHO LOVED TO BE "ALL OVER THE SCHOOL". HE WAS ENTHUSIASTIC, TOTALLY INVOLVED AND WAS DETERMINED TO ENSURE THAT THE 2008 LIA WAS THE BEST EVER.

WELL DONE TO **CHRISTINA FERREIRA** AND **ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA**

CULTURAL AWARD:

BOYS: THIS YOUNG MAN PARTICIPATED IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION, WAS DIRECTOR, WROTE AND DIRECTED A GRADE 8 PLAY. CONGRATULATIONS **MICHAL DEVINE**

GIRLS: THIS YOUNG LADY TOOK PART IN THE PLAYS FESTIVAL, DIRECTED A PLAY, DID PUBLIC SPEAKING AND GOT A TEAM AWARD, DEBATING SENIOR TEAM, AND WAS IN CHARGE GRADE 8 PLAYS CONGRATULATIONS **LERATO KHATLE**

BEST CLASS CAPTAIN: **LEE SPEECHLY** AND **TAMSYN LAWRENCE**

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR:

THIS IS A SHARED AWARD BETWEEN TWO VERY SPORTING YOUNG MEN. THE FIRST RECIPIENT WAS IN THE 1ST RUGBY TEAM, MADE THE DISTRICT SIDE, WAS CAPTAIN AND RECEIVED FULL COLOURS, WAS IN THE CRICKET FIRST TEAM AS VICE CAPTAIN, RECEIVING FULL COLOURS AND WAS IN THE SWIMMING A SIDE.

THE SECOND RECIPIENT WAS IN THE CRICKET FIRST TEAM, WAS CAPTAIN AND RECEIVED FULL COLOURS, WAS IN THE HOCKEY 1ST TEAM AND MADE THE DISTRICT SIDE AND RECEIVED FULL COLOURS, WAS IN THE SQUASH 2ND TEAM.

WELL DONE **DEAN MYBURGH** AND **TYRONE HAMMOND**

SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR:

PARTICIPATED IN SWIMMING A WITH COLOURS, TENNIS 1ST TEAM WITH COLOURS, HOCKEY A WITH COLOURS & PROVINCIAL COLOURS, ATHLETICS A WITH COLOURS, CROSS COUNTRY, INDOOR NETBALL, PART OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL'S FIRST AID WITH COLOURS.

WELL DONE **KELSEY SKINNER**

ESPRIT DE CORPS

GIRL: KIRSTEN WEIR

BOY: CHAD KNEZOVICH

MEDALS

GRADE CONTROLLERS AWARD:

GIRL: THIS AWARD GOES TO A WELL-MANNERED YOUNG LADY WHO HAS INVOLVED HERSELF FULLY IN LIFE AT BRYANSTON HIGH. SHE HAS TAKEN PART IN A NUMBER OF SPORTS INCLUDING CROSS COUNTRY, ATHLETICS AND 1ST TEAM HOCKEY. SHE HAS ALSO BECOME INVOLVED CULTURALLY, BEEN A HARD-WORKING MEMBER OF THE SOUND AND LIGHTING CREW. SHE NEVER CALLS ATTENTION TO HERSELF, BUT JUST GETS ON WITH THE TASK AT HAND WITH QUIET ENTHUSIASM, DIGNITY AND COMMITMENT. WELL DONE TO **DASHA MASLOVA**.

BOY: THIS AWARD GOES TO A BOY WHO HAS PROVEN HIMSELF THROUGHOUT THE YEARS AS BEING A TRUE BRYANSTONIAN. HIS SCHOOLING WAS OFF TO A BIT OF A ROCKY START, BEING IN THE GRADE CONTROLLER'S OFFICE MORE OFTEN THAN NOT, BUT HE SOON GREW AND MATURED INTO A FINE YOUNG MAN. HE HAS PARTICIPATED IN ALL AREAS THAT THE SCHOOL HAS TO OFFER, BUT MAINLY CONCENTRATED ON HIS RUGBY, CRICKET AND ATHLETICS. HE IS A PLEASURE TO HAVE IN CLASS, AND WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING HIM SUCCEED IN ALL HIS ENDEAVOURS. WELL DONE **DILLON NDLOVU**

TOP TWENTY

20 TH	75%	DAVID HATHERELL, MICHAL DEVINE
17 TH	76%	SHAYLEEN CROWIE, CATHRYN MASTERSON, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO
12 TH	77%	GARETH BELL, MEGAN DAVIDSON, AMANDA KAPITO, LERATO KHATLE, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE
11 TH	78%	STORM OOSTHUIZEN
8 TH	79%	MARGEUX ADAMS, SIMON LEWIS, KELSEY SKINNER
6 TH	80%	TIMOTHY KLUE, SIYANDA MADLANGA
5 TH	81%	ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI
4 TH	82%	ALEX WRIGHT
3 TH	86%	SIMONE GAST
2 ND	87%	CALVIN VANDERWAGEN
1 ST	88%	KIRSTEN WEIR

FULL COLOURS

70%	LEE SPEECHLY, LEE PECKOVER
71%	YOLANDA ACKERMANN, TYLER HILLARY, TALYA CARTER
72%	MICHAEL TOUT, NOLLY SIBANDA, CHELCIE REYNOLDS
74%	MEAGAN OLIVIER, CHAD KNEZOVICH, VID GOBAC
	SUMMER BAILEY

HALF COLOURS

68%	CHANELLE TORRENT, DASHA MASALOVA, TAMSYN LAWRENCE
69%	MATHOTO MANONG
	GRACE KATENDE

GR 10 ACADEMIC AWARDS

TOP 25 PARTICIPANTS

THESE CERTIFICATES ARE AWARDED TO THE TOP 25 LEARNERS WHO HAVE COLLECTED POINTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR FOR PARTICIPATING IN SPORT, CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND FOR SUPPORTING SCHOOL FUNCTIONS.

WELL DONE TO:

25 TH	46 PTS	MARTENE ESTEVES, JULIA LOUW
23 RD	47 PTS	YUEH KUAN
22 ND	48 PTS	KIRSTEN SEALE, CALLUM MACINTYRE, TERENCE KOVACS, TEAGAN BARTLEY
19 TH	50 PTS	JEANNE VIJJOEN
17 TH	51 PTS	GAVIN WOOD, ABIGAIL LOUBSER
16 TH	53 PTS	MIKHAEL BENEFELDT
15 TH	55 PTS	NICOLE HERDMAN
14 TH	56 PTS	SHAUN RALEFETA
12 TH	63 PTS	ASHLEIGH VAN DE VYVER, RICK LIPNER
11 TH	65 PTS	NINA WILSON
10 TH	67 PTS	ANGELA WILSON
8 TH	69 PTS	KONO NDLOVU, CHANEL SPRIEMAN
7 TH	70 PTS	SABINA PAUSELLI
6 TH	74 PTS	ALYSSA GARRARD
4 TH	84 PTS	RYAN BANKS, JONATHAN CALLEBAUT
2 ND	90 PTS	KELLY-JO UREN
1 ST	94 PTS	JENNA FULCHER

100% ATTENDANCE

THIS AWARD IS GIVEN TO LEARNERS WHO HAVE NOT MISSED ONE DAY IN GRADE 10 WHICH IS A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

WELL DONE TO:

SHANNON-LEE BAXTER, ANDI MANTSHA, CALUM FYFFE, CALLUM MACINTYRE, GRACE HONG, ANDREA FERENCZY, RICHARD HALLENDORFF, NINA WILSON, ANGELA WILSON, ASHLEIGH VAN DE VYVER, KIRSTEN SEALE, CASSEY NDLOVU

SERVICE AWARDS

SERVICE BEYOND SELF WHEREBY LEARNERS HAVE MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE TO HELP OTHERS AND INVOLVED THEMSELVES IN DIFFERENT SPHERES WITHIN THE SCHOOL:

JAMES OSBORNE, JORDYN ALEXANDER	LIFE ORIENTATION
COURTNEY CROXFORD	SERVICE BEYOND SELF
BONGIWE XULU, NATACHA GAUD	MATHEMATICS
VENESA MLAMBO	ZULU
CALLUM FYFFE	BUSINESS STUDIES
JESSICA MATHIBE	VISUAL ARTS
CHRIS TREGURTHA	ENGLISH

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

FOR IMPROVEMENT:

ARCHANA LECKRAM - LO
WADE FROST - ENGLISH, CAT
JENNIFER KWANJANA - HISTORY
DAORIN MOODLEY - EGD, ENGLISH
RENEILOE MATLAISANE - HISTORY
MUSH'AB ALI - ENGLISH, EGD
SHAUN RALEFETA - HISTORY
JORDYN ALEXANDER - MATHS
SHANNON-LEE BAXTER - MATHS
THASHEN PILLAY - MATHS
DIANA COOGAN - MATHS
DOMINIQUE DE VILLIERS - SCIENCE
NOEMIE MARION - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY

MADELEINE VAN ZYL - SCIENCE, MATHS
YONELA NQWENISO - MATHS
JONATHAN CALLEBAUT - BUSINESS STUDIES
RYAN PILLAY - MATHS
DEAN CHUDLEIGH - GEOGRAPHY
WESLEY ROGERS - MATHS
TRISHEN GOVENDER - ACCOUNTING
ROSS STEWART - MATHS
RICK LIPNER - ENGLISH, AFRIKAANS
CHRISTOPHER PRANGLEY - LO
CRAIG TSHABALALA - ENGLISH
ANDREA FERENCZY - LO
TUMELO NDLOVU - ENGLISH
LIZNET MAHLANGU - LO

PAMELA LEGODI - ZULU
BRETT SCHWARTZ - MATHS, BUSINESS STUDIES
ANTHONY WARD - AFRIKAANS
PULENG MOTLOGELWA - ENGLISH
JOSHUA KATUMBA - ENGLISH
ALYSSA GARRARD - CONSUMER STUDIES
ALTHEA MATHEKGA - CONSUMER STUDIES
ZANDILE BUTHELEZI - CONSUMER STUDIES
EDWIN KIBUGI - EGD
ROB METCALFE-JOWITT - EGD
YUVIR NURSOO - EGD
BRADLEY SALT - EGD
NATASHA FLEMMER - MATHS

ALICIA GOVENDER - MATHS, LIFE SCIENCES
KELSEY GLASS - MATHS
ALEX TILEY - MATHS
AMANDA WALTERS - MATHS
RICHARD HALLENDORFF - MATHS
CALLUM MACINTYRE - MATHS
GAVIN WOOD - MATHS
MALCOLM CHIPANGURA - MATHS
KYLIE WILKINSON - MATHS
MELANIE CHARLTON - MATHS
JULIA LOUW - MATHS
SIOBHAN VIJJOEN - MATHS
NATACHA GUAD - MATHS
TAYTUM CLARKE - CAT
NICOLE SCROOBY - CAT

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

ARCHANA LECKRAM - LO
NATASHA FLEMMER - LO, AFRIKAANS, ENGLISH, BUSINESS STUDIES, LIFE SCIENCES
KABELO THEMANE - LO, ACCOUNTING
SAVANNAH SOLOMONS - CONSUMER STUDIES
CASSEY NDLOVU - LO
LOUISE ISAACS - CONSUMER STUDIES
RICK LIPNER - LO
AMELIA COOGAN - BUSINESS STUDIES
GAVIN WOOD - HISTORY
KYLIE WILKINSON - ENGLISH, ACCOUNTING
TANIA KU - HISTORY, MATHS, VISUAL ARTS
JOSHUA KATUMBA - ENGLISH
CHANEL SPRIEMAN - HISTORY
NICHOLAS AFFAT - SCIENCE, AFRIKAANS

JENNA FULCHER - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY
MUSH'AB ALI - ENGLISH
SIA MACOLINE - HISTORY
SABRINA CERUTI - GEOGRAPHY
STUART EDWARDS - MATHS, LO, SCIENCE
SHANNON-LEE BAXTER - LO, AFRIKAANS
JONATHAN CALLEBAUT - SCIENCE
MELANIE CHARLTON - LO, BUSINESS STUDIES, AFRIKAANS
MALCOLM CHIPANGURA - ACCOUNTING
JENNIFER KWANJANA - LO, VISUAL ARTS
MUSA MSIBI - AFRIKAANS
NATACHA GAUD - LO, BUSINESS STUDIES
JENNY MCCULLOUGH - AFRIKAANS, GEOGRAPHY, BUSINESS STUDIES, MATHS, ACCOUNTING, ENGLISH

JEMMA-LEE NELSON - LO, AFRIKAANS
JADI CLEARY - ACCOUNTING
KAYLA STAMBOUL - AFRIKAANS
KARINA SZUMAN - ACCOUNTING
KELSEY GLASS - AFRIKAANS, ENGLISH, GEOGRAPHY, BUSINESS STUDIES
SAMANTHA KENNET - EGD, ACCOUNTING
BRUCE MMADI - AFRIKAANS
STHEMBILE MBONGO - ACCOUNTING
ROB METCALFE-JOWITT - LO
BERNICE SWART - MATHS, ACCOUNTING
LORRAINE MUDEDE - LO
ANGELA WILSON - MATHS, ACCOUNTING, LIFE SCIENCES
NINA WILSON - MATHS, ACCOUNTING, LIFE SCIENCES
COENIE PRETORIUS - LO
MIKAEL BENEFELDT - EGD
ROSS STEWART - LO, AFRIKAANS

RICHARD HALLENDORFF - EGD
MEEGAN ADAMS - BUSINESS STUDIES, GEOGRAPHY
KRISTINA HOLUBEVA - EGD
DOMINIQUE DE VILLIERS - GEOGRAPHY
YUEH KUAN - EGD
GRACE HONG - GEOGRAPHY, AFRIKAANS, MATHS, LIFE SCIENCES
SABINA PAUSELLI - EGD
AMANDA WALTERS - GEOGRAPHY
EUN HYE RLEE - EGD
WESLEY ROGERS - GEOGRAPHY
ALEX TILEY - EGD
DA AE KIM - GEOGRAPHY, SCIENCE, ENGLISH
JEANNE VIJJOEN - EGD
BUHLE MKWANANZI - GEOGRAPHY, MATHS
KELISHA PILLAY - GEOGRAPHY
ALZIRA QUEIROZ - EGD

GR 10 ACADEMIC AWARDS

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

ANDREA FERENCZY - MATHS, BUSINESS STUDIES
SAMANTHA HAMMOND - AFRIKAANS
SIOBHAN VILJOEN - EGD
CHELSEA OSBORNE - AFRIKAANS
NADIA NIKOLOVA - ACCOUNTING
AKIEL MISSE - AFRIKAANS
ALICIA GOVENDER - AFRIKAANS
MARTENE ESTEVES - LIFE SCIENCES

NOMPUMELELO MBHELE - ZULU
THULISA MAGADU - ZULU
RYAN BANKS - ENGLISH, ACCOUNTING, MATHS, LIFE SCIENCES, GEOGRAPHY
KIRSTEN SEALE - ENGLISH, ACCOUNTING
BERNICE SWART - ENGLISH, LIFE SCIENCES
KELLY-JO UREN - ENGLISH, ACCOUNTING, MATHS, LIFE SCIENCES, GEOGRAPHY

KONO NDLOVU - ENGLISH, AFRIKAANS
ZANDILE BUTHELEZI - ENGLISH, MATHS
KEZIAH AIYER - ENGLISH, ACCOUNTING
RETHABILE LITLHAKAYNE - ACCOUNTING
KELISHA PILLAY - MATHS, ACCOUNTING
JORDYN ALEXANDER - CONSUMER STUDIES
SEAN STANFORD - BUSINESS STUDIES

KGOSI TSINTSING - BUSINESS STUDIES
CALLUM MCINTRYE - LIFE SCIENCES
WESLEY VAN ZANTEN - AFRIKAANS
GREG GLANVILL - CAT
KERRY ALLIN - CAT
ZEEVON BEAUTEMENT - CAT
FIONA LEKGOE - CAT
NOMGCOBO MBEKI - CAT
JOSHUA EVENSON - LIFE SCIENCES

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

DISTINCTIONS

4 DISTINCTIONS:

KARINA SZUMAN

5 DISTINCTIONS:

SAM KENNET, JENNY MCCULLOUGH, ANGELA WILSON, MELANIE CHARLTON, NATASHA FLEMMER, NIKITA SOKOPO

7 DISTINCTIONS:

NINA WILSON, BERNICE SWART

8 DISTINCTIONS:

RYAN BANKS, KELLY-JO UREN, KIRSTEN SEALE, JENNA FULCHER

ENGLISH
AFRIKAANS
FRENCH
ZULU
MATHEMATICAL LITERACY
MATHEMATICS
BUSINESS STUDIES
PHYSICAL SCIENCE
LIFE SCIENCES
ACCOUNTING
GEOGRAPHY
HISTORY
CONSUMER STUDIES
LO
ENGINEERING & DESIGN
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
CAT
VISUAL ART

TOP IN EACH SUBJECT

JENNA FULCHER (83%)
 BERNICE SWART (95%)
 NOELLA MUPUNGILA (91%)
 ALTHEA MATHEKGA (85%)
 ALTHEA MATHEKGA (87%)
 KIRSTEN SEALE (87%)
 MELANIE CHARLTON (94%)
 RYAN BANKS (86%)
 KIRSTEN SEALE, JENNA FULCHER (89%)
 NIKITA SOKOPO (91%)
 RICHARD HALLENDORFF, GRACE HONG (87%)
 JENNA FULCHER (93%)
 NADIA NIKOLOVA (83%)
 KARINA SZUMAN (88%)
 KARINA SZUMAN (96%)
 STUART EDWARDS (93%)
 GREG GLANVILL (79%)
 TANIA KU (81%)

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES (RCL)

FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE RCL AND EXCELLENCE IN REPORTING BACK TO THE CLASS AND AS A ROLE MODEL TO OTHERS:

JORDYN ALEXANDER, JONATHAN CALLEBAUT, JENNA FULCHER, KELLY-JO UREN

TROPHY AWARDS

CULTURAL AWARD:

BOYS: THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG MAN WHO SHOWED GREAT TALENT IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION. WELL DONE TO **CHRIS TREGURTHA**

GIRLS: THIS AWARD IS SHARED BETWEEN TWO YOUNG LADIES. THE FIRST AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG LADY WHO TOOK PART IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION AND WHO WON BEST ACTRESS FOR HER PERFORMANCE IN THE PLAYS FESTIVAL. SHE PARTICIPATES EXCEEDINGLY WELL IN THE RHETORIC TEAM AND WAS PART OF THE PUBLIC SPEAKING TEAM. SHE WENT ON TO BECOME PART OF THE TOP 10 IN THE ROTARY PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION. WELL DONE TO **JENNA FULCHER**

THE SECOND RECIPIENT OF THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG LADY WHO PLAYED A MAJOR ROLE IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION IN WHICH SHE DISPLAYED OUTSTANDING ACTING AND SINGING TALENT. SHE WAS ALSO A HUGE ASSET IN THE HOUSE PLAYS. SHE ALSO PARTICIPATED IN THE RHETORIC SOCIETY, HAVING TAKEN PART IN A NUMBER OF DEBATES AND BEING AN ASSERTIVE MEMBER OF THE FLOOR. SHE ALSO TOOK PART IN THE PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION AND SHE AND HER TEAM ACHIEVED A B+ GRADING. WELL DONE **CHANEL SPRIEMAN**

BEST CLASS CAPTAIN: KONO NDLOVU

BEST RCL REPRESENTATIVE: KELLY-JO UREN

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR:

FOR ATTAINING REGIONAL COLOURS IN CROSS COUNTRY AND FULL COLOURS AT SCHOOL; FULL COLOURS IN ATHLETICS, IS IN THE A-SWIMMING TEAM AND THE U16A RUGBY TEAM, CONGRATULATIONS TO **RYAN BANKS**

SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR:

FOR ACHIEVING TEAM COLOURS IN NETBALL, CHEERLEADING, SWIMMING AND ATHLETICS AND OBTAINING HALF COLOURS IN ATHLETICS, CONGRATULATIONS TO **ALYSSA GARRARD**

ESPRIT DE CORPS

GIRL: JENNA FULCHER

BOY: RYAN BANKS

TOP ACHIEVER:

JENNA FULCHER

MEDALS

GRADE CONTROLLERS AWARD:

GIRL: THIS YEAR THE AWARD IS A SHARED ONE BETWEEN TWO SPECIAL GIRLS, WHO DURING THE COURSE OF LAST YEAR HAVE BLOSSOMED INTO MATURE AMBASSADORS FOR BRYANSTON HIGH. THEY ARE DEDICATED AND MOTIVATED AND HAVE AN ENTHUSIASTIC APPROACH TO SCHOOL LIFE. THEY ARE RESPECTED BY THEIR PEERS AND TEACHERS ALIKE AND IT IS CLEAR THAT THEY WILL GO FROM STRENGTH TO STRENGTH. WELL DONE TO **NADIA NIKOLOVA** AND **JEANNE VILJOEN**

BOY: THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG MAN WHO IS A TRUE GENTLEMAN AND IS ALWAYS WILLING TO LEND A HELPING HAND. HE HAS IMPECCABLE MANNERS AND HE PARTICIPATES WHERE HE CAN. HE IS WELL RESPECTED BY HIS TEACHERS AND HIS PEERS. IT IS A PLEASURE AND A PRIVILEGE TO HAVE HIM IN OUR GRADE. WELL DONE **KONO NDLOVU**

TOP TWENTY

20 TH	77%	BUHLE MKWANANZI
18 TH	78%	KEZIAH AIYER, TANIA KU
15 TH	79%	GRACE HONG, DA AE KIM, BELINDA RANTAO
14 TH	80%	SAMANTHA KENNET
12 TH	81%	ANGELA WILSON, JENNY MCCULLOUGH
8 TH	82%	STUART EDWARDS, NIKITA SOKOPO, NATASHA FLEMMER, MELANIE CHARLTON
6 TH	83%	NINA WILSON, KARINA SZUMAN
5 TH	84%	RYAN BANKS GUIDO VALENTINI, SHANNON MAWSON
4 TH	86%	KELLY-JO UREN
2 ND	87%	BERNICE SWART, KIRSTEN SEALE
1 ST	88%	JENNA FULCHER

FULL COLOURS

70%	SEAN VAN DE VYVER
71%	RENEILOE MATLAISANE, JADI CLEARY, KELSEY GLASS, NICHOLAS AFFAT
72%	NATACHA GAUD, RICHARD HALLENDORFF
73%	KABELO THEMANE, CHANEL SPRIEMAN, AMANDA WALTERS, KRISTINA HOLUBEVA
74%	ALICIA GOVENDER, MADELEINE VAN ZYL, SABINA PAUSELLI
76%	EUN HYE RLEE, JEANNE VILJOEN

HALF COLOURS

68%	MEEGAN ADAMS, ANDI MANTSHA, JEMMA-LEE NELSON, GAVIN WOOD
69%	ASHLEIGH VAN DE VYVER, AKIEL MISSE, CALLUM MACINTYRE, KELISHA PILLAY, JENNIFER KWANJANA

GR 9 ACADEMIC AWARDS

TOP 25 PARTICIPANTS

THESE CERTIFICATES ARE AWARDED TO THE TOP 25 LEARNERS WHO HAVE COLLECTED POINTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR FOR PARTICIPATING IN SPORT, CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND FOR SUPPORTING SCHOOL FUNCTIONS.

WELL DONE TO:

25 TH	40 PTS	STELLA SFARNAS
24 TH	41 PTS	FRANCES WRESSELL
22 ND	43 PTS	CAITLIN STEWART, KYLE LUMSDEN
20 TH	45 PTS	ALEXANDER PRICE, SHAWN LANGA
17 TH	50 PTS	ERICA TENG, SHANE LIGHTFOOT, MARCUS CORDES
14 TH	53 PTS	VICTOR PIKE, CLAIRE FULLER, TYLER BRIDGE
12 TH	55 PTS	NOMPILO MFEKA, AMY DEGENHARDT
11 TH	57 PTS	JESSICA SKINNER
10 TH	58 PTS	JESSIE SUTCLIFFE
9 TH	61 PTS	RYAN JACKSON
8 TH	67 PTS	JEREMY WATSON
7 TH	70 PTS	NATASHA REYNOLDS
6 TH	71 PTS	ANTHONY WHEELER
5 TH	73 PTS	JASON VAN WYK
4 TH	78 PTS	TONY MACK
3 RD	100 PTS	CASEY COWELL
2 ND	101 PTS	MICHAEL LOUW
1 ST	114 PTS	CHAD HAEFELE

100% ATTENDANCE

THIS AWARD IS GIVEN TO LEARNERS WHO HAVE NOT MISSED ONE DAY IN GRADE 9 WHICH IS A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

WELL DONE TO:

KERRY MACFIE, NICHOL SIBANDA, MBALI MTHETHWA, GIFT MOTOLLA, QUESTIA MBOMBO-ZEBO, THABO MAY, KGOSIETSILE KOAPENG, MICHAEL TAU, LEE-ANN NAIDOO, MAVIS MOKGOSI, MICHAEL GAYNOR, QUEN DE KOCK, CLAUDIO WYSS, MUTSA MUNYARADZI, ISABELLE MTHOMBENI, MOHAMED KOJAK, GENEVIEVE IWORTH, KEEGAN BELL, CAITLIN BARNARD, CAMILLA ALLEN, GUIDO VALENTINI, SIYABONGA RAMALWA, EMMA LEGG

SERVICE AWARDS

SERVICE BEYOND SELF WHEREBY LEARNERS HAVE MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE TO HELP OTHERS AND INVOLVED THEMSELVES IN DIFFERENT SPHERES WITHIN THE SCHOOL:

LINDIWE MPATA	SERVICE BEYOND SELF
AMY PARKER	SERVICE TO HISTORY
NKANYEZI SHEZI	SERVICE TO LO
CAITLIN BARNARD	SERVICE TO OTHERS, ESPECIALLY IN EMS
JEREMY WATSON	SERVICE TO TECHNOLOGY
SAMANTHA MACFIE	SERVICE TO TECHNOLOGY
LARA-LEE STANTON	SERVICE TO TECHNOLOGY
GENEVIEVE IWORTH	SERVICE TO OTHERS, ESPECIALLY IN MATHS
POLINA KAPICHNIKOVA	SERVICE TO SCHOOL
STELLA SFARNAS	SERVICE BEYOND SELF

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

FOR IMPROVEMENT:

REESE CHETTY - BIOLOGY
 JASON DUCKLES - ENGLISH
 EMMA LEGG - AFRIKAANS & HISTORY
 LONWABO MAGADLA - BIOLOGY
 YOLANDA MALEMBE - BIOLOGY
 NOMPILO MFEKA - TECHNOLOGY
 KEEGAN O'REILLY - BIOLOGY
 AMY OVENSTONE - BIOLOGY
 JESSIE SUTCLIFFE - MATHS
 TYLER BRIDGE - BIOLOGY
 JAN-PIETER OOSTHUIZEN DE VILLIERS - BIOLOGY
 TRACY-LEE SCHRODER - BIOLOGY
 CHAD HAEFELE - TECHNOLOGY
 SHAWN LANGA - BIOLOGY
 NOKUKHANYA NGOBESE - SCIENCE
 CAITLIN POWER - BIOLOGY
 BONISIWE RAPABI - BIOLOGY

STUART ROBERTSON - BIOLOGY
 NTANDO SIBIYA - TECHNOLOGY
 CAMILLA ALLEN - AFRIKAANS
 MOHAMED KOJAK - AFRIKAANS, HISTORY
 MICHAEL LOUW - MATHS, BIOLOGY AND EMS
 CALVIN MILLS - BIOLOGY
 ALEXANDER PRICE - EMS
 ABBAS PYARALI - SCIENCE, BIOLOGY
 AURELIE COOPER - BIOLOGY
 MARCUS CORDES - BIOLOGY
 SHANELLE GORDON - BIOLOGY, HISTORY
 RICHARD GRAVES - BIOLOGY
 TONY MACK - BIOLOGY
 LANITA MBAZANG - HISTORY
 MAVIS MOKGOSI - BIOLOGY
 SIYABONGA ZULU - BIOLOGY
 JADE BLACK - BIOLOGY
 ALESSANDRO CERUTI - BIOLOGY
 CAMERON EVANS - EMS

KGOSIETSILE KOAPENG - EMS
 KYLE LUMSDEN - EMS, AFRIKAANS, TECHNOLOGY
 MARC MACLEOD - EMS
 ZETHU MADLANGA - LO
 THABO MAY - TECHNOLOGY
 GIFT MOTOLLA - EMS
 LARA-LEE STANTON - AFRIKAANS
 CARRIE STEENKAMP - BIOLOGY
 JESSICA STERK - EMS
 ANELE SWELI - LO, EMS
 SHIVANI BHAGA - LO, EMS
 THATO CHILOANE - MATHS
 TANAKA JAVANGWE - EMS
 DAMON KARLIN - HISTORY
 CONOR MCGILLYCUDDY - EMS
 MICHAEL MELIS - EMS
 RICHARD NAPIER - EMS
 NASTASSJA NICOLET - EMS
 ELAINE O'CONNELL - ART, EMS
 VICTOR PIKE - EMS

KHAYA SIMELANE - HISTORY
 JASON SZEILI - BIOLOGY, EMS
 ANTHONY WHEELER - EMS
 CLAIRE FULLER - ENGLISH
 JEHAN-ANDRE GREEFF - TECHNOLOGY
 POLINA KAPICHNIKOVA - LO
 MIRIAM KATUMBA - LO
 ANDREA KOEKEMOER - MATHS
 KERRY MACFIE - TECHNOLOGY
 MATTHEW MARSDEN - ART
 KGAOGELO MPULE - ENGLISH
 PRUDENCE MSANE - ENGLISH
 CAITLIN STEWART - ART
 BIANCA PHETA - TECHNOLOGY
 AYESHA SHAW - LO
 BRITTANY JACOBS - EMS

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

ALEXANDRA CARR - HISTORY, SCIENCE
 CASEY COWELL - BIOLOGY
 JADE DESSINGTON - SCIENCE
 IVA GOBAC - BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY
 AKIRA JUGGATH - SCIENCE, BIOLOGY
 EMMA LEGG - BIOLOGY
 PIA MACCHELLI - BIOLOGY
 LUSANDO MIYA - GEOGRAPHY
 LINDIWE MPATA - MATHS, SCIENCE
 MENZI NKOSI - BIOLOGY
 ERIN STEENHOFF-SNETHLAGE - BIOLOGY
 GUIDO VALENTINI - ENGLISH, BIOLOGY
 DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA - BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY
 FRITZ DU PLESSIS - HISTORY

AMBER FRONCKIEWICZ - BIOLOGY
 CHAD HAEFELE - BIOLOGY
 DYLAN JACOBSEN - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 SHANNON MAWSON - BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY
 SHAUNI MULLER - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 NOKUKHANYA NGOBESE - BIOLOGY
 CAITLIN POWER - GEOGRAPHY
 CAMILLA ALLEN - HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY
 CAITLIN BARNARD - EMS, SCIENCE, BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY, AFRIKAANS
 KEEGAN BELL - AFRIKAANS, BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 PORTIA DUMAGUDE - LO
 NATHAN FERREIRA - BIOLOGY

GENEVIEVE IWORTH - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 MICHAEL LOUW - AFRIKAANS
 ISABELLE MTHOMBENI - LO
 JARRYD MUNSLOW - HISTORY
 MUTSA MANYARADZI - ENGLISH, AFRIKAANS, BIOLOGY
 COURTNEY PARKER - BIOLOGY
 MOLEBOHENG PITSO - AFRIKAANS
 ALEXANDER PRICE - BIOLOGY, AFRIKAANS, TECHNOLOGY
 MICHELLE SIBANDA - LO
 ERICA TENG - MATHS, EMS, SCIENCE, BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY
 GABRIELA WERNER - AFRIKAANS, SCIENCE, BIOLOGY
 CLAUDIO WYSS - SCIENCE, BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 QUEN DE KOCK - TECHNOLOGY

AMY DEGENHARDT - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 JAMES FOURIE - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 MICHAEL GAYNOR - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 SAMANTHA MACFIE - BIOLOGY
 MAVIS MOKGOSI - HISTORY
 JULIAN MOODLIAR - BIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
 ROBYN NEL - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
 AMY PARKER - GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
 ELENI POMBO - BIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
 NATASHA REYNOLDS - TECHNOLOGY
 STELLA SFARNAS - BIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
 JESSICA SKINNER - BIOLOGY

GR 9 ACADEMIC AWARDS

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

FRANCES WRESSSELL - BIOLOGY
SKYE BAILEY - HISTORY, EMS
ROBYN DUNLOP - EMS
MARC MACLEOD - AFRIKAANS
ZETHU MADLANGA - EMS, MATHS
QUESTIA MBOMBO-ZEBO
 MATHS, HISTORY, LO, EMS, TECHNOLOGY
GIFT MOTOLLA - BIOLOGY
AYESHA SHAW - AFRIKAANS
LARA-LEE STANTON - EMS, BIOLOGY, LO, TECHNOLOGY
CARRIE STEENKAMP - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY

THATO CHILOANE - EMS, BIOLOGY
ALEKSANDAR DRAGOJEVIC
 MATHS, EMS
MIKO DRISCOLL - GEOGRAPHY
TYLA DUNCAN - BIOLOGY, EMS
BIANCHI GREER - EMS
AMY HORN - EMS
TANAKA JAVANGWE - LO
DAMON KARLIN - BIOLOGY, EMS
CAREY MAHARAJ - EMS
SHADO MASILELA - MATHS, BIOLOGY, ART, EMS

CARLTONE MNDINISA-NDLOVU
 LO
MBALI MTHETHWA - LO, ART, EMS
LEISHA RAJDHAR - MATHS, BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, EMS
NICHOL SIBANDA - LO
KHAYA SIMELANE - MATHS
CAMERON SPEECHLY - EMS
INOLA SUBBAN - ENGLISH, HISTORY, EMS
ANDILE CINDI - ENGLISH
CLAIRE FULLER - BIOLOGY
LARA JANSE VAN RENSBURG
 BIOLOGY

POLINA KAPICHNIKOVA
 BIOLOGY
KERRY MACFIE - BIOLOGY
MATTHEW MARSDEN - LO, MATHS, BIOLOGY
ADAM MOORE - ENGLISH, BIOLOGY, LO
CAITLIN STEWART - MATHS, BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
HILTON WIEFFERING - ART
NONTOKOZO ZONDO - ART, ENGLISH, MATHS, BIOLOGY, HISTORY, TECHNOLOGY

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

MERIT AWARDS

10TH 60 MERITS **ROBYN DUNLOP, ERIN STEENHOFF-SNETHLAGE, CAITLIN BARNARD**
 9TH 67 MERITS **LONWABO MAGADLA**
 7TH 75 MERITS **GUIDO VALENTINI, ANELE SWELI**
 6TH 77 MERITS **EMMA LEGG**
 5TH 86 MERITS **LINDIWE MPATA**
 4TH 90 MERITS **LARA-LEE STANTON**
 3RD 91 MERITS **SHANNON MAWSON**
 2ND 99 MERITS **ERICA TENG**
 1ST 139 MERITS **AKIRA JUGGATH**

DISTINCTIONS

5 DISTINCTIONS:
 MATTHEW MARSDEN, MICHAEL GAYNOR
6 DISTINCTIONS:
 ELENI POMBO, KEEGAN BELL, CAITLIN BARNARD, ALEXANDER PRICE, DYLAN JACOBSEN, SHAUNI MULLER
8 DISTINCTIONS:
 ERICA TENG, CLAUDIO WYSS, SHANNON MAWSON, GUIDO VALENTINI, JULIAN MOODLIAR
9 DISTINCTIONS:
 LEISHA RAJDHAR
10 DISTINCTIONS:
 GENEVIEVE IWORTH, DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA
11 DISTINCTIONS:
 IVA GOBAC (IN ALL SUBJECTS)

TOP IN EACH SUBJECT

ENGLISH - IVA GOBAC (80%)
AFRIKAANS - GENEVIEVE IWORTH (89%)
FRENCH - POLINA KAPICHNIKOVA (88%)
MATHEMATICS - CLAUDIO WYSS (87%)
HISTORY - GUIDO VALENTINI (93%)
GEOGRAPHY - SHANNON MAWSON, IVA GOBAC, GENEVIEVE IWORTH (91%)
SCIENCE - GUIDO VALENTINI, GENEVIEVE IWORTH (90%)
BIOLOGY - SHANNON MAWSON (94%)
ART & CULTURE - GUIDO VALENTINI (88%)
TECHNOLOGY - GUIDO VALENTINI (90%)
EMS - LEISHA RAJDHAR (96%)
LIFE ORIENTATION - CLAUDIO WYSS (89%)

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES (RCL)

FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE RCL AND EXCELLENCE IN REPORTING BACK TO THE CLASS AND AS A ROLE MODEL TO OTHERS:

LINDIWE MPATA, LARA-LEE STANTON, IVA GOBAC, ERICA TENG, STELLA SFARNAS

TROPHY AWARDS

CULTURAL AWARD:

BOYS: FOR HIS ROLE IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION AND IN THE HOUSEPLAYS, CONGRATULATIONS **JASON VAN WYK**

GIRLS: FOR HER LEADING ROLE IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTION AND EARNING A BRONZE AWARD FOR PUBLIC SPEAKING, CONGRATULATIONS **STELLA SFARNAS**

BEST CLASS CAPTAIN: **QUESTIA MBOMBO-ZEBO**

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR:

THE RECIPIENT OF THIS AWARD HAS PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING SPORTING CODES: A- SWIMMING TEAM; 1ST TEAM CRICKET AND U15A CAPTAIN; CROSS COUNTRY FULL JUNIOR COLOURS AND INTER-DISTRICTS TEAM; TENNIS 2ND TEAM; ATHLETICS A TEAM (1ST IN 1500 AT INTERHIGH); SQUASH U15A; 1ST TEAM HOCKEY (U15 HOCKEY PLAYER OF THE YEAR AND JUNIOR HOCKEY PLAYER OF THE YEAR) IT IS UNQUESTIONABLE THAT THIS YOUNG MAN IS DESERVING OF THE SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR TROPHY! CONGRATULATIONS **CHAD HAEFELE**

SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR:

THE RECIPIENT OF THIS AWARD HAS PARTICIPATED IN THE FOLLOWING SPORTING CODES: SWIMMING, TENNIS, HOCKEY. CONGRATULATIONS **CASEY COWELL**

TOP ACHIEVER:

GENEVIEVE IWORTH

MEDALS

GRADE CONTROLLERS AWARD:

GIRL: THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG LADY WHO HAS UPHELD THE BRYANSTONIAN VALUES OF ENTHUSIASM, COMMITMENT, PARTICIPATION AND DEDICATION. SHE HAS DISPLAYED THESE QUALITIES THROUGH HER PURSUIT OF EXCELLENCE IN ALL SPHERES IN THE SCHOOL. DURING 2008 SHE HAS BEEN RECOGNISED ACADEMICALLY AS WELL AS ON THE SPORTSFIELD. SHE HAS DEMONSTRATED GREAT LEADERSHIP QUALITIES, SERVES HER PEER GROUP TO THE BEST OF HER ABILITY AND IS CERTAINLY VERY ACCOMPLISHED IN THE CULTURAL ENVIRONMENT. OUT OF 107 CANDIDATES, CONGRATULATIONS **STELLA SFARNAS**.

BOY: THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG MAN WHO IS FULLY INVOLVED IN ALL ASPECTS OF THE SCHOOL. HE HAS IMPECCABLE MANNERS AND IS ALWAYS WILLING WHEN CALLED UPON TO STEP IN AND HELP OUT WHEREVER NEEDED. NOT ONLY IS HE A TOP ACADEMIC, BUT IS ALSO A GOOD SPORTSMAN, IS INVOLVED CULTURALLY AND IS AN ABSOLUTE ASSET TO BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. CONGRATULATIONS **JASON VAN WYK**

TOP TWENTY

20TH 75% **SAMANTHA MACFIE, NONTOKOZO ZONDO, SHADO MASILELA, GABRIELA WERNER, CAITLIN STEWART**
 19TH 76% **ROBYN NEL**
 16TH 77% **MUTSA MUNYARADZI, MICHAEL GAYNOR, SHAUNI MULLER**

HALF COLOURS/TOP TWENTY

12TH 78% **CAITLIN BARNARD, ALEXANDER PRICE, MATTHEW MARSDEN, DYLAN JACOBSEN**
 11TH 79% **KEEGAN BELL**

FULL COLOURS / TOP TWENTY

10TH 80% **JULIAN MOODLIAR**
 8TH 82% **ELENI POMBO, LEISHA RAJDHAR**
 5TH 83% **GUIDO VALENTINI, SHANNON MAWSON**
 2ND 84% **DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA, ERICA TENG, CLAUDIO WYSS**
 1ST 85% **GENEVIEVE IWORTH, IVA GOBAC**

GR 8 ACADEMIC AWARDS

TOP 25 PARTICIPANTS

THESE CERTIFICATES ARE AWARDED TO THE TOP 25 LEARNERS WHO HAVE COLLECTED POINTS THROUGHOUT THE YEAR FOR PARTICIPATING IN SPORT, CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND FOR SUPPORTING SCHOOL FUNCTIONS.

WELL DONE TO:

24TH	48 PTS	LUKE WARE, CLIVE WALTERS, LLEWELLYN VAN DER WALT, JASON LANCE, ALEEN DE BEER, PHILLIP CHETTY, NYANTH BENNIE
23RD	49 PTS	MICHAEL RYAN
21ST	50 PTS	ANDREW HALSTEAD, MICHAELA DU TOIT
17TH	51 PTS	BIANCA CHABANT, STEFAN DE BEER, KATE MOORE, ALAN TOUT
15TH	53 PTS	KENDALL ALEXANDER, KIMLYNNE KELLY
14TH	56 PTS	MEGAN OOSTHUYSE
12TH	58 PTS	DOMINIC ALVES, MBALI RADEBE
11TH	60 PTS	CAMBRE ACKER
10TH	63 PTS	SLOGAN MAKGOBI
8TH	68 PTS	ASHLEIGH BARRY, THOMAS WATKINS
7TH	69 PTS	EMMA PEACOCK
3RD	71 PTS	JESSICA CALLEBAUT, KELLY COOK, LORNA DAVIDSON, JOCELYN LAWRENCE
2ND	98 PTS	STEVEN DONZELLA
1ST	113 PTS	GENNA-LEE UREN

100% ATTENDANCE

THIS AWARD IS GIVEN TO LEARNERS WHO HAVE NOT MISSED ONE DAY IN GRADE 8 WHICH IS A REMARKABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

WELL DONE TO:

PRIMROSE MKHONZA, LWANDILE MAJA, LYDIE BASAULA, BYRON SMITH, MARVIN SILAWULE, ELSA RASEROKA, SIVEWE NGANI, ITUMELENG MKHIZE, WARREN KNOCKER, BOITUMELO BARUTI, EMMA PEACOCK, NOMVUSELELO NGUBANE, NELLY MOYO, PRECIOUS MHLANGA, MPHONGA MAKGATO, PUSELETSO LEKGAU, DANIEL DO, NATASHA CHIPANGURA, LEO NGCANGCA, SANDRA NDLOVU, KAMOGELO KHATLE, ANDREW HALSTEAD, CATHERINE HALL, SASHMEERA RAMDHAV, ALLISON RADEBE, CORDELIA DUNJANA, JADE MOLLETT, LEBO MACHABA, THABO MABOTJA, CHARNE KRIEK, DA EUN KIM, CHIA-YU CHEN, BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN, RYAN OLIVIER, MARTINIQUE KOSTER, JOSEPH HOLMES, ZINHLE DLAMINI

SERVICE AWARDS

SERVICE BEYOND SELF WHEREBY LEARNERS HAVE MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE TO HELP OTHERS AND INVOLVE THEMSELVES IN DIFFERENT SPHERES WITHIN THE SCHOOL:

STEVEN DONZELLA, DOMINIC ALVES, BIANCA CHABANT, JOCELYN LAWRENCE, MARTINIQUE KOSTER, LYDIE BASAULA, REUBEN WATNEY, ZINHLE DLAMINI, CHARNE KRIEK
JASON LANCE - SERVICE TO SQUASH

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

FOR IMPROVEMENT:

BIANCA CHABANT - GEOGRAPHY & ART
HAYLEY DAVIES - ART
LUTHO GADU - GEOGRAPHY
MALUME KAUNDA - GEOGRAPHY
JASON LANCE - MATHS
RYAN OLIVIER - GEOGRAPHY
REUBEN WATNEY - MATHS
CHIA-YU CHEN - ART
LORNA DAVIDSON - AFRIKAANS & SCIENCE
PHINDULO FUNYUFUNYU - MATHS & BIOLOGY
KIMLYNNE KELLY - BIOLOGY
DA EUN KIM - ART
CHARNE KRIEK - BIOLOGY
JOSHUA LAWRENCE - BIOLOGY
ZIPORAH NYOKANGI - AFRIKAANS

THOMAS WATKINS - BIOLOGY
KENDALL ALEXANDER - GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
EMMA DENT - ART
MICHELLE EGLING - GEOGRAPHY, ART
AMIR MAHOUTI - GEOGRAPHY
DARKO MARINKOVIC - GEOGRAPHY
KGOMOTSO MOSHIMANE - GEOGRAPHY
SASHMEERA RAMDHAV - BIOLOGY
KYLE SELLAR - GEOGRAPHY
SHANNON TARR - GEOGRAPHY
CRAIG THRUPP - BIOLOGY
KAMOGELO KHATLE - BIOLOGY

LEANDRA METHVEN - BIOLOGY
SANDRA NDLOVU - TECHNOLOGY
JESSE VAN DER VYVER - ENGLISH
TAHEERAH BRADLEY - MATHS
JESSICA CALLEBAUT - MATHS
DANIEL DO - ART
CAVAN DU TOIT - GEOGRAPHY
SERISHA HARIRAM - ART
SELANDI JORDAAN - GEOGRAPHY
GABRIEL MJIYAKO - GEOGRAPHY
TONY SIBIYA - HISTORY
TANA JOVIC - ENGLISH
ITUMELENG MKHIZE - EMS
NANCY MOOTANE - ENGLISH

ELSA RASEROKA - MATHS
MARCO VISSER - MATHS
TIMOTHY CARSTENS - MATHS
LYDIE BASAULA - EMS
JASON DI BON - EMS, MATHS
PRABAHN GOVENDER - EMS, LO
DAWN HLAKUDI - EMS
DENISE KAMHUNGA - AFRIKAANS
LEBOHANG KOLOBA - LO
LWANDILE MAJA - MATHS
THYLA MCGUINNESS - MATHS, HISTORY
PRIMROSE MKHONZA - AFRIKAANS
KENNETH MOKGABUDI - EMS
MFUMMO RIKHOTSO - HISTORY

DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

CAMBRE ACKER - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, AFRIKAANS, GEOGRAPHY
JUSTIN BAXTER - GEOGRAPHY
HAYLEY DAVIES - SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
JUSTIN GUEDES - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, AFRIKAANS, MATHS, GEOGRAPHY
JOSEPH HOLMES - GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
MALUME KAUNDA - BIOLOGY
MARTINIQUE KOSTER - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY
JASON LANCE - GEOGRAPHY, TECHNOLOGY
MINDA LIANG - BIOLOGY
DEMI MCCARTHY - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY
KIMBERLEY RHODA - GEOGRAPHY

GENNA-LEE UREN - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, HISTORY
BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN - TECHNOLOGY, AFRIKAANS, MATHS, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
LUKE WARE - GEOGRAPHY
REUBEN WATNEY - TECHNOLOGY, AFRIKAANS
JONATHAN AFFAT - HISTORY, BIOLOGY, SCIENCE
AVANI BEERBUL - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, MATHS, HISTORY, SCIENCE
CHIA-YU CHEN - EMS, MATHS, TECHNOLOGY, HISTORY, BIOLOGY, SCIENCE
LORNA DAVIDSON - TECHNOLOGY
PHINDULO FUNYUFUNYU - AFRIKAANS
SILINDILE GWALA - AFRIKAANS

CAYLA HOWES - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
DA EUN KIM - TECHNOLOGY, HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY, SCIENCE
JADE MOLLETT - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY
JASON NAUDE - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY
ZIPORAH NYOKANGI - TECHNOLOGY, HISTORY, BIOLOGY
KENDALL ALEXANDER - TECHNOLOGY
NYANTH BENNIE - BIOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY
EMMA DENT - TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
STEVEN DONZELLA - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, SCIENCE
AMY GAYER - GEOGRAPHY
MICHAEL RYAN - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, MATHS

CRAIG THRUPP - MATHS
KATHLEEN WESSON - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
SYDNEE ALEXANDER - TECHNOLOGY, BIOLOGY
DOMINIC ALVES - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY, SCIENCE
DALEEN DE BEER - ENGLISH, MATHS
ANDREW HALSTEAD - TECHNOLOGY, BIOLOGY
LEANDRA METHVEN - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY
JANICA RAMEY - ENGLISH
JESSE VAN DER VYVER - BIOLOGY
ZINHLE ZULU - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY, SCIENCE
JESSICA CALLEBAUT - GEOGRAPHY

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DILIGENCE IN SUBJECTS:

STEFAN DE BEER - BIOLOGY, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY,
DANIEL DO - HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY
STEFAN GONELLI - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY
KAREECE GOVENDER - GEOGRAPHY
SERISHA HARIRAM - TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY
SELANDI JORDAAN - HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY
NELLY MOYO - GEOGRAPHY
NOMVUSELELO NGUBANE - GEOGRAPHY, BIOLOGY

EMMA PEACOCK - GEOGRAPHY
TONY SIBIYA - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY
JIHWAN YEOM - GEOGRAPHY
BOITUMELO BARUTI - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY
KERRY DAVIDSON - TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY
JENNIFER DE GROOT - MATHS
WARREN KNOCKER - MATHS
BRENTON PILLAY - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY
ELSA RASEROKA - TECHNOLOGY

JESSICA SCHOONBEE - MATHS, TECHNOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY, ART
AYAPHILA ZONDANI - ENGLISH, GEOGRAPHY
SHARON ZONDI - GEOGRAPHY
MAXINE CLEMENT - MATHS, GEOGRAPHY, LO
SHANÉ JACOBS - EMS
DENISE KAMHUNGA - EMS, HISTORY
LEBOHANG KOLOBA - TECHNOLOGY

JOCELYN LAWRENCE - EMS, TECHNOLOGY, MATHS, LO HISTORY
VYASNA MAHADEVY - EMS, TECHNOLOGY, MATHS, LO, HISTORY, GEOGRAPHY,
LWANDILE MAJA - EMS
THYLA MCGUINNESS - EMS, TECHNOLOGY, LO
JESSICA SMITH - EMS, ART, TECHNOLOGY, MATHS, GEOGRAPHY,
HLONI TSEHLOANE - AFRIKAANS
MAXINE CLEMENT - EMS

ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

MERIT AWARDS

10TH 78 MERITS **ANDREW HALSTEAD, HAYLEY DAVIES, JUSTIN GUEDES**
 9TH 79 MERITS **AVANI BEERBUL**
 8TH 81 MERITS **BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN**
 7TH 82 MERITS **SYDNEE ALEXANDER**
 6TH 86 MERITS **CHAI-YU CHEN**
 5TH 92 MERITS **STEVEN DONZELLA**
 4TH 95 MERITS **ZINHLE ZULU**
 3RD 97 MERITS **MARTINIQUE KOSTER**
 2ND 99 MERITS **DAEUN KIM**
 1ST 106 MERITS **DOMINIC ALVES**

DISTINCTIONS

7 DISTINCTIONS:
 ANDREW HALSTEAD, ZIPORAH NYOKANGI, EMMA PEACOCK, ZINHLE ZULU, AVANI BEERBUL
8 DISTINCTIONS:
 KERRY DAVIDSON, STEVEN DONZELLA, JUSTIN GUEDES
9 DISTINCTIONS:
 VYASNA MAHADEVY, BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN, DA EUN KIM
10 DISTINCTIONS:
 DOMINIC ALVES, GENNA-LEE UREN
11 DISTINCTIONS:
 MARTINIQUE KOSTER

TOP IN EACH SUBJECT

ENGLISH - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (90%)
AFRIKAANS - GENNA-LEE UREN (91%)
MATHEMATICAL LITERACY - STEVEN DONZELLA (91%)
HISTORY - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (95%)
GEOGRAPHY - GENNA-LEE UREN (96%)
SCIENCE - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (90%)
BIOLOGY - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (95%)
ART & CULTURE - DOMINIC ALVES (86%)
TECHNOLOGY - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (94%)
EMS - MARTINIQUE KOSTER (99%)
LIFE ORIENTATION - DOMINIC ALVES (97%)

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES (RCL)

FOR CONTRIBUTION TO THE RCL AND EXCELLENCE IN REPORTING BACK TO THE CLASS AND AS A ROLE MODEL TO OTHERS:

JOCELYN LAWRENCE

TROPHY AWARDS

CULTURAL AWARD:

BOYS: PLAYING A SECONDARY LEADING ROLE IN THE ANNUAL BRYANSTON MAJOR PRODUCTION OF THE *HOT MIKADO* MAKES HIM AN OBVIOUS CHOICE. WELL DONE TO **DOMINIC ALVES**

GIRLS: PLAYING A FULL LEADING ROLE IN THE ANNUAL BRYANSTON MAJOR PRODUCTION OF THE *HOT MIKADO*, MAKES HER AN OBVIOUS CHOICE. WELL DONE TO **JOCELYN LAWRENCE**

BEST CLASS CAPTAIN: **DOMINIC ALVES**

SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR:

THIS YOUNG MAN PARTICIPATED IN HOCKEY, TENNIS, ATHLETICS AND SWIMMING A-TEAM. CONGRATULATIONS TO **STEVEN DONZELLA**

SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR:

THIS YOUNG LADY PARTICIPATED IN TENNIS, HOCKEY - BOTH INDOOR AND OUT, ATHLETICS, CROSS COUNTRY AND SWIMMING. CONGRATULATIONS TO **GENNA-LEE UREN**

MEDALS

GRADE CONTROLLERS AWARD:

GIRL: THIS YOUNG LADY IS QUIET, YET PARTICIPATES IN MANY ACTIVITIES. SHE IS COMMITTED, POLITE AND ALWAYS HAS IMPECCABLE MANNERS. CONGRATULATIONS TO **KIMLYNNE KELLY**

BOY: THIS YOUNG MAN IS IN THE REAL SENSE OF THE WORD A GENTLEMAN. HIS POLITENESS, THE FACT THAT HE ALWAYS GREETES YOU, HIS WILLINGNESS TO HELP AND HIS IMPECCABLE MANNERS, MAKE HIM THE OBVIOUS CHOICE. CONGRATULATIONS TO **REUBEN WATNEY**

TOP TWENTY

20TH 76% JONATHAN AFFAT, ANDREW HALSTEAD, JESSICA SMITH

HALF COLOURS/TOP TWENTY

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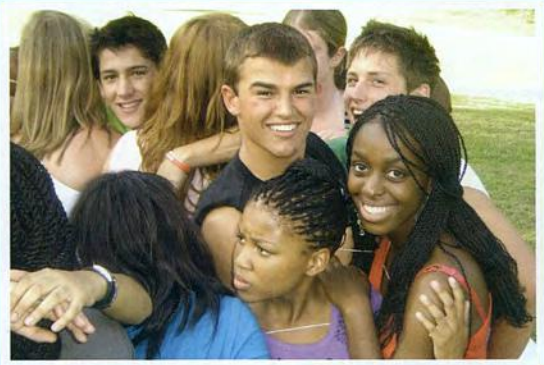
FULL COLOURS / TOP TWENTY

14TH 80% EMMA PEACOCK
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 6TH 84% BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN
 4TH 85% VYASNA MAHADEVY, KERRY DAVIDSON
 2ND 88% DOMINIC ALVES, GENNA-LEE UREN
 1ST 91% MARTINIQUE KOSTER

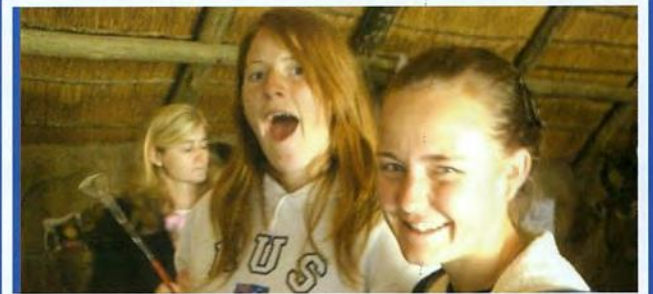
TOP ACHIEVER:

MARTINIQUE KOSTER

COUNCILLORS' YEAR



COUNCILLORS' YEAR



WHITE BLAZERS

QUOTE: "WE ARE TOLD THAT TALENT CREATES ITS OWN OPPORTUNITIES. BUT IT SOMETIMES SEEMS THAT INTENSE DESIRE NOT ONLY CREATES ITS OWN OPPORTUNITIES, BUT ITS OWN TALENTS."

WITH THE INTRODUCTION OF THE HONOURS BLAZER IN THE 1980s, IT WAS THOUGHT THAT ONLY A FEW SELECT INDIVIDUALS WOULD EVER RISE TO MEET THE STRICT SET CRITERIA. 2009 HAS PRODUCED FAR MORE OUTSTANDING BRYANSTONIANS IN ONE YEAR THAN EVER BEFORE. NOT ONLY HAVE 11 OF OUR LEARNERS BEEN AWARDED HONOURS BLAZERS, BUT FIVE HAVE RECEIVED RE-AWARDS DURING THE COURSE OF THE YEAR.

KELSEY SKINNER OUTDID HERSELF BY BEING AWARDED A PRESTIGIOUS THIRD BLAZER IN

SEPTEMBER, MAKING HER ONE OF ONLY FIVE LEARNERS TO HAVE ACHIEVED THIS HONOUR.

KIRSTEN WEIR, OUR HEAD GIRL, WAS AWARDED TWO HONOURS BLAZERS AT ONE ASSEMBLY IN FEBRUARY, WHICH WAS THE FIRST TIME THIS HAS EVER HAPPENED IN THE HISTORY OF OUR SCHOOL. FURTHERMORE SHE WENT ON TO ACHIEVE THIS A SECOND TIME WHEN SHE WAS AWARDED ANOTHER TWO HONOURS BLAZERS AT THE OCTOBER HONOURS ASSEMBLY. THIS MAKES HER THE FIRST LEARNER EVER TO HAVE BEEN AWARDED A FOURTH HONOURS BLAZER.

OUR CONGRATULATIONS GO TO ALL RECIPIENTS OF THESE HONOURS BLAZERS; BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL SALUTES YOU.

HONOURS BLAZERS WENT TO:

MEGAN DAVIDSON
GARETH BELL
STORM OOSTHUIZEN
MARGEUX ADAMS
KIRSTEN LANDMAN
AMANDA KAPITO
CHANELLE TORRENT

2x HONOURS BLAZERS WENT TO:

SIMONE GAST
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN
CATHRYN MASTERSON

3x HONOURS BLAZERS WENT TO:

KELSEY SKINNER

4x HONOURS BLAZERS WENT TO:

KIRSTEN WEIR



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KELSEY SKINNER

WHITE BLAZERS



SIMONE GAST



CATHRYN MASTERSON



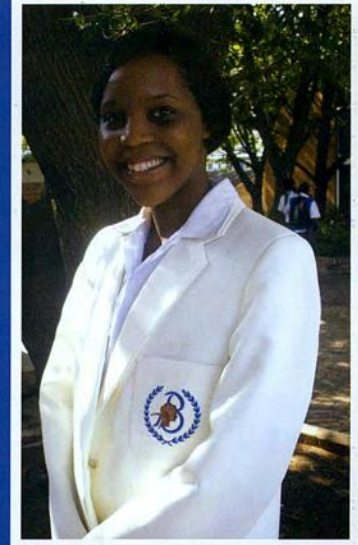
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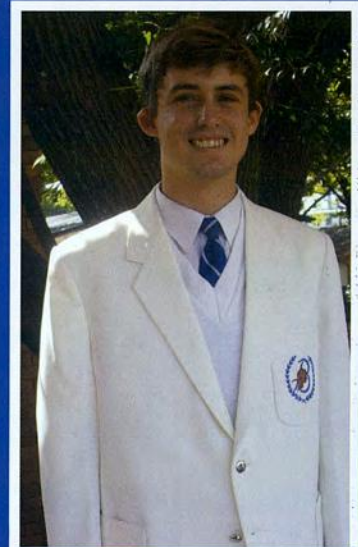
AMANDA KAPITO



MARGEUX ADAMS



STORM OOSTHUIZEN



GARETH BELL

GRADE 12

YOLANDA ACKERMANN



KIRSTEN ADAMS



MARGEUX ADAMS



LAKIN ASHCROFT



KYLE ASHFORD



ANDRE BADENHORST



SUMMER BAILEY



TRACY BALOYI



SHAUN BARNARD



GARETH BELL



DYLAN BENSON



BRYCE BETHA



ANDREW BLANE



STACEY BONSER



JESSICA BOWYER



MICHAEL BRED AHL



GRADE 12

DORIAN BRUYNIS



RENELTA CAIN



TALYA CARTER



JESSE CASANOVA



JAMI-LEIGH CLOETE



ANGELA COOK



LISA COOK



CARLA CROOKS



SHAYLEEN CROWIE



MEGAN DAVIDSON



GARY DAVIS-HANNIBAL



WALTER DEGENHARDT



CHENEY DENT



KIRSTEN DENYER



MICHAL DEVINE



BOJENA DEVEREUX



GRADE 12

YOLANDA DOMBO



KAYLEE DOWDLE



SHARON DUBE



VICKY EIKENBOOM



CHRISTINA FERREIRA



NICOLA FONDA



GORDON FULTON



TRISTAN GARDINER



SIMONE GAST



VID GOBAC



ANDREA GOCHEN



FRANCES GOODING



MEGUEL GOVENDER



TEVIN GOVENDER



JODIE GRAVES



SAMKELO GUNGULUZA



GRADE 12

MITCHELL HAEFELE



TYRONE HAMMOND



CHRISTOPHER HARRIS



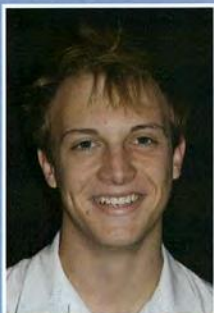
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BRADLEY HENDERSON



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NICHOLAS HODGES



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GRADE 12

GRACE KATENDE



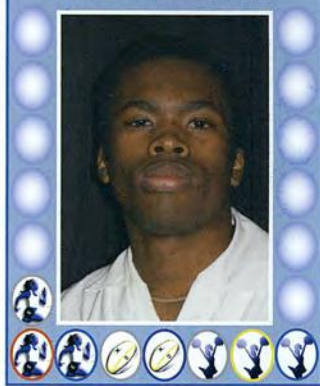
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JODI-LEIGH KOK



MARIA KYRIAZIS



TRISTAN LAMBERTI



KIRSTEN LANDMAN



KELLY LAWRENCE



TAMSYN LAWRENCE



ANDREW LE ROUX




ROBERT LEE




GRADE 12

THATO LENEPA

MICHAEL LEVINE




SIMON LEWIS




LANCE LUMSDEN




PALESA MABUZA




MATTHEW MACCHELLI




SIYANDA MADLANGA




ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA




THULISILE MAHLANGU




THAPI MARGABUTLANE




OSBORNE MAKGERU




JONATHAN MAKHANYA




MUSA MALULEKE




MMATHOTO MANONG




HLONI MASHELE




PALESA MASHININI




GRADE 12

DASHA MASLOVA



CATHRYN MASTERSON



FANA MATIKINCA



PRISCILLIA MBOMBO-ZEBO



TSHEGOFATSO MBONGO



ANDISWA MEI



RICHARD MILLER



ANDREW MILNE



KARABO MLAMBO



NOMONDE MLAWULI



SHIRLEY MLAZA



CHRISTINE MODIBA



THAPELO MOKOENA



TSHEPISO MOKOENA



LERATO MOLEFE



MPHO MOLOANTOA



GRADE 12

NDUMISO MONA



Decorative icons: Basketball, Soccer, Tennis, Golf, Chess, Table Tennis, Badminton, Netball, Hockey, Rugby, LIA, MR & MISS B

LESEGO MONAGENG



Decorative icons: Basketball, Soccer, Tennis, Golf, Chess, Table Tennis, Badminton, Netball, Hockey, Rugby, LIA, MR & MISS B

TSHOLO MOSIKILI



Decorative icons: Basketball, Soccer, Tennis, Golf, Chess, Table Tennis, Badminton, Netball, Hockey, Rugby, LIA, RCL 2007, RCL 2009

KWENA MOTHEMELA



Decorative icons: Basketball, Soccer, Tennis, Golf, Chess, Table Tennis, Badminton, Netball, Hockey, Rugby, LIA, MR & MISS B

PETUNIA MTHOMBENI



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LEON MULLER




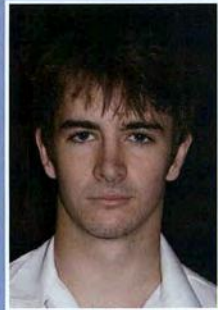
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DIANA MURESAN



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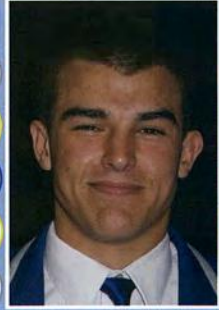
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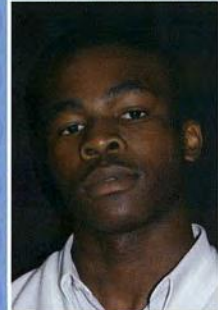
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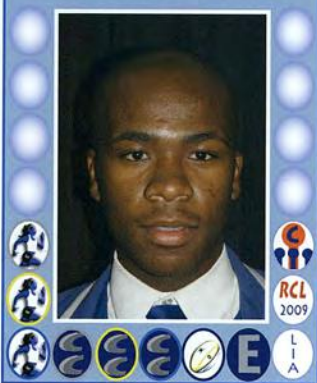
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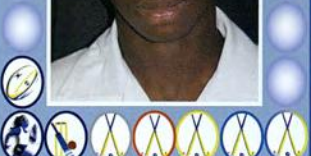

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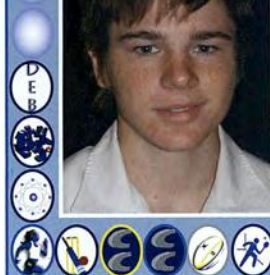
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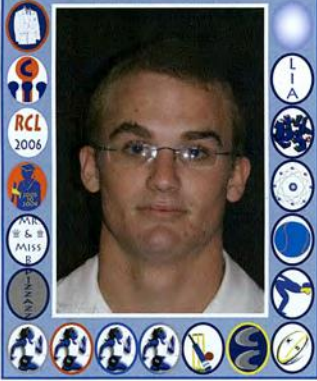


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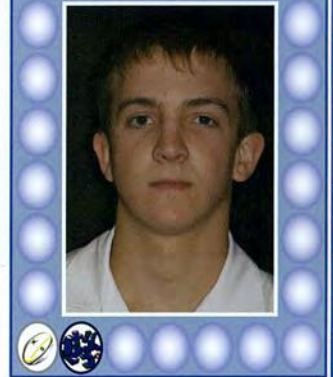
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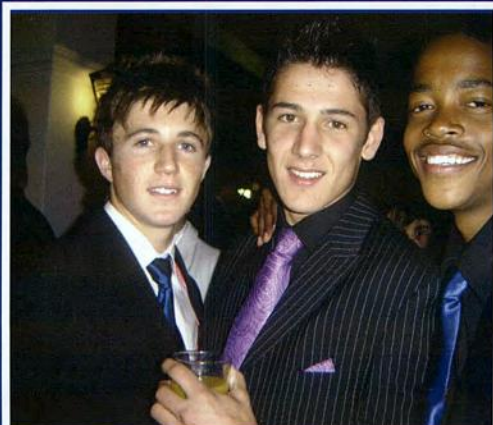
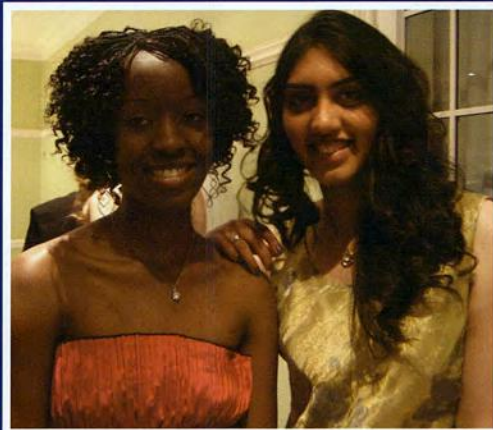
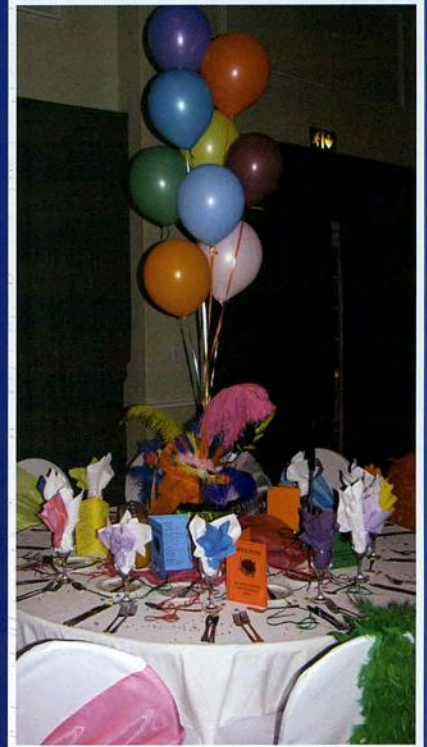
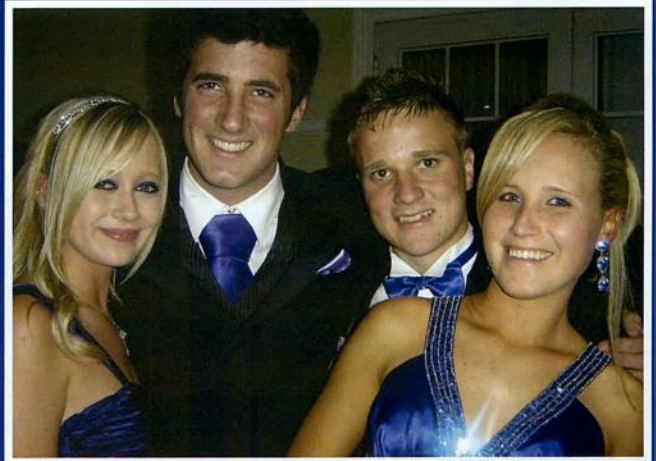
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 WHITE BLAZER	 COUNSELLOR
 RE-AWARDED WHITE BLAZER	 COUNSELLOR EXEC

MATRIC DANCE



MATRIC ACTIVITIES

VW GOLF

FLAG DUTY



A BIG THANK YOU TO HATFIELD VOLKSWAGEN FOR DONATING A CITI GOLF. MRS SCHUMANN AND MS PRETORIOUS HAVE GUIDED MANY PUPILS THROUGH THE BASICS REQUIRED TO PASS THEIR DRIVERS LICENCE AFTER MANY HOURS DRIVING ALONG THE BACK ROAD.

EXCHANGE STUDENTS

TO MR. ROBINSON.

FIRST OF ALL WE WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE YOU, SIR, FOR THE GOOD JOB YOU HAVE BEEN CARRYING OUT WITH BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. IT IS VERY HARD TO FIND A SCHOOL AS GOOD AS THIS ONE, AT LEAST WHERE WE COME FROM. NOT ONLY IS THE EDUCATION LEVEL GREAT, BUT THE SPORTS AND ACTIVITIES IT OFFERS, MAKES IT A UNIQUE AND WONDERFUL SCHOOL.

THEREFORE, SIR, WE THANK YOU FOR HAVING US AT THIS SCHOOL FOR THE PAST THREE MONTHS, THIS HAS BEEN THE EXPERIENCE OF OUR LIVES AND WE CAN SAY WE ENJOYED IT AND LEARNED FROM IT, FROM THE FIRST DAY TO THIS LAST WEEK WE HAVE GOT LEFT.

BESIDES THAT, WE WOULD LIKE TO SAY THAT THE STUDENTS ARE ALSO VERY POLITE AND FRIENDLY AND THAT MADE US ALWAYS FEEL WELCOME.

FINALLY, WE WANT TO EXTEND OUR THANKS TO THE EDUCATORS, ESPECIALLY MS STANDL AND MRS COOK, AND TO THE PUPILS OF BRYANSTON HIGH.

THANK YOU.

VICTORIA UBINO AND MAILEN PANICHELLA

FLAG DUTY

FLAG DUTY HAS BEEN DONE DAILY FOR THE PAST FIVE YEARS BY GARETH BELL. DILIGENTLY EACH MORNING GARETH HAS HOISTED THE BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL FLAG ALONGSIDE THE NATIONAL FLAG AND AT THE END OF EACH DAY HE HAS LOWERED THEM AGAIN.

HIS SPIRIT OF SCHOOL PRIDE HAS BEEN REFLECTED IN THE WAY IN WHICH HE HAS CARRIED OUT THIS DUTY. GARETH OFFICIALLY HANDED OVER THESE DUTIES TO MICHAEL WRATHALL IN A SMALL CEREMONY ATTENDED BY THEIR GRADE CONTROLLERS AND MRS WEIR, WHO INITIATED THIS RITUAL FIVE YEARS AGO.

BOTH OF THESE BOYS, GARETH AND MICHAEL, HAVE MOTHERS WHO WERE PAST PUPILS OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL, SO IT IS TRULY FITTING THAT THEY SHOULD KEEP THE SPIRIT OF THE SCHOOL BURNING.

MRS B. WEIR
DEPUTY PRINCIPAL

LIA - CRYSTAL BALL

THE CRYSTAL BALL OF 2009 WAS TRULY A REMARKABLE EVENING. IT WAS HELD ON THE 5TH OF SEPTEMBER IN THE BRYANSTON SCHOOL HALL. THE THEME WAS "ENCHANTED". THE HALL LOOKED BEAUTIFUL DRAPED IN WHITE WITH TABLES IN BLUE AND WHITE, AND MIRRORS AND CRYSTALS AS CENTRE PIECES.

ALL GIFTS AND INVITATIONS ECHOED THE THEME AND MANY HOURS WENT INTO THE BEADING AND CREATING PROCESS.

PHOTOGRAPHS WERE TAKEN PROFESSIONALLY AS THE COUPLE ENTERED THE HALL. THE FOOD WAS GREAT AND WE DANCED THE NIGHT AWAY. MANY THANKS TO THE GRADE 8S WHO WAITERED TABLES, MRS FULCHER, ALL THE STAFF WHO HELPED AND THE LIA MEMBERS WHO WERE INVOLVED IN THE BALL. A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO MS HEIN WHO CO-ORDINATED THE EVENT AND PUT MANY EXTRA HOURS IN TO ENSURE THE BALL WAS PERFECT.

FINALLY THANK YOU TO ALL THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE BALL, I AM SURE YOU WOULD ALL AGREE THAT IT WAS WELL WORTH IT!

AMANDA WALTERS
GRADE 11 D1



VALENTINE'S DINNER AND DANCE

ON FEBRUARY 14TH WE ONCE AGAIN SAW VALENTINE'S DAY COME AND GO IN THE STYLE AS GUCCI, ARMANI, PRADA AND CHANEL MADE A GRAND ENTRANCE AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL'S VALENTINES DANCE.

CANDY BROUGHT ON A WHOLE NEW MEANING AS THE L.I.A. (LEADERSHIP IN ACTION) SWEETENED UP THIS YEAR'S EVENT. PURPLE AND RED WERE THE COLOURS OF LOVE AND SAW THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE SCHOOL'S HALL INTO A ROMANTIC FANTASY SETTING. BALLOONS, MUSHROOMS, CANDY AND BLING MADE FOR THE PERFECT SETTING FOR YOUNG LOVERS TO CELEBRATE VALENTINE'S DAY IN STYLE WITH FRIENDS AND THE LIA.

AS ALWAYS THE LIA MOMS DID US PROUD AS THEY PULLED OUT ALL THE STOPS AND PROVIDED THE STAR-GAZED LOVERS WITH A BANQUET FIT FOR ROYALTY.

CHRISTINA AGUILERA, "THE CANDY MAN" SET THE TONE FOR THE PARTY GOERS. OUR DJ KEPT US JAMMING UNTIL WAY PAST "CURFEW" ENSURING A FUN FAB TIME WAS HAD BY ALL.

FOR ALL THOSE NON-ROMANTICS YOU MISSED OUT, MAKE SURE YOU JOIN US NEXT YEAR FOR ANOTHER GOOD PARTY.

ALYSSA GARRARD

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LIA - VALENTINE'S DAY

VALENTINE'S ASSEMBLY

GET READY! HERE IT COMES ... THE LIA IS TAKING BRYANSTON HIGH TO THE CANDY SHOP!

NOT ONLY WAS LOVE IN THE AIR BUT THE SWEET SIGHT OF LOLLIPOPS, CANDY CANES, FIZZERS AND LIQUORICE ALL SORTS KEPT THE CROWD ENTERTAINED TOO! AN ARRAY OF BRIGHT, BEAUTIFUL COLOURS FILLED THE HALL. THE STAGE WAS CRAMMED FULL WITH GIANT PIECES OF CANDY --- THIS WAS EVERY SWEET TOOTH'S DREAM, THE ULTIMATE CANDY SHOP.

THE HALL WAS PACKED WITH EXCITED BRYANSTONIANS; DRESSED IN RED, WHITE AND PINK --- THE LOVELY COLOURS OF ST. VALENTINE'S DAY. THE MUSIC STARTED, IT HAD BEGUN ... BRYANSTON HIGH WAS TAKEN TO THE CANDY SHOP.

AND WHAT A SUCCESS IT WAS! WITH THE EVER SO BEAUTIFUL LIA EXEC GIRLS SHOWING THE REST OF BHS HOW TO "SHAKE IT" ON STAGE AND THE BOYS REALLY LET LOOSE AND CERTAINLY PROVED THAT BOYS CAN "SHAKE IT" TOO! THE AWARDS ALL WENT TO VERY DESERVING PEOPLE AND WE SURELY DISCOVERED THAT BRYANSTON HAS SOME AWESOME TALENT!

IT WAS ONE OF THE MOST MEMORABLE VALENTINE'S ASSEMBLIES WE HAVE HAD IN BRYANSTON HIGH AND IT SURELY SET A HIGH STANDARD OF WHAT LIA 2009 WAS GOING TO BE. WE ARE EXTREMELY PROUD OF WHAT WE ACHIEVED ON THIS DAY. THE LIA HAS ACCOMPLISHED SO MUCH. WELL DONE LIA EXECUTIVE 2009!

JENNA FULCHER



MISS ELEGANCE & PIZZAZZ

THIS WAS IT, THE LAST NIGHT OF THE EAGERLY AWAITED PAGEANT WEEK. IT HAD RUSHED BY AND LIKE MANY LEFT ME WITH THE QUESTION "WHERE HAD ALL THE TIME GONE"? TO ADD TO THAT EVERYONE WAS TIRED BUT, STILL WE PULLED TOGETHER AND FINISHED OFF THE PAGEANT ON A HIGH!

THE SHOW GOT OFF TO A GOOD START, AND THE GIRLS MOST CERTAINLY LOOKED STUNNING. EACH ONE OF THEM VERY DESERVING OF THEIR PLACE IN THE FINALS EVENING. CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL THE MS ELEGANCE AND MS PIZZAZZ FINALISTS – BRYANSTON CERTAINLY HAS GIRLS OF A HIGH CALIBRE.

THE LIA EXECUTIVE WERE PARTICULARLY LOOKING FORWARD TO THE BILLABONG FASHION SHOW. A VERY BIG THANK YOU TO BILLABONG FASHION, ALL THE GIRLS LOOKED STUNNING AND WILL CERTAINLY BE LOOKING OUT FOR BILLABONG CLOTHES WHEN DOING SHOPPING.

THE PERFECT EVENING WAS TOPPED OFF WITH THE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE WINNERS. CONGRATULATIONS GO TO:

MISS ELEGANCE

3RD PLACE	NADIA NIKOLOVA
2ND PLACE	NIKITA SOKOPO
1ST PLACE	JENNA FULCHER

MISS PIZZAZZ

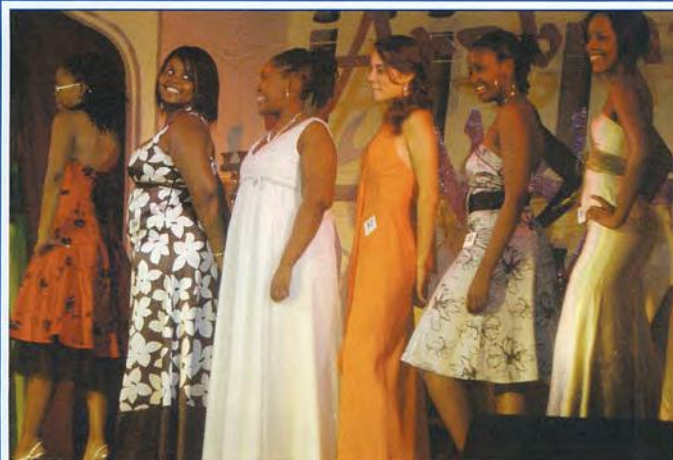
3RD PLACE	CHAVANEE MEGHRAJ
2ND PLACE	ROBYN PHILLIPS
1ST PLACE	SERISTA BUDHRAM

WELL DONE GIRLS, WE HOPE TO SEE YOU SUCCEED AGAIN NEXT YEAR.

AS YOU CAN TELL FROM READING THIS ARTICLE, THE FINALS EVENING WAS JUST THE CHERRY ON TOP OF AN AMAZING WEEK. SPECIAL THANKS GO TO MRS FULCHER (YOU ARE AMAZING), MRS HUGHES, MS WINSON, ALL THE JUDGES, OUR SPONSORS, MS CALLEBAUT, PARENTS AND TEACHERS AND OF COURSE THE LIA 2009.

THE LIA 2010 – WE HAVE SET A VERY HIGH STANDARD FOR YOU.

CHANEL RAMASHABA



MR BRYANSTON

IT WAS THE 18TH OF MARCH AND A WEDNESDAY EVENING, WHEN THE ANXIOUS GIRLS OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL GATHERED IN THE HALL TO WITNESS WHAT WAS ABOUT TO BE A SUPERB EVENING. THE LIA OPENED THE SHOW WITH AN ARABIAN DANCE. THE VIBE IN THE HALL WAS EXCELLENT AND THE AUDIENCE WERE CHEERING WILDLY WHILE THE 100 JUNIOR AND SENIOR BOYS STRUTTED THEIR STUFF ON STAGE.

THEN THE TOP 15 JUNIOR AND SENIOR BOYS WERE ANNOUNCED. FINALLY WE WERE DOWN TO THE TOP 5. MORE ENTERTAINMENT FOLLOWED WITH A FEW GIRLS DOING A BELLY DANCING ROUTINE. FINALLY OUR TOP 3 JUNIOR AND SENIOR WINNERS WERE ANNOUNCED AND THE NIGHT ENDED ON AN EXTREMELY HIGH NOTE. THE LIA WORKED EXCEPTIONALLY HARD TO PUT ON A GREAT SHOW AND WE THANK MRS FULCHER, MRS HUGHES, MR BASSON, MS WINSON, MS RAYNE AND MRS COOK FOR ALL THEIR HELP, GUIDANCE, PATIENCE AND HARD WORK. IT WAS A SUPERB EVENING.

THE WINNERS WERE:

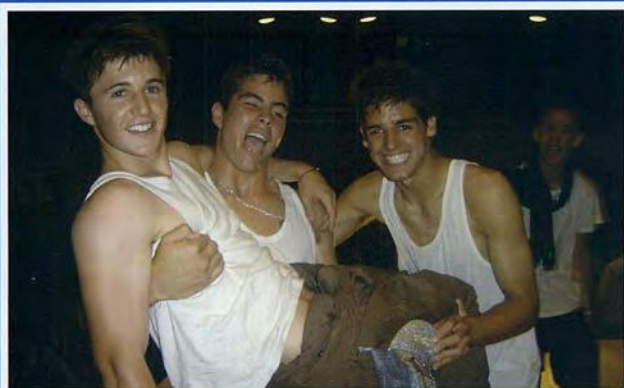
JUNIORS

- 3RD: BRENDON FULCHER
- 2ND: STEFAN DE BEER
- 1ST: VALDO DOS SANTOS

KIRSTEN SEALE

SENIORS

- 3RD: MOHAMED KOJAK
- 2ND: RAOUL MWENDANGA
- 1ST: MICHAEL LEVINE



ENTREPRENEURIAL DAY



DEBS 2010

ONE HUNDRED YOUNG DEBS AND SQUIRES HAVE TAKEN ON THE CHALLENGE TO RAISE R2500-00 IN ORDER TO ATTEND THE PRESTIGIOUS 2010 DEBUTANTES BALL. THE ENTREPRENEURIAL SKILLS SHOWN BY THESE YOUNG PEOPLE HAS BEEN OUTSTANDING. OUR ENTREPRENEURIAL DAYS HAVE HOSTED 16 TO 20 INTERESTING FOOD STALLS AND EACH OF THEM HAS BROUGHT IN A SIGNIFICANT AMOUNT OF FUND RAISING FOR EACH ENTREPRENEUR. WE LOOK FORWARD TO A SUCCESSFUL 2010 DEBS BALL.

MRS B. WEIR



FINAL ASSEMBLY

KIRSTEN WEIR

TRUST, RESPECT, AND UNITY; THESE 3 WORDS ARE THE BASIS OF SOME OF THE MOST BORING SPEECHES EVER WRITTEN. THEY ARE ACTIONS BEST PRACTICALLY DEMONSTRATED AND NOT SPOKEN ABOUT. SO AFTER HAVING WRITTEN THEM DOWN, I SCRATCHED THEM OUT. IT WAS REALLY HARD TO WRITE A SPEECH THAT I THOUGHT YOU WOULD LISTEN TO. LET ALONE A SPEECH THAT I THOUGHT YOU WOULD REMEMBER. BUT HERE IS MY BEST SHOT.

GOOD MORNING STAFF, GOOD MORNING MATRICS OF 2009 AND, FOR THE LAST TIME, GOOD MORNING SCHOOL.

I RACKED MY BRAINS FOR AN INNOVATIVE AND FUN SPEECH IDEA. I GOT NOTHING AND SO LIKE MOST STUDENTS, ALTHOUGH I ADMIT I'D NEVER TRIED IT BEFORE, I THOUGHT I'D TRY USING A TECHNIQUE CALLED "RESEARCHER QUOTATIONS"; IN OTHER WORDS PLAGIARISM. I HIT GOOGLE, FACEBOOK AND YOUTUBE WITH THE HOPE OF FINDING INSPIRATION. I THEN LOOKED THROUGH THE FAREWELL SPEECHES OF SEVERAL OF THE LAST PRESIDENTS. I NOTICED A GENERAL PATTERN: THEY ALL CONSISTED OF A NUMBER OF ELEMENTS, NAMELY, A FEW MEMORIES, "THANK-YOUS", SEVERAL WITTY QUOTES AND AN INSPIRATIONAL MESSAGE. DURING MOST OF THIS I RECALLED HOW MANY OF THE LEARNERS SWITCHED INTO "LEARNER MODE". THIS IS WHERE THEY ZONE OUT, GET A GLAZED LOOK IN THEIR EYES AND PROCEED TO NOD AT APPROPRIATE INTERVALS; A MODE I'M SURE MANY OF THE TEACHERS CAN VERIFY EXISTS.

BUT I WAS STILL NO CLOSER TO FINDING A CENTRAL TOPIC. SO I DECIDED TO GO WITH THE THINGS THAT MADE BRYANSTON A MEMORABLE PLACE FOR ME TO BE.

TO START OFF WITH, I THOUGHT OF UNCLE CHARLES AT THE TUCK-SHOP, BECAUSE I'M CERTAIN THAT MANY OF MY FELLOW MATRICS FEEL THEY WOULD NOT HAVE MADE IT THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL IF UNCLE CHARLIE HAD NOT SEEN TO THEIR STRICT DIETARY REQUIREMENTS EVERY DAY, OR AT LEAST I DON'T THINK ALFIE WOULD HAVE MADE IT ANYWAY.

NEXT I THOUGHT OF THE DELIGHTFUL GRADE 10 BOYS BEHIND THE TUCK-SHOP - JASON, RICHARD, GARRASINO AND REST OF YOUR CREW - FOR YOU I HOPE THAT YOU ALL BECOME YOUR OWN BOSSES SO THAT YOU DO NOT HAVE TO ANSWER TO ANYONE AND SO THAT YOU ALL HAVE ENOUGH MONEY TO BUILD BIG HOUSES WITH LOTS AND LOTS OF STAIRS FOR YOU TO SIT ON WHENEVER YOU FEEL LIKE IT!

SOMETHING I KNOW MANY OF YOU WOULD RELATE TO, ARE THE SCHOOL SHOWERS AFTER EARLY MORNING TRAINING. MOSTLY COLD AND JUST WHEN YOU GET THE HOT WATER GOING, SOMEONE TURNS ON ANOTHER TAP AND IT'S GONE.

ONE THING NO OTHER SCHOOL CAN DENY IS OUR AMAZING SPIRIT, EVEN IF WE ARE NOT THE MOST PRIVILEGED SCHOOL WE HAVE BY FAR THE MOST HEART. NOTHING HAS QUITE TAUGHT ME ABOUT SCHOOL PRIDE LIKE THE GRADE 8'S HAVE. YOUR LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION HAS BEEN EXCEPTIONAL, AND

WATCHING YOU GROW THIS YEAR INTO BLUE FLAMES IN YOUR OWN RIGHT HAS BEEN TRULY REWARDING. I AM SO PROUD TO HAVE YOU ALL AS PART OF OUR LEGACY AND I HOPE THAT YOU WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER THE SPIRIT WE TAUGHT YOU.

I MUST SAY - CHAD HAS TAUGHT ME ALL ABOUT COURAGE. WHY COURAGE SOME OF YOU MAY ASK? WELL, THERE ARE NOT MANY GRADE 8 BOYS WHO PLAYED NOUGHTS-AND-CROSSES ON MR VAN DER MERWE'S CAR WINDOW IN PERMANENT MARKER THAT LIVE TO TELL THE TALE AND FURTHERMORE WENT ON TO BECOME HEAD BOY. BUT IT HAS BEEN AN HONOUR TO LEAD BESIDE HIM, HIS GOOD HUMOUR HAS SHED LIGHT ON MANY SITUATIONS AND I THINK I MAY EVEN MISS HAVING DUTIES NEXT YEAR BECAUSE OF HIM.

AS FAR AS SPEECHES GO, I THINK IT'S TIME FOR A QUOTE; SO, BRYANSTON, IN THE WORDS OF ELVIS PRESLEY, "DO SOMETHING WORTH REMEMBERING."

...WHICH LEADS ME TO THINK OF ALL THE THINGS THAT HAVE MOVED ME HERE AND THE THINGS THAT I DEEM "WORTH REMEMBERING". MANY OF THESE IMPORTANT THINGS I HAVE LEARNT OUTSIDE OF THE CLASSROOM AND MOST OF THEM WERE COURTESY OF PEOPLE WHOSE DETERMINATION HAS INSPIRED ME. STRENGTH IS AN INNER COURAGE, IT IS THE ABILITY TO HOLD ON EVEN WHEN OTHERS WOULD UNDERSTAND IF YOU LET GO.

I REALLY FEEL IT WOULD BE AN INJUSTICE NOT TO THANK MY PRECIOUS FOUNDATION. SO THANK-YOU MOM BECAUSE YOU WERE SO SUPPORTIVE THROUGH ALL THOSE LATE NIGHTS AND EARLY MORNINGS AND THANK YOU MOM - BECAUSE I'D MOST LIKELY BE HOMELESS WITHOUT YOU!

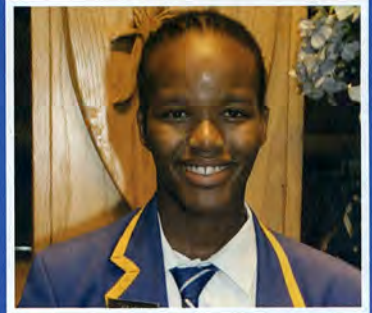
I SAID IT MANY TIMES AND NOW I'LL SAY IT TO YOU:

BEING HEAD GIRL WAS PROBABLY THE SINGLE GREATEST EXPERIENCE OF MY LIFE SO FAR; IT WAS A ONCE-OFF OPPORTUNITY, BUT ONCE HAS BEEN ENOUGH. TO THE NEW EXEC; I WISH YOU ALL THE BEST FOR 2010 - IT PROMISES TO BE A GOOD YEAR. TO THE MATRICS OF 2010, I WISH YOU LUCK; NO ONE HAS YET BEEN KILLED BY THE WORKLOAD SO BREATHE, BUT PREPARE YOURSELF IT DOES PACK PUNCH!

THAT JUST LEAVES THE INSPIRATIONAL MESSAGE PART OF MY SPEECH. IN THIS SECTION, I HAVE THIS TO SAY:

SCHOOL, I DON'T THINK, WILL BE THE BEST PART OF OUR LIVES. BECAUSE IF CTA'S AND PORTFOLIOS ROCK YOUR BOAT, THEN YOU MOST LIKELY HAVE SOMETHING WRONG WITH YOU! BUT ALL OF THE MEMORIES AND MOST OF THE FRIENDS WILL BE LASTING AND HAVE AN INFLUENCE ON WHERE WE GO NEXT. THIS IS JUST ONE CHAPTER OF OUR LIFE STORIES, BUT REMEMBER THAT ONE BAD CHAPTER CAN SPOIL THE BOOK. SO TREAD LIGHTLY AND STAY ALERT, WORK HARD, FIGHT FOR WHAT YOU WANT AND REMEMBER TO TAKE A BREATHER AND SPOIL YOURSELF ONCE IN A WHILE BECAUSE "IF YOU DON'T LEARN TO CHILL OUT, YOU WILL BURN OUT."

TO EVERYBODY HERE TODAY; I CHALLENGE YOU TO PUT YOUR BEST FOOT FORWARD.



FINAL ASSEMBLY

CHAD KNEZOVICH

I STAND BEFORE YOU ALL THIS MORNING, WITH A GREAT SENSE OF SADNESS AS IT IS THE LAST TIME I STAND BEFORE YOU ALL AS PRESIDENT OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL FOR 2009 AND AS A STUDENT OF THIS INCREDIBLE SCHOOL.

MY JOURNEY THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL SEEMS TO HAVE PASSED BY SO QUICKLY.

IT WAS WITH A DEGREE OF UNCERTAINTY I BEGAN MY YEAR OF COUNCILLORSHIP, AND NOW I CANNOT BELIEVE THAT MY TERM OF OFFICE IS OVER, AND LOOKING BACK, I REALIZE HOW MUCH I HAVE LEARNT FROM MY EXPERIENCES IN THIS POSITION.

YOU WILL RECALL I SPOKE BRIEFLY ABOUT LEADERSHIP AT THE RCL INDUCTION LAST WEEK. WHAT I SAID COULD BEST BE ENCAPSULATED IN THIS QUOTE: "YOU DON'T HAVE TO HOLD A POSITION IN ORDER TO BE A LEADER."

WHEN AN ERA IN YOUR LIFE IS COMING TO A CLOSE, YOU FIND YOURSELF REFLECTING ON WHAT HAS PASSED. I CAN HONESTLY SAY THAT WHEN I LOOK BACK ON MY TIME AT BRYANSTON HIGH I DID LIVE EVERY MOMENT TO THE FULL AND I SEIZED EVERY OPPORTUNITY THAT WAS PRESENTED TO ME TO LEARN A NEW SKILL OR TO GROW AS A PERSON. THE GREATEST MEMORIES OF YOUR SCHOOLING CAREERS ARE NOT MADE UP OF THE LONG HOURS IN YOUR CLASSES; THEY ARE MADE ON THE SPORTSFIELD AND ON THE STAGE WHERE YOU PARTICIPATE WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND HAVE THE MOST FUN. IT IS NOT ALWAYS NECESSARY TO BE THE BEST AND TO WIN; SOMETIMES IT'S SIMPLY THE FUN OF BEING INVOLVED.

I BELIEVE IT IS IMPORTANT TO PLAN AHEAD AND SET GOALS FOR YOURSELF. PURPOSE IS THE ANCHOR THAT NEVER SHIFTS AND ALLOWS US TO CHANGE DIRECTIONS WITHOUT LOSING SIGHT OF THE GOAL.

YOU MUST REMEMBER THAT WE ARE ALL IN THE SAME BOAT AND YOU NEED TO SUPPORT EACH OTHER. I WOULD NOT HAVE MADE IT THROUGH THIS YEAR IF IT WAS NOT FOR THE SUPPORT I RECEIVED FROM MY EXEC, FELLOW COUNCILLORS, MATRICS AND TEACHERS.

IN CLOSING I'D LIKE TO SHARE WITH YOU THE FOLLOWING WORDS OF WISDOM: "LOSERS ALWAYS HAVE AN EXCUSE, WINNERS ALWAYS HAVE AN IDEA. LOSERS FIX THE BLAME, WINNERS FIX THE SITUATION. LOSERS MAKE PROMISES, WINNERS KEEP COMMITMENTS. LOSERS LET IT HAPPEN, WINNERS MAKE IT HAPPEN. LOSERS SAY: "WHY DON'T THEY DO SOMETHING?" WINNERS SAY, "HERE'S SOMETHING I CAN DO." LET US ALL BE WINNERS IN LIFE AND GO ABOUT LIFE IN A POSITIVE WAY.

THANK YOU TO MS WINSON AND MR DE LANGE FOR ALL THE SUPPORT, GUIDANCE AND LAUGHS THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL.

I WISH YOU ALL EVERY SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN THE FUTURE.



VALEDICTORY SPEECH

PRESIDENT – KIRSTEN WEIR

THERE IS A SAYING WHICH, I FEEL, SUMS UP OUR GRADE FAIRLY WELL AND IT GOES LIKE THIS: "GOOD JUDGMENT COMES FROM EXPERIENCE, EXPERIENCE COMES FROM BAD JUDGMENT."

WELL, WHAT CAN I SAY TO YOU THAT YOU DON'T ALREADY KNOW? AS A GROUP WE HAVE COLLECTIVELY MADE MANY WRONG TURNS IN OUR HIGH SCHOOL CAREERS WHERE OUR JUDGMENT WAS LESS THAN SATISFACTORY. WE HAVE REBELLED AGAINST AUTHORITY, SAT THROUGH MANY BREAK DETENTIONS AND ENDURED MANY THREATS FROM OUR GRADE CONTROLLERS THAT THEY WOULD RESIGN BECAUSE OF US. BUT I AM GLAD THEY HAD FAITH IN US EVEN IF AT TIMES IT WAS ONLY FAITH ENOUGH TO STICK WITH US. I WOULD LIKE TO THINK THAT WE MADE THEM PROUD ON AT LEAST ONE OCCASION AND THAT BY THE END OF TONIGHT, MAYBE EVEN TWO; SO TO MR DE LANGE AND MISS WINSON THANK YOU FOR YOUR PATIENCE, ENCOURAGEMENT AND FOR PUTTING UP WITH ALL OUR BAD JUDGMENT.

OUR GROUP HAS SHAPED FROM THE MOTLEY CREW THAT ARRIVED IN GRADE 8 TO THE HALL OF ADULTS I SEE BEFORE ME. GRANTED THERE HAPPENS TO BE QUITE A FEW PARENTS HERE THIS EVENING, BUT NONETHELESS I FEEL IT MAY BE SOME YEARS BEFORE BRYANSTON SEES ANOTHER GROUP LIKE US. WHICH OTHER GRADE IN BRYANSTON CAN BOAST 17 WHITE BLAZERS WITH 8 RE-AWARDS, CAN SAY THAT THEY HAVE BACK-TO-BACK GIRLS RELAY CHAMPIONS, CAN SAY THAT THEIR LIA RAISED OVER R200 000? AND WHICH OTHER GRADE CAN SAY THAT THEY MATRICULATED AS THE CLASS OF 2009?

I WOULD LIKE TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO THANK OUR WONDERFUL STAFF MEMBERS, THE ADMINISTRATION STAFF AND GROUND STAFF WHO ARE THE BASIS OF THIS INSTITUTION. WHETHER WE REALIZE IT OR NOT, WE HAVE RECEIVED A GREAT EDUCATION HERE AND AS MUCH AS WE HAVE COMPLAINED WE WOULD NOT HAVE MADE IT HERE WITHOUT YOU. IN TERMS OF CHARLES DARWIN'S THEORY OF SURVIVAL OF THE FITTEST – THAT WOULD MAKE US THE FITTEST. WE HAVE SURVIVED.

DR SEUSS SAID IT BEST WHEN HE SAID, "DON'T CRY BECAUSE IT'S OVER; SMILE BECAUSE IT HAPPENED." I FEEL SELFISH FOR WANTING TO CRY TONIGHT BECAUSE THE MEMORIES THAT I HAVE SHARED

WITH YOU ARE ENOUGH TO KEEP ME SMILING FOR A MONTH. OR THEY WOULD BE IF WE DIDN'T HAVE TO START FINALS NEXT WEEK!

BUT THEY ARE IMAGES IN MY HEAD THAT I CANNOT FORGET, AND WOULD NEVER TRADE.

FOR THE HOCKEY MEMORIES, CAMP MEMORIES, THE COUNCILOR ROOM ... THESE ARE ALL THINGS THAT KEPT US COMING TO SCHOOL. THE MEMORY OF DOUBLE MATHS FOLLOWED BY DOUBLE SCIENCE, BUT IT WAS AN AMAZING 5 YEARS AND I CAN'T THINK OF ANOTHER GROUP I WOULD RATHER HAVE SPENT THEM WITH.

I HAVE REALLY ENJOYED THIS EXPERIENCE AND HAVE VALUED ALL YOUR SUPPORT, ESPECIALLY FROM THE COUNCILOR AND EXEC BODIES RESPECTIVELY. I HAVE LEARNT THAT IF YOU ALLOW THE BLUE FLAME TO BURN BRIGHTLY ENOUGH ON YOUR BLAZER POCKET, IT IS NOT IMPOSSIBLE TO TURN THAT FLAME TO "GOLD".

OUR FUTURES ARE HURTLING TOWARDS ALL OF US AND IT IS DAUNTING FOR MANY OF US. THE BEST ADVICE I HAVE EVER BEEN GIVEN IS "NOT TO TREAT EVERY SITUATION AS LIFE OR DEATH; BECAUSE IF YOU DO, YOU'RE GOING TO DO A FAIR SHARE OF DYING. NEXT YEAR IS AN EXCITING OPPORTUNITY FOR US TO REINVEST OURSELVES; TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY BUT REMEMBER WHERE ALL ORIGINATED. ONE IMPORTANT TIP I CAN PASS ON TO YOU FROM A RELIABLE UNIVERSITY SOURCE IS THAT YOU WILL FOREVER BE BROKE AT UNIVERSITY SO NEVER TURN DOWN FREE FOOD! REMEMBER TO POST PHOTOS ON FACEBOOK ONCE IN A WHILE SO THAT WE CAN ALL SEE WHAT YOU'RE UP TO AND LASTLY GOOD LUCK – NOT THAT ANY OF YOU SHOULD NEED IT.

IN CLOSING I WOULD LIKE TO SAY THAT "NOBODY CAN GO BACK AND START A NEW BEGINNING. BUT ANYONE CAN START TODAY TO MAKE A NEW ENDING" – MARIA ROBINSON.

SO WHAT "IF" WE DECIDE TO MAKE TODAY THAT DAY? WHAT "IF" WE DECIDE TO CONQUER OUR MOUNTAINS? WHAT IF, WHAT IF...

"IF" RECITED BY ROGER FEDERA AND RAFAEL NADAL



VALEDICTORY SPEECH

PRESIDENT – CHAD KNEZOVICH

MY JOURNEY THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL SEEMS TO HAVE PASSED SO QUICKLY BUT THIS YEAR, IN PARTICULAR, THE TIME HAS REALLY FLOWN BY. WHO WOULD EVER BELIEVE THAT IT IS NEARLY 5 YEARS SINCE RICKY AND I WERE PLAYING NOUGHTS AND CROSSES ON MR VAN DER MERWE'S CAR? OR 5 YEARS SINCE WE PLAYED OUR FIRST RUGBY, CRICKET, NETBALL, OR HOCKEY MATCH. HOW WE HAVE GROWN SINCE THEN. IT SEEMS LIKE THE OTHER DAY THAT WE ENTERED THIS GREAT SCHOOL, BUT IT IS NOW TIME TO BID FAREWELL AND REMEMBER FOREVER. "WE ONLY PART TO MEET AGAIN." JOHN GAY.

WHEN AN ERA IN YOUR LIFE IS COMING TO A CLOSE, YOU FIND YOURSELF REFLECTING ON WHAT HAS PASSED. THE GREATEST MEMORIES OF OUR SCHOOLING CAREERS WERE NOT MADE UP OF THE LONG HOURS IN OUR CLASSES, THEY WERE MADE ON THE SPORTS FIELD AND ON THE STAGE WHERE YOU PARTICIPATED WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND HAD THE MOST FUN.

I CAN ATTRIBUTE MOST OF MY SUCCESS TODAY TO MY PARENTS, WHO HAVE ALWAYS BEEN THERE FOR ME AND PUSHED ME IN TIMES OF DIFFICULTY. THEY HAVE SUPPORTED ME THROUGH EVERYTHING AND HAVE MADE MY JOB MUCH EASIER. ONE WORD I HAVE LEARNT FROM MY PARENTS AND ONE THAT IS USED SO OFTEN IS THE "F" WORD, FOCUS. THIS IS ONE WORD WHICH CAN RELATE TO ANYTHING IN LIFE AND I WANT YOU ALL TO REMEMBER IT TONIGHT AS WE PREPARE FOR OUR FINAL EXAMS AND FOR NEW JOURNEYS THROUGH LIFE. WE NEED TO FOCUS ON OUR STUDIES FOR OUR LAST SCHOOL EXAMS, FOCUS ON MAKING A SUCCESS OF LIFE AND FOCUS ON WHO WE ARE AS PEOPLE SO THAT ONE DAY WE MAY MAKE THE CHANGES WE WANT TO SEE IN THIS WORLD.

I DO BELIEVE THAT NONE OF US WOULD BE SITTING HERE TONIGHT, IF IT WERE NOT FOR THE VERY SPECIAL PEOPLE SITTING ON STAGE IN THEIR ROBES. THEY HAVE GUIDED US FROM WHEN WE ARRIVED AND SHOWED US THE WAYS THROUGH HIGH SCHOOL. THEIR INSPIRATION HAS BEEN FELT BY ALL AND WE WILL CERTAINLY REMEMBER THE GOOD TIMES WE HAD WITH MOST OF THE TEACHERS. "WE OFTEN TAKE FOR GRANTED THE VERY THINGS THAT MOST DESERVE OUR GRATITUDE." – CYNTHIA OZICK."

SO TO THE TEACHERS WHO HAVE HELPED US THROUGH THE BUMPY JOURNEY OF HIGH SCHOOL I THANK YOU ALL.

WE HAVE CREATED A LEGACY IN THIS SCHOOL FOR THE RIGHT REASONS. OUR MATRIC GROUP HAVE BEEN AWARDED THE MOST HONOURS BLAZERS THE SCHOOL HAS SEEN, AND WITH ALL THE OVERACHIEVERS I AM HONOURED TO SAY THAT I WAS A PART OF THE MATRIC GROUP OF 2009.

A FEW OF THE AWESOME MEMORIES I WILL REMEMBER FOREVER ARE: CHARLIE'S CHICKEN BURGERS AT THE TUCKSHOP, SPORTS LESSONS, THE REFRESHING SWIMS AT BREAK WITH MY FRIENDS, THE LONG ASSEMBLIES IN THE SUN, THE FUN WE HAD ON THE LIA AND WHO COULD EVER FORGET THE SMELLS OF THE BOYS' BATHROOMS. THESE ARE JUST A FEW MEMORIES I WILL TAKE AWAY FROM THIS INCREDIBLE SCHOOL.

TONIGHT I HAVE TO INCLUDE A VERY SPECIAL THANK YOU TO A TREMENDOUS, LEADER WHO HAS HELPED ME THROUGH EVERYTHING THIS YEAR. I DO NOT HAVE ENOUGH PRAISE FOR THIS INCREDIBLE YOUNG LADY. I HAVE BEEN SO HONOURED TO LEAD ALONGSIDE A REALLY REMARKABLE LEADER. I CANNOT THINK OF ANY OTHER ADJECTIVES TO DESCRIBE HER PERFECTION, DILIGENCE, COMMITMENT TO AND DEDICATION TO EVERYTHING SHE DOES. I COULD NOT HAVE ASKED FOR A MORE SPLENDID PERSON TO LEAD ALONGSIDE, SO TO KIRSTEN WEIR, I THANK YOU AGAIN FOR ALL THE SUPPORT YOU HAVE NOT ONLY GIVEN ME, BUT ALL THE COUNCILLORS AND MATRICS.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE MATRICS FOR GIVING ME THE OPPORTUNITY TO LEAD THIS GREAT SCHOOL AND FOR BELIEVING IN MY ABILITIES TO LEAD. I WOULD NOT BE IN THIS POSITION TODAY OR MAKING THIS SPEECH TONIGHT IF IT WERE NOT FOR YOU. THE SUPPORT FROM YOU THROUGHOUT THIS YEAR WAS UNBELIEVABLE AND I GREATLY APPRECIATE IT.

I WISH TO ALL MY FELLOW MATRICS OF 2009 EVERY SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN THE FUTURE AND MAY YOU ALL SEIZE EVERY OPPORTUNITY PRESENTED TO YOU.



VALEDICTORY

1. ACADEMIC CERTIFICATES

ENGLISH

IMPROVEMENT:

KELSEY SKINNER, CHAD KNEZOVICH, SHAYLEEN CROWIE, HLONI MASHELE, DESMOND ZHANG, KEVIN PEACOCK, ROSIE NKOANE, CRAIG WIID, LEE PECKOVER

DILIGENCE:

ALEX WRIGHT, TIMOTHY KLUE, TRACY BALOYI, GARETH BELL, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, TSHEGOFATSO MBONGO, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, VIKKI TAYLOR, CHRISTINA FERREIRA, TAMSYN LAWRENCE, DANIEL VONK, LEE SPEECHLY, ANGELA COOK

EXCELLENCE:

CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, MARGEUX ADAMS, SUMMER BAILEY, KIRSTEN WEIR, STORM OOSTHUIZEN

AFRIKAANS

IMPROVEMENT

MISTY RUHRMUND, NADINE ZULU, DEAN MYBURGH, GRACE KATENDE, GRAEME HAY, KYLE PILLAY, ANDISWA MEI, JAMES WILLIAMS, DONOVAN WRESSEL, ROSIE NKOANE

DILIGENCE

LEE SPEECHLY, TAMSYN LAWRENCE, AMANDA KAPITO, MMATHOTO MANONG, CATHRYN MASTERSON, ROSEY SEHALE, TIMOTHY KLUE, TYLER HILLARY, CHENEY DENT, TRACY BALOYI, DAVID HATHERELL

EXCELLENCE

MARGEUX ADAMS, LERATO KHATLE, SIYANDA MADLANGA, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, YOLANDA ACKERMANN, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, KIRSTEN WEIR, OLIVIA JANSEN

ZULU

IMPROVEMENT

MUSA MALULEKE, FANA MATIKINCA

DILIGENCE

MELISSA NGWENYA, SBU SHABANGU, ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA, YOLANDA DOMBO, JONATHAN MAKHANYA, SAMKELO GUNGULUZA, NDUMISO MONA

FRENCH

IMPROVEMENT

SHARON DUBE

DILIGENCE

JESSICA BOWYER

EXCELLENCE

CHANELLE TORRENT, DASHA MASLOVA

MATHS LITERACY

IMPROVEMENT

RAISSA MWENDANGA, JAMI LEIGH CLOETE, VICTORIA TAYLOR, MISTY RUHRMUND, NISHA POONAWALA, KHUMO KGOSITAU, MONIQUE VENTER, JESSIE WEST, CHRISTINAH NOKANA, STACEY BONSER

DILIGENCE

CHRISTINA FERREIRA, PETUNIA MTHOMBENI, ASHLEIGH SCRUTON, NADINE ZULU, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, SUMMER BAILEY, SINEAD QUEIROZ, JESSICA BOWYER

EXCELLENCE

MAXINE OOSTHUIZEN, CARLA CROOKS, LISA COOK, JODIE GRAVES, CHELCIE REYNOLDS

MATHEMATICS

IMPROVEMENT

ROSEY SEHALE, DANIEL HUGHES, YOLANDA DOMBO, BRADLEY HENDERSON, DEVLIN O'REILLY

DILIGENCE

KYLE ASHFORD, SHIRLEY MLAZA, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, CLAIRE TAVERNER, MARGEUX ADAMS, GARETH BELL, TRACY BALOYI, CATHRYN MASTERSON, KELSEY SKINNER, NOLLY SIBANDA, AMANDA KAPITO, AKHONA PONI, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE, SIMON LEWIS, CHAD KNEZOVICH, LERATO KHATLE, MICHAL DEVINE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI

EXCELLENCE

CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, KIRSTEN WEIR, TIMOTHY KLUE, DAVID HATHERELL, ALEX WRIGHT, SIMONE GAST, MEGAN DAVIDSON, SIYANDA MADLANGA

VISUAL ARTS

IMPROVEMENT

NADINE ZULU, VICTORIA EIKENBOOM

DILIGENCE

LISA COOK, JESSICA BOWYER, SINEAD QUEIROZ

EXCELLENCE

SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, MARGEUX ADAMS

ENGINEERING AND DESIGN

IMPROVEMENT

DEAN MYBURGH, ROBERT LEE, ANDREA GOCHEN

DILIGENCE

KYLE ASHFORD, DYLAN BENSON

EXCELLENCE

KEAGAN HARRIS, CRAIG TRESISE, TIMOTHY KLUE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN

SCIENCE

IMPROVEMENT

DESMOND ZHANG, MICHAL DEVINE, ANDREW BLANE, SHIVAAN TAMTAHAL, ALEX SFARNAS, GARY SPENCER, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE

DILIGENCE

GARETH BELL, LERATO KHATLE, KELSEY SKINNER, MEGAN DAVIDSON, AMANDA KAPITO, CATHRYN MASTERSON, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, MICHAEL TOUT, TYLER HILLARY, MMATHOTO MANONG, CLAIRE TAVERNER, TRACY BALOYI

EXCELLENCE

KIRSTEN WEIR, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, TIMOTHY KLUE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, SIMON LEWIS, SIYANDA MADLANGA, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, DAVID HATHERELL

LIFE SCIENCES

IMPROVEMENT

JESSE CASANOVA, RICHARD MILLER, DANIEL HUGHES, ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA, CATHRYN MASTERSON, MEAGAN OLIVIER, TSHEPISO MOKOENA, GARY SPENCER, TYLER HILLARY, JESSIE WEST, FRANCES GOODING

DILIGENCE

TAMSYN LAWRENCE, BOJENA DEVEREUX, HEATHER JONES, VIKKI TAYLOR, KIRSTEN ADAMS, SUMMER BAILEY, MMATHOTO MANONG, LERATO KHATLE, LEE SPEECHLY, LAUREN KILFOIL

EXCELLENCE

SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, DAVID HATHERELL, DILLON NDLOVU, TRACY BALOYI, ANDREA GOCHEN, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, SIYANDA MADLANGA, MICHAL DEVINE, SIMONE GAST,

VALEDICTORY

MARGEUX ADAMS, KELSEY SKINNER, MICHAEL TOUT,
SIMON LEWIS, KIRSTEN WEIR, MEGAN DAVIDSON

GEOGRAPHY

IMPROVEMENT

DONOVAN WRESSEL, WILLIAM NOKANA,
SHAYLEEN CROWIE, ANGELA COOK, SUMMER BAILEY

DILIGENCE

KYLE ASHFORD, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, STACEY BONSER,
TALYA CARTER, MEGAN DAVIDSON, VID GOBAC,
TYLER HILLARY, LEE PECKOVER, GRAHAM HAY,
MICHAEL TOUT, TAMSYN LAWRENCE, CANDICE JACOBS

EXCELLENCE

TIMOTHY KLUE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI,
CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, SIMONE GAST, SIMON LEWIS,
KELSEY SKINNER, KIRSTEN WEIR, GARETH BELL,
CHAD KNEZOVICH

HISTORY

DILIGENCE

THATO LENEP, ANDREW SIBIYA, CANDICE JACOBS,
HEATHER JONES, CHRISTINA FERREIRA, GEORGE TOCHEV,
ANGELA COOK, SUMMER BAILEY, MITCHELL HAEFELE,
ALEX SFARNAS

EXCELLENCE

STORM OOSTHUIZEN, DANIEL HUGHES, NADINE ZULU,
MARGEUX ADAMS, SIMONE GAST, LEE SPEECHLY,
THAPI MAKGABUTLANE

CONSUMER STUDIES

IMPROVEMENT

KELLY LAWRENCE

DILIGENCE

KIRSTEN ADAMS, LEE SPEECHLY, CHRISTINE MODIBA,
CANDICE JACOBS, MANKE NAKEDI

EXCELLENCE

CLAIRE TAVERNER, MEAGAN OLIVIER, DEVLIN O'REILLY

BUSINESS STUDIES

IMPROVEMENT

MUSA MALULEKE

EXCELLENCE

ALEX WRIGHT, CHAD KNEZOVICH, CATHRYN MASTERSON,
MICHAL DEVINE

CAT

IMPROVEMENT

MICHAEL BREDAHL

DILIGENCE

FRANCES GOODING, SHARON DUBE, NOMONDE MLAWULI,
GRACE KATENDE

EXCELLENCE

BOIPELO RAMUSHU, SHANE MURRAY,
CHRISTOPHER HARRIS, CHELCIE REYNOLDS,
ASHLEIGH SCRUTON, CRAIG WIID, AKHONA PONI

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IMPROVEMENT

BRADLEY HENDERSON

DILIGENCE

DASHA MASLOVA

EXCELLENCE

ALEX WRIGHT

ACCOUNTING

IMPROVEMENT

SHIVANN RAMTAHAL

DILIGENCE

DAVID HATHERELL, SHIRLY MLAZA, TRACY BALOYI,
SIYANDA MADLANGA, GARETH BELL

EXCELLENCE

ALEX WRIGHT

LIFE ORIENTATION

IMPROVEMENT

KYLE PILLAY, DILLON NDLOVU, DORIAN BRUYNIS,
ANDREW BLANE, ANDISWA MEI

DILIGENCE

TRACY BALOYI, SHIRLEY MLAZA, PABALLO NDUKU,
ANGELA COOK, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, CLAIRE TAVERNER,
CHELCIE REYNOLDS, NORMONDE MLAWULI,
CHRISTINA FERREIRA, MISTY RUHRMUND, TALYA CARTER,
LAUREN KILFOIL, CHANELLE TORRENT

EXCELLENCE

GARETH BELL, DAVID HATHERELL, OLIVIA JANSEN, SIMONE
GAST, MARGEUX ADAMS, SHAYLEEN CROWIE, ALEX
WRIGHT, DASHA MASLOVA, KIRSTEN WEIR,
KELSEY SKINNER, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, LERATO KHATLE,
AMANDA KAPITO, CATHRYN MASTERSON, NOLLY SIBANDA,
VID GOBAC, GORDON FULTON

2. SERVICE AWARDS

GIRLS' TENNIS

5 YEARS FIRST TEAM, TENNIS CAPTAIN, TENNIS COACHING

KIRSTEN WEIR

TENNIS COACHING OF ALL LEVELS

CHANELLE TORRENT

5 YEARS FIRST TEAM TENNIS, VICE CAPTAIN

KELSEY SKINNER

GIRLS HOCKEY

KIRSTEN WEIR, KELSEY SKINNER, CHANELLE TORRENT,
PALESA MASHININI, KIRSTEN LANDMAN,
MEGAN DAVIDSON, LAUREN KILFOIL, ANGELA COOK,
OLIVIA JANSEN

BOYS HOCKEY

ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, TYRONE HAMMOND,
SBU SHABANGU, CRAIG WIID, MITCHELL HAEFELE,
MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH, GARETH DAVIS-HANNIBAL,
GARETH BELL, ALEX SFARNAS

RUGBY

DEAN MYBURGH, CHAD KNEZOVICH, DEXTER SCHELIN

SWIMMING

KIRSTEN LANDMAN, GARETH BELL, ALEX SFARNAS,
LAUREN KILFOIL, THAPELO MOKOENA, KELSEY SKINNER,
CATHRYN MASTERSON, LEE PECKOVER, LEE SPEECHLY,
DEAN MYBURGH, CHAD KNEZOVICH, MEGAN DAVIDSON,
COLLEEN WINTER.

NETBALL

FOR FIVE YEARS OF SERVICE:

CATHRYN MASTERSON, CANDICE JACOBS, GRACE KATENDE,
AKHONA PONI, BOIPELO RAMUSHU, AMANDA KAPITO,
ROSIE NKOANE, NOLLY SIBANDA, KARABO MLAMBO

FOR FIVE YEARS OF SCORING FOR NETBALL:

LERATO KHATLE

BOYS SQUASH

COACHING OF JUNIOR SQUADS AND BEGINNERS:

MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH

COACHING OF JUNIOR SQUADS AND BEGINNERS:

ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI

VALEDICTORY

GIRLS SQUASH

CATHRYN MASTERSON, LAUREN KILFOIL,
CHELCIE REYNOLDS, STACEY BONSER, COLLEEN WINTER

ATHLETICS

DILLON NDLOVU, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, KIRSTEN WEIR

CATERING

OUTSTANDING SERVICE & LOYALTY TO CATERING:

ANDREW SIBIYA

EXCELLENCE: LOYALTY AND LEADERSHIP TO CATERING:

DEVLIN O'REILLY

SERVICE TO CATERING: SINATE POTIANE

SERVICE TO CATERING: LEZLEY NDOU

RHETORIC

LERATO KHATLE, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE,
AMANDA KAPITO, MMATHOTO MANONG,
TSHEGO MBONGO, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, GARETH BELL

CHEERLEADING

FOR FIVE YEARS - FIRST TEAM

MEGAN DAVIDSON, BOJENA DEVEREUX, JODI GRAVES

FOR FIVE YEARS CHEERLEADING

LEE PECKOVER, ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA,

MEGUEL GOVENDER, SINEAD QUEIROZ

FOR DEDICATION TO CHEERLEADING

GARY SPENCER, DONOVAN WRESSEL

FIRST AID

MEGAN DAVIDSON, KELSEY SKINNER, CATHRYN
MASTERSON, LEE PECKOVER, THAPELO MOKOENA, GARETH
BELL, DIANA MURESAN

DRAMA

LEE SPEECHLY, VID GOBAC, STORM OOSTHUIZEN

SOUND & LIGHTING

CHENEY DENT

CRICKET

DEAN MYBURGH, TYRONE HAMMOND

CRICKET SCORING

KELSEY SKINNER

EQUESTRIAN (TROPHY)

FIVE YEARS COMMITMENT AND DEDICATION TO EQUESTRIAN

MAXINE OOSTHUIZEN

SERVICE BEYOND SELF

GARETH BELL, LEE SPEECHLY, LERATO KHATLE

LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATES

ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, TIMOTHY KLUE, STORM
OOSTHUIZEN, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH,
ALEX SFARNAS, KIRSTEN DENYER, VID GOBAC, CHANELLE
TORRENT, TYRONE HAMMOND, LANCE LUMSDEN, DEVLIN
O'REILLY, CRAIG WIID, THAPELO MOKOENA, LAUREN
KILFOIL

BEST CLASS CAPTAIN

LEE SPEECHLY

3. ATTENDANCE

FOR FIVE YEARS FULL ATTENDANCE - SHIRLEY MLAZA,
ROSEY SEHALE, MICHAEL TOUT

FOR TWELVE YEARS FULL ATTENDANCE - KIRSTEN WEIR,
ANDREW MILNE

4. TROPHIES

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY TROPHY -

ALEX WRIGHT (89%)

COMPUTER APPLICATIONS TECHNOLOGY -

CHELCIE REYNOLDS (72%)

BUSINESS STUDIES TROPHY -

MICHAL DEVINE (86%), CHAD KNEZOVICH (86%)

ACCOUNTING TROPHY - ALEX WRIGHT (83%)

ENGINEERING, GRAPHICS & DESIGN TROPHY -

CALVIN VANDERWAGEN (87%)

AUSTIN TROPHY - CONSUMER STUDIES -

CLAIRE TAVERNER (73%)

WEIR TROPHY FOR PRACTICAL WORK - CONSUMER

STUDIES - DEVLIN O'REILLY

VISUAL ARTS - STOLTZ TROPHY - LISA COOK (89%)

VISUAL ARTS - DESIGN - SINEAD QUEIROZ

TIME CENTRE TROPHY - PHYSICAL SCIENCE -

KIRSTEN WEIR (83%)

SUMAR TROPHY - CHEMISTRY - KIRSTEN WEIR

WILKE PRINSLOO TROPHY - INSIGHT INTO PHYSICS -

CALVIN VANDERWAGEN

LICHTIGFELD TROPHY (LIFE SCIENCES) (TOP STUDENT) -

KIRSTEN WEIR (90%)

STORM OOSTHUIZEN (90%)

DAVIS TROPHY - OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN LIFE

SCIENCES - MEGAN DAVIDSON

NATURAL SCIENCES TROPHY: LIFE SCIENCES AND PHYSICAL

SCIENCE - KIRSTEN WEIR (87%)

MATHEMATICS TROPHY - ALEX WRIGHT (91%)

PAT DEACON MATHEMATICAL LITERACY TROPHY -

CARLA CROOKS (83%)

JODIE GRAVES (83%)

GEOGRAPHY TROPHY - CALVIN VANDERWAGEN (93%)

HISTORY TROPHY - STORM OOSTHUIZEN (90%)

HUMANITIES TROPHY - SIMONE GAST (89%)

ZULU - ANDREW SIBIYA (80%)

FRENCH - CHANELLE TORRENT (86%)

LIFE ORIENTATION - KIRSTEN WEIR (92%)

AFRIKAANS TROPHY - SIMONE GAST (87%)

ENGLISH TROPHY - SIMONE GAST (85%)

OFFICIAL LANGUAGES TROPHY - SIMONE GAST (86%)

5. TOP TWENTY

19TH	74%	MEAGAN OLIVIER, CATHRYN MASTERSON, LERATO KHATLE, AMANDA KAPITO
17TH	75%	SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, GARETH BELL
15TH	76%	SUMMER BAILEY, MICHAEL DEVINE
13TH	77%	MEGAN DAVIDSON, SIMON LEWIS
11TH	78%	KELSEY SKINNER, SIYANDA MADLANGA
9TH	79%	THAPI MAKGABUTLANE, DAVID HATHERELL
6TH	81%	ALEX WRIGHT, TIMOTHY KLUE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI
5TH	83%	MARGEAX ADAMS
4TH	84%	STORM OOSTHUIZEN
3RD	85%	CALVIN VANDERWAGEN
2ND	87%	SIMONE GAST
1ST	88%	KIRSTEN WEIR

VALEDICTORY

6. SANDTON MAYORAL AWARD - ACADEMICS ACHIEVEMENT - GIRLS - KIRSTEN WEIR

7. SANDTON MAYORAL AWARD - ACADEMICS ACHIEVEMENT - BOYS CALVIN VANDERWAGEN

8. PARTICIPATION AWARD

25TH	58 PTS	MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH
23RD	60 PTS	DILLON NDLOVU, LERATO KHATLE
22ND	61 PTS	MITCHELL HAEFELE
20TH	62 PTS	KIRSTEN DENYER, AMANDA KAPITO
19TH	63 PTS	COLLEEN WINTER
17TH	64 PTS	LEE PECKOVER, LAUREN KILFOIL
16TH	65 PTS	VID GOBAC
14TH	66 PTS	MEAGAN OLIVIER, KIRSTEN LANDMAN
13TH	67 PTS	SIMPHIWE NHLAPO
11TH	70 PTS	THAPELO MOKOENA, ANDREW SIBIYA
10TH	75 PTS	ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI
9TH	77 PTS	THAPI MAKGABUTLANE
8TH	78 PTS	CHANELLE TORRENT
7TH	87 PTS	MMATHOTO MAONG
6TH	89 PTS	CATHRYN MASTERSON
5TH	92 PTS	LEE SPEECHLY
4TH	98 PTS	KIRSTEN WEIR
3RD	110 PTS	MEGAN DAVIDSON
2ND	129 PTS	GARETH BELL
1ST	183 PTS	KELSEY SKINNER

HOOPOE AWARD: KELSEY SKINNER

9. GLADIATOR TROPHY :

THIS IS A NEW TROPHY AWARDED TO THE SPORTS PERSON OR PERSONS WHO HAVE PERSEVERED THROUGH INJURIES AND SET-BACKS. THEY EPITOMIZE THE TRUE SPIRIT OF SPORTSMANSHIP AND ARE AN EXAMPLE TO ALL THOSE AROUND THEM. THIS YEAR THE TROPHY IS SHARED BETWEEN THREE NOTABLE SPORTS PEOPLE WHO, IN THEIR MATRIC YEAR, WERE UNABLE TO COMPETITIVELY PARTICIPATE ON THE FIELD, BUT NEVER CEASED TO BE A PRESENCE ON THE SIDELINE. THE RECIPIENTS ARE: **KIRSTEN LANDMAN, ALEX SFARNAS AND DEXTER SCHELIN.**

10. SPORTSWOMAN OF THE YEAR

THIS YOUNG LADY WAS IN THE SWIMMING A TEAM FOR WHICH SHE RECEIVED TEAM AND FULL COLOURS; SHE ALSO EXCELLED IN TENNIS, RECEIVING TEAM AND FULL COLOURS AND SHE WAS ALSO THE VICE CAPTAIN OF THE TEAM. IN HOCKEY SHE PLAYED FIRST TEAM AND RECEIVED TEAM AND FULL COLOURS. SHE RECEIVED PROVINCIAL COLOURS WHEN SHE QUALIFIED FOR THE SOUTHERN GAUTENG U18B SIDE. SHE ALSO RECEIVED FULL COLOURS FOR HOCKEY UMPIRING. IN ATHLETICS SHE RECEIVED TEAM COLOURS, FULL COLOURS AND ALSO QUALIFIED FOR PRESTIGE WHERE SHE AND HER TEAM WON GOLD FOR THE U18 GIRLS RELAY. CONGRATULATIONS...

KELSEY SKINNER

11. SPORTSMAN OF THE YEAR

THIS YOUNG MAN HAS EXCELLED IN ALL SPORTING AREAS HERE AT BRYANSTON HIGH. HE PLAYED FIRST TEAM CRICKET WHICH HE RECEIVED HALF COLOURS FOR AND HE WAS ALSO VICE CAPTAIN OF THE SIDE. HE WAS IN THE A SWIMMING TEAM FOR WHICH HE RECEIVED FULL COLOURS. HE WAS THE FIRST TEAM RUGBY CAPTAIN AND ACHIEVED FULL COLOURS FOR RUGBY AND HE ALSO MADE THE CRAVEN WEEK ACADEMY SIDE. CONGRATULATIONS....
DEAN MYBURGH.

12. NATIONAL REPRESENTATION

MEGAN DAVIDSON - CHEERLEADING
CHANELLE TORRENT - KARATE
LEE PECKOVER - CHEERLEADING
GORDON FULTON - JUDO
CRAIG WIID - KARATE

13. CULTURAL AWARD - BOY

THIS YOUNG MAN HAS PUT HIS NATURAL TALENT TO VERY GOOD USE DURING HIS TIME AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. HE HAS ACTED IN BOTH THE MAJOR PRODUCTION AND THE PLAYS FESTIVAL EVERY YEAR SINCE GRADE 8, WITH RESOUNDING SUCCESS AS HE HAS WON BOTH THE SUPPORTING ACTOR AND BEST ACTOR DURING THIS TIME. IN CONJUNCTION WITH HIS ACTING, HE HAS DEVELOPED INTO A HIGHLY ACCOMPLISHED SINGER, CULMINATING IN HIS GRAND FINALE WITH "ALL THE SINGLE LADIES" THIS YEAR. CONGRATULATIONS GO TO **MICHAL DEVINE.**

14. CULTURAL AWARD - GIRL

THIS YOUNG LADY HAS GIVEN SO MUCH TO THE CULTURAL SIDE OF SCHOOL DURING HER 5 YEARS AT BRYANSTON. SHE HAS A MAIN PART IN GUYS & DOLLS. SHE HAS ALWAYS FEATURED PROMINENTLY IN THE PLAYS FESTIVALS AND SHE HAS BEEN AN OUTSTANDING PUBLIC SPEAKER. SHE DID EXTREMELY WELL AS THE INDIVIDUAL SPEAKER IN THE GUILD TROPHY PUBLIC SPEAKING COMPETITION, AND SHE IS A FORCE TO BE RECKONED WITH IN A DEBATE. CONGRATULATIONS GO TO **LERATO KHATLE**

15. HUGHES RHETORIC TROPHY:

THIS TROPHY IS AWARDED TO A YOUNG LADY FOR HER OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO THE RHETORIC SOCIETY DURING HER YEARS AT BRYANSTON HIGH. SHE IS AN OUTSTANDING SPEAKER AND HER SKILLS IN ORATION WILL TAKE HER FAR IN LIFE. CONGRATULATIONS **LERATO KHATLE**

16. ROUND TABLE SERVICE - GIRL

THIS GIRL HAS WORKED SELFLESSLY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. **KIRSTEN WEIR**

17. LION'S INTERNATIONAL SERVICE : BOYS

THIS AWARD GOES TO A BOY WHO HAS SHOWN DEDICATION AND COMMITMENT TO BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL THROUGHOUT THE LAST FIVE YEARS. WELL DONE TO **GARETH BELL**

18. WILKE PRINSLOO TROPHY

FOR COURAGE AND DETERMINATION: THIS IS A SHARED AWARD THIS YEAR. THE FIRST IS A YOUNG MAN WHO HAS DEALT WITH THE CHALLENGE OF BEING HEARING-IMPAIRED FOR THE LAST FIVE YEARS IN A MOST ADMIRABLE FASHION. HE HAS NEVER USED IT AS AN EXCUSE, OR PLAYED THE VICTIM, AND A LARGE PORTION OF THE STAFF AND HIS PEERS ARE COMPLETELY UNAWARE OF THIS AND THE FACT THAT HE WEARS HEARING AIDS. THIS AWARD GOES TO **DANIEL VONK**

THE SECOND RECIPIENT OF THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG MAN WHO HAS SUFFERED A LIFE THREATENING ILLNESS DURING HIS TIME AT BRYANSTON HIGH. THROUGH NUMEROUS DIFFICULT TREATMENTS HE SHOWED IMMENSE COURAGE AND DETERMINATION. CONGRATULATIONS TO **ANDREW BLANE**

19. SILVER MEDALLION - GIRLS

THE THREE YOUNG LADIES WHO WERE ON THE EXECUTIVE ARE SO DESERVING OF THIS AWARD. **KELSEY SKINNER, MMATHOTO MANONG, LERATO KHATLE**

20. SILVER MEDALLION - BOYS

THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG GENTLEMAN WHO WAS ON THE EXECUTIVE: **ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA**

VALEDICTORY

21. WELSH CUP AND MEDALLION - DUX LEADERSHIP AWARD

THE HIGHEST AWARD FOR LEADERSHIP IS GIVEN TO THE TWO STUDENTS WHO HOLD THE POSITION OF STUDENT COUNCIL PRESIDENTS.

FOR DISPLAYING TREMENDOUS ORGANISATIONAL SKILLS, SHOWING DETERMINATION IN ACHIEVING HER GOALS AND BEING AN OUTSTANDING LEADER - WELL DONE TO **KIRSTEN WEIR**

FOR HIS CHARISMATIC AND ENTHUSIASTIC APPROACH, HIS LOYALTY TO BRYANSTON HIGH AND HIS LEADERSHIP ABILITY, WELL DONE TO..... **CHAD KNEZOVICH**

22. CUM LAUDE AWARDS -

THIS AWARD IS GIVEN TO PUPILS WHO HAVE ACHIEVED FULL ACADEMIC COLOURS EACH YEAR FROM GRADE 8 TO GRADE 12:

KIRSTEN WEIR, KELSEY SKINNER, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, SIMONE GAST, CALVIN VANDERWAGEN, MARGEAX ADAMS, TIMOTHY KLUE, ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, THAPI MAKGABUTLANE, GARETH BELL, AMANDA KAPITO, LERATO KHATLE, CATHRYN MASTERSON

23. ESPRIT DE CORPS TROPHY - GIRLS

THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG LADY AND A YOUNG MAN WHO HAVE BEEN VOTED BY THE GRADE 12 GROUP AS THE LEARNERS WHOM THEY MOST ADMIRE AND RESPECT AND WHO EMBODY THE SPIRIT AND THE ETHOS OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. CONGRATULATIONS TO **KIRSTEN WEIR AND CHAD KNEZOVICH**

24. SPECIAL AWARDS: COUNCILLORS' TROPHY

THE COUNCILLORS TAKE A VOTE ON WHO THEY CONSIDER WAS AN OUTSTANDING COUNCILLOR THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. THIS YEAR THE AWARD GOES TO A COUNCILLOR WHO LIVED BY THE PLEDGE HE SIGNED AT HIS INDUCTION. HE WAS A ROLE MODEL TO THE GRADE 8S AND WAS ALWAYS MOST CONSCIENTIOUS ABOUT DOING HIS DUTIES. CONGRATULATIONS TO **GARETH BELL**

EXECUTIVE COUNCILLORS' AWARD

THIS AWARD GOES TO A YOUNG GENTLEMAN WHO IS DEDICATED TO BOTH HIS SPORTS AND ACADEMICS AND HAS ATTAINED AN ADMIRABLE BALANCE BETWEEN THE TWO. HE WAS A LEADER BY EXAMPLE AND PROVED THIS THROUGH HIS COMMITMENT TO IMPROVING HIS TENNIS WITH HARD WORK AND PRACTICE. HIS GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP, HUMILITY AND FRIENDLY NATURE MADE HIM AN OUTSTANDING ROLE MODEL TO THE GRADE 8 SQUASH BOYS WHOM HE COACHED. IT WAS HERE THAT HIS LEADERSHIP AND SCHOOL SPIRIT REALLY SHONE THROUGH AND SO WE ARE PROUD TO AWARD THIS TROPHY TO **ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI**.

GRADE CONTROLLERS' AWARD - GIRL

THIS AWARD IS SHARED BETWEEN TWO YOUNG LADIES WHO HAVE GROWN IN LEAPS AND BOUNDS OVER THE LAST FIVE YEARS. IN GRADES 8 AND 9, THEY WERE BOTH "CHALLENGING" INDIVIDUALS TO TEACH AND REASON WITH AS THEY BOTH HAD A PASSIONATE, VOLATILE NATURE WHICH COULD OFTEN ERUPT AT THE MOST INOPPORTUNE TIMES. OVER THE NEXT FEW YEARS, BOTH THESE YOUNG LADIES LEARNT TO CHANNEL THIS ENERGY IN A FAR MORE PRODUCTIVE AND POSITIVE WAY. BY GRADE 11, THE FIRST YOUNG LADY WAS A CONSCIENTIOUS WORKER WITH A DETERMINATION TO DO WELL ACADEMICALLY. HER HARD WORK PAID OFF AND IN GRADE 11 AND, ESPECIALLY IN GRADE 12, SHE ALWAYS HAD AT LEAST A 60% AVERAGE WITH A FEW 70'S AND 89'S FOR INDIVIDUAL SUBJECTS AS WELL. SHE HAD ALSO OBTAINED PROVINCIAL COLOURS

FOR HER CHOSEN SPORT, CHEERLEADING.

THE SECOND YOUNG LADY TURNED INTO ONE OF THE HARDEST WORKING GRADE 12'S PUTTING HER ALL INTO HER ACADEMICS AND NETBALL, OF WHICH SHE LANDED UP BECOMING THE 1ST TEAM VICE CAPTAIN. HER DETERMINATION HAS ENSURED THAT HER ACADEMICS HAVE IMPROVED STEADILY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR. IT IS WITH GREAT PLEASURE THAT WE AWARD THIS TROPHY TO **JODIE GRAVES AND KARABO MLAMBO**.

GRADE CONTROLLERS' AWARD - BOYS

THE FOLLOWING BOY EMBODIES WHAT A TRUE BRYANSTONIAN SHOULD BE. HE IS ALWAYS WILLING TO HELP AND ONE WILL ALWAYS FIND HIM TO BE VERY WELL MANNERED. ONE DISTINCT CHARACTERISTIC OF HIM IS THAT HE IS ALWAYS IN UPBEAT MOOD AND ALWAYS HAS A SMILE ON HIS FACE. HE HAS ALSO SHOWN HIMSELF TO BE A NATURAL BORN LEADER AND HE IS VERY POPULAR AMONGST ALL HIS TEACHERS AND PEERS. BEING ON THE COUNCILLOR BODY ALSO HAS BROUGHT FORTH HIS TRUE ABILITY AND SHOWED EXACTLY WHAT HE IS MADE OF. I LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING WHAT HEIGHTS THIS YOUNG MAN WILL REACH IN FUTURE.

CONGRATULATIONS **ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA**

23. PRINCIPAL'S AWARD

THIS AWARD IS FOR A VERY SPECIAL YOUNG LADY WHO HAS EXCELLED IN SO MANY AREAS OF THE SCHOOL AND WHO I HAVE ADMIRER FOR BEING COMMITTED TO SO MANY DIFFERENT SPORTS. SHE HAS EXCELLED AS A LEADER AND I HAVE ALWAYS RESPECTED HER QUIET, HUMBLE AND DIGNIFIED MANNER. CONGRATULATIONS **CATHRYN MASTERSON**.

THIS YOUNG MAN HAS BEEN COMMITTED TO BOTH CRICKET AND HOCKEY AND HAS SHOWN A COMPETITIVE SPIRIT AND DRIVE TO PLAY THE BEST GAME POSSIBLE. HE HAS ALMOST A COMBATANT ATTITUDE TO COMPETITION THAT INSPIRES HIS TEAM MATES TO PLAY ABOVE THEMSELVES. DRESSED UP AS A HOCKEY GOAL KEEPER, PREPARED TO DEFEND HIS GOAL AT ALL COSTS, BEST SYMBOLISES HIS DETERMINATION AND COMMITMENT TO WIN. WELL DONE **TYRONE HAMMOND**

24. HONOURS AWARDS

WHITE BLAZERS:

WE WOULD LIKE TO CALL UP ALL OUR WHITE BLAZER RECIPIENTS:

GARETH BELL, AMANDA KAPITO, STORM OOSTHUIZEN, MARGEAX ADAMS, MEGAN DAVIDSON, SIMONE GAST (RE-AWARD), CALVIN VANDERWAGEN (RE-AWARD), CATHRYN MASTERSON (RE-AWARD), KELSEY SKINNER (3RD RE-AWARD) KIRSTEN WEIR (4TH RE-AWARD)

NEW WHITE BLAZER AWARD:

I AM PROUD TO AWARD A FINAL WHITE BLAZER FOR THE YEAR TO A YOUNG LADY WHO HAS ACHIEVED NATIONAL REPRESENTATION IN KARATE, WHICH HAS QUALIFIED HER TOGETHER WITH HER FULL COLOURS IN HOCKEY, TENNIS AND ATHLETICS TO AN HONOURS BLAZER. SHE IS A HUMBLE YOUNG GIRL WITH A STRONG WORK ETHIC AND A DETERMINED ATTITUDE. CONGRATULATIONS.

CHANELLE TORRENT

GR 11 LEADERSHIP CAMP

GRADE 11 GIRLS CAMP

WHAT AN OUTSTANDING FOUR DAYS WE, AS STAFF, SPENT WITH AN AMAZING GROUP OF 98 GIRLS. I MUST SAY THAT AS GRADE CONTROLLER I WAS SO PROUD TO WATCH THESE BRAVE YOUNG LADIES TACKLE EACH ACTIVITY WITH GREAT GUSTO AND EXCEPTIONAL COURAGE. NOT ONE YOUNG LADY LET HER GROUP DOWN AND EACH GIRL ALWAYS GAVE OF HER VERY BEST.

THE HIGHLIGHT PERHAPS WAS REALIZING THAT EACH GIRL HAD GROWN AND ACCOMPLISHED SOMETHING AND WAS TAKING HOME SPECIAL MEMORIES AND NEW FRIENDSHIPS SHE HAD FORMED ON THIS CAMP.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL STAFF WHO ACCOMPANIED US ESPECIALLY MRS FULCHER, MRS HUGHES, MRS DEACON, MRS TOLSTRUP AND MS WINSON FOR GIVING UP SO MUCH OF THEIR FREE TIME TO MENTOR THE GRADE 11 GIRLS.

A SPECIAL THANK-YOU MUST GO TO MRS WEIR FOR HER "PROJECT RUNWAY" (AN OVERWHELMING SUCCESS) AND MR ROBINSON FOR HIS INTERESTING DISCUSSION ON LEADERSHIP AND BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. THANK-YOU TO KELSEY SKINNER AND KIRSTEN WEIR FOR THEIR INFORMATIVE TALK ON COUNCILLORSHIP AND THEIR MATRIC YEAR IN COLLABORATION WITH MRS MCLEOD AND MRS LABUSCHAGNE.

THANK-YOU TO ALL PARENTS WHO SUPPORTED THIS CAMP AND ENCOURAGED THEIR CHILDREN TO MOVE OUT OF THEIR COMFORT ZONES. THIS ALLOWED US, THE STAFF, TO LEARN MORE ABOUT YOUR CHILDREN AND HOW SPECIAL THEY ARE IN A DIFFERENT SETTING.

MRS T. COOK
TEACHER IN CHARGE



GR 11 LEADERSHIP CAMP

GRADE 11 BOYS CAMP

ON THE 13TH OF AUGUST 2009 WE LEFT AS A GROUP OF GRADE 11 BOYS NOT KNOWING WHAT TO EXPECT. THE FOUR DAYS THAT WE SPENT AT SEDIBA KWELE WERE UNFORGETTABLE.

THE BONDS FORGED AND FRIENDSHIPS MADE WILL REMAIN WITH US FOR A VERY LONG TIME AND WILL NOT BE EASILY FORGOTTEN. WE GOT TO KNOW A DIFFERENT SIDE OF THE TEACHERS AND CREATED MEMORIES WITH THEM THAT I HOPE WILL LAST A LIFE TIME.

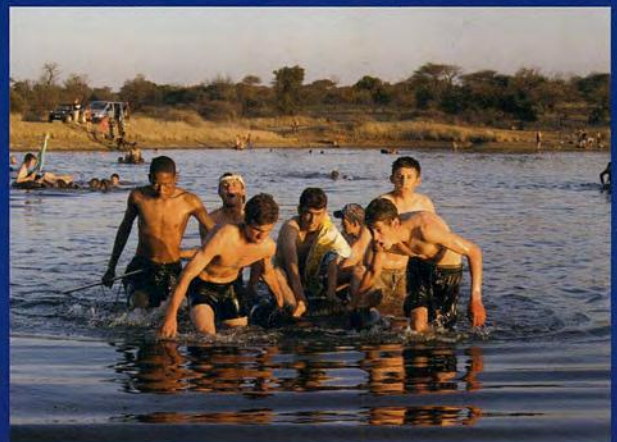
WE LEARNED A GREAT DEAL ABOUT OURSELVES AND OTHERS AND GOT TAUGHT ABOUT LIFE SKILLS, VALUES AND MORALS. IT WAS FANTASTIC TO SPEND FOUR DAYS IN THE GREAT

OUTDOORS IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE WITH THE TEACHERS AND FRIENDS.

WE CAME BACK AS A GROUP OF YOUNG GENTLEMAN UNITED BY INSPIRATION AND PRIDE.

THANKS GO TO EACH AND EVERY MALE STAFF MEMBER THAT HELPED TO MAKE THIS CAMP A BIG SUCCESS. THANK YOU TO MR VAN DER MERWE, FOR ALL YOUR DEDICATED SUPPORT AND WILLINGNESS TO TEACH US AND SHOW US WHAT REAL MEN ARE ALL ABOUT.

CHRIS TREGURTHA
GRADE 11D



SWIMMING



SWIMMING

A TEAM

MR MOLLEMA AND MRS TOERIEN WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE THE SWIMMERS ON AN EXTREMELY SUCCESSFUL SWIMMING SEASON. WE WISH THE A TEAM SWIMMERS OF 2010 JOYFUL AND TRIUMPHANT SEASON!

THE A-TEAM CONSISTED OF THE FOLLOWING LEARNERS:

CAPTAINS: KIRSTEN LANDMAN AND GARETH BELL

VICE CAPTAINS: CATHRYN MASTERSON AND CHAD KNEZOVICH

SENIORS: KELSEY SKINNER, CATHRYN MASTERSON, LEE PECKOVER, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, ANGELA WILSON, NINA WILSON, JENNA ATTWELL, ALYSSA GARRARD, SIOBHAN VIJJOEN, KELLY-JO UREN, AMY OVENSTON, IVA GOBAC, JESSIE-JO SUTCLIFFE, GARETH BELL, CHAD KNEZOVICH, DEAN MYBURGH, THAPELO MOKOENA, ROBERT LEE, DESMOND ZHANG, SEAN KIRKWOOD, DEVEREAUX BENDER, GAVIN WOOD, PAUL DUNCAN, NICHOLAS AFFAT, RICK LIPNER, JOSHUA BRENNAN, DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA, CAMERON SPEECHLY, VICTOR PIKE AND CHAD HAEFELE.

JUNIORS: JESSICA CALLEBAUT, EMMA PEACOCK, MICHAELA DU TOIT, KERRYN DAVIDSON, BIANCA CHABANT, SYDNEE ALEXANDER, BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN, MEGAN OOSTHUYSE, LEANDRA METHVEN, MEGAN O'CONNELL, LAURA WHITE, CAYLEY JORGENSEN, CASEY VAN DER POLL, BAINCA SAVIO, STEVEN DONZELLA, ALAN TOUT, JASON LANCE, LUKE WARE, LLWELLYN VAN DER WALT, KIERAN SHORT, MICHAEL WOOD, BRANDON GREEFF, WESLEY ESLICK AND CONNOR WATSON.



WELL DONE TO THE FOLLOWING SWIMMERS FOR THEIR ACHIEVEMENTS:

CERTIFICATES:

COMMITMENT AND DEDICATION: KIRSTEN LANDMAN AND GARETH BELL

SPIRIT: JOSHUA BRENNAN AND RICK LIPNER

BEST JUNIOR: **GIRL:** MEGAN O'CONNELL

BOY: STEVEN DONZELLA

BEST SENIOR: **GIRL:** KELSEY SKINNER

BOY: GARETH BELL

BEST RELAY TEAM

U/16: AMY OVENSTONE, IVA GOBAC, JESSIE – JO SUTCLIFFE, EMMA PEACOCK, CHAD HAEFELE, VICTOR PIKE, DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA, CAMERON SPEECHLY

U/19: LEE PECKOVER, KIRSTEN LANDMAN, ANGELA WILSON, CATHRYN MASTERSON, KELSEY SKINNER, ROBERT LEE, GARETH BELL, DEAN MYBURGH, CHAD KNEZOVICH

MOST PROMISING JUNIORS: **GIRL:** LAURA WHITE
BOY: LUKE WARE AND WESLEY ESLICK

MOST PROMISING SENIORS: **GIRL:** KIRSTEN LANDMAN
BOY: CHAD KNEZOVICH

MOST IMPROVED: **GIRL:** BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN
BOY: VICTOR PIKE

COACHES' AWARD: **GIRL:** JESSIE-JO SUTCLIFFE
BOY: CAMERON SPEECHLY AND GAVIN WOOD

SERVICE ABOVE SELF: MICHAEL WOOD, MICHAELA DU TOIT, ANGELA WILSON, EMMA PEACOCK, KIRSTEN LANDMAN

HALF COLOURS: ALYSSA GARRARD, LEE PECKOVER, JESSIE-JO SUTCLIFFE, NINA WILSON, JOSHUA BRENNAN, CHAD HAEFELE, SEAN KIRKWOOD, CHAD KNEZOVICH, ROBERT LEE, CAMERON SPEECHLY, DESMOND ZHANG.

JUNIOR FULL COLOURS: STEVEN DONZELLA

SWIMMING

FULL COLOURS: KIRSTEN LANDMAN, CATHRYN MASTERSON, KELSEY SKINNER, GARETH BELL, DEVEREAUX BENDER, DANIEL DA SILVA FERREIRA, RICK LIPNER AND DEAN MYBURGH

SPECIAL MENTION MUST GO TO MICHAEL WOOD AND KIRSTEN LANDMAN.

A BIG THANK-YOU GOES OUT TO THE FOLLOWING COACHES FOR THEIR INVOLVEMENT, TIME AND EFFORT: MR G. MOLLEMA; MRS L. TOLSTRUP; MRS A. HUGHES; MISS M. STANDLE; MR A. OOSTHUYSE; MISS K. WINSON; MISS K. MAARTINS; MRS P. DEACON; MRS E. VAN DER MERWE; MRS N. MCLEOD; MISS T. HEIN; MISS J. PIENAAR, MR J. TOERIEN.

MRS J. TOERIEN
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE

B TEAM

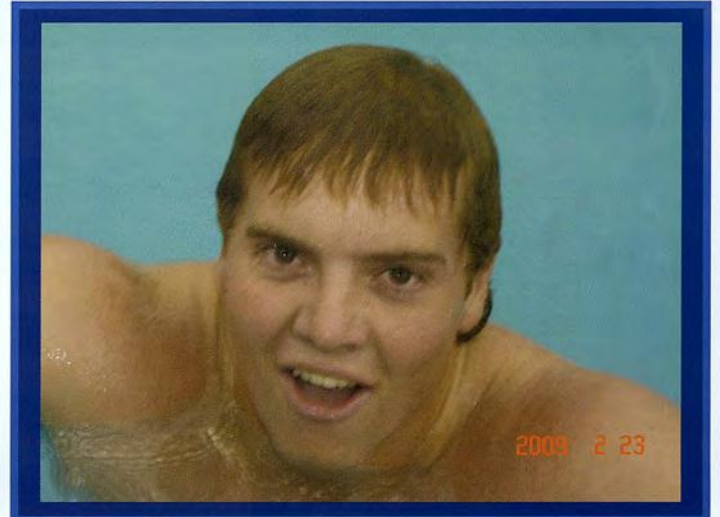
UNFORTUNATELY THE BAD WEATHER PUT A SERIOUS DAMPER ON THE SWIMMING BUT THE SWIMMERS MAINTAINED THEIR HIGH LEVEL OF SPIRIT AND MADE EACH GALA AN ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE. THE MATRICS WERE WELL REPRESENTED AND ADDED GREAT VALUE TO THE SWIMMING. OUR GRADE 8S LOOK AS IF THEY HAVE MUCH POTENTIAL AND CERTAINLY ENTERED INTO THE FULL SPIRIT OF THE TEAM.

CONGRATULATIONS TO BYRON SMITH, DONOVAN WRESSEL AND THE U15 RELAY TEAM WHO WENT THROUGH TO PRESTIGE.

THANK YOU TO OUR CAPTAINS: MEGAN DAVIDSON, LAUREN KILFOIL, DEXTER SCHELIN AND LANCE LUMSDEN FOR A JOB WELL DONE.

STAFF INVOLVED: MR FARNELL, MRS VAN TONDER, MRS MULLER AND MRS SCOTT.

COACHES: MS WINSON AND MRS HUGHES.



BOYS TENNIS

2009 WAS A GREAT YEAR IN BRYANSTON HIGH BOYS TENNIS. THE FIRST TEAM STARTED OFF A BIT ROCKY IN THE FIRST TERM, BUT CAME BACK STRONG TOWARDS THE END OF THE YEAR MANAGING TO BEAT MOST OF OUR RIVALS. THE SECOND TEAM AS USUAL WERE VERY STEADY AND HAD A GOOD SEASON WITH MANY SMILES AND MUCH LAUGHTER.

THIS YEAR THERE HAS BEEN A MASSIVE IMPROVEMENT IN TEAM SPIRIT AND SPORTSMANSHIP AMONGST THE TEAMS, WE HAVE ALSO STARTED TO DO MORNING

TRAINING TO IMPROVE OUR FITNESS AND OUR TEAM SPIRIT.

THANK YOU TO MR GILLESPIE FOR HIS ORGANIZATION SKILLS OF ALL THE MATCHES AND FOR BEING THERE EVERY THURSDAY AND FRIDAY AFTERNOON TO SUPPORT US.

MR M. GILLESPIE
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE

AWARDS

FULL COLOURS:

SEAN VAN DE VUYVER

HALF COLOURS:

ALEX TILEY, ABBAS PYRALI,
ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI

CERTIFICATE OF MERIT:

KUANYUEH KUAN

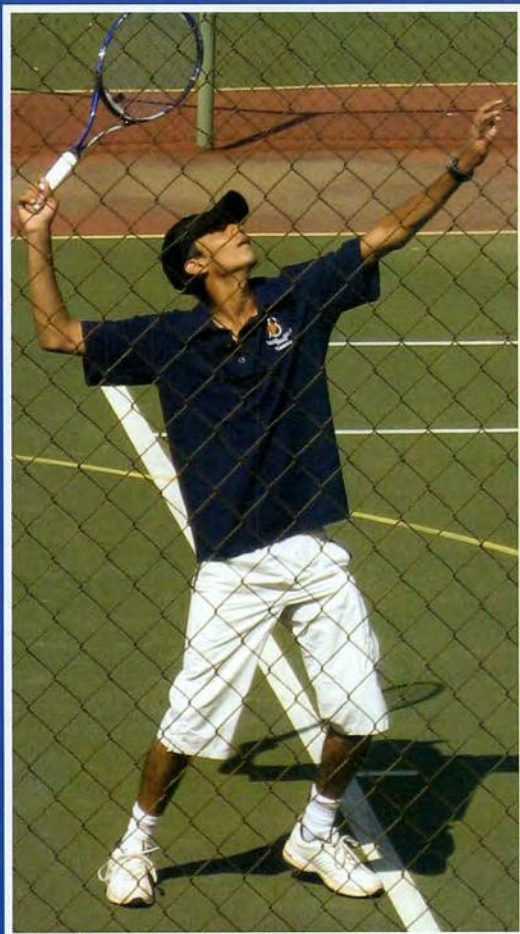
TEAM MEMBERS

FIRST TEAM:

ALEX TILEY (CAPTAIN)
SEAN VAN DE VYVER (VICE CAPTAIN)
ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI,
VID GOBAC, MITCHELL HAEFELE,
YUEH KUAN, ABBAS PYRALI,
PAUL DUNCAN, ALEXANDER PRICE,
CHRIS VAN DE VYVER,
MICHAEL WRATHALL, SAMUEL TILEY

SECOND TEAM:

ALEX TILEY (CAPTAIN)
JASON VAN WYK, RAOUL MWENDANGA,
CRAIG THRUPP, RICHARD HALLENDORFF,
MICHAEL LOUW, CLIVE WALTERS,
MARCO VISSER, BYRON SMITH,
STEPHAN GONELLI, STEFAN DE BEER,
PHILLIP CHETTY, MICHAEL RYAN,
LUKE WARE, LUTHER LUKA,
CLYDE HALEFOSE, PEACE MORARE,
EUNHO HONG, KHANYA SOMDYALA,
JOSH REDDY, JEREMY THRUPP,
TATENDA MAWONEKE,
JAMES HENMAN, TIMOTHY DENTON,
THABANE NGWANE, TINASHE DENDERE,
GOSIANE CHOUNYANE,
SHAQUILLE DE JAGER, JUNIOR BALOYI



GIRLS TENNIS

2009 HAS PROVED TO BE A BUMPER YEAR FOR GIRLS TENNIS AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. WITH OVER 80 YOUNG LADIES PARTICIPATING IN OPEN AND JUNIOR LEAGUES, A RECORD SIX TEAMS PARTICIPATING IN THE FIRST TEAM LEAGUES AND FOUR IN THE JUNIOR LEAGUES. OUR CHAMPIONSHIP HAD 40 ENTRANTS, WAS PLAYED OVER TWO AFTERNOONS AND OUR FINALS WERE HOSTED ON THE MORNING OF OUR ANNUAL TENNIS BREAKFAST. CONGRATULATIONS GO TO OUR FOUR SEMI FINALISTS: CASEY COWELL, KIRSTEN WEIR, CHANELLE TORRENT AND CAYLEY JORGENSEN. OUR WINNER WAS CASEY COWELL IN A VERY CLOSE AND EXCITING COMPETITION. AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR, A ROUND ROBIN COMPETITION WAS HELD WITH OUR NEW JUNIOR PLAYERS AND CONGRATULATIONS GO TO CAYLEY JORGENSEN FOR WINNING THE JUNIOR ROUND ROBIN TROPHY. OUR CAPTAIN, KIRSTEN WEIR, VICE CAPTAIN, KELSEY SKINNER AND MATCH SECRETARY, CHANELLE TORRENT EXCELLED THEMSELVES IN ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS WITH VERY BUSY TUESDAY MORNINGS WHEN MANY TEAM MEMBERS HAD TO BE ROUNDED UP AND LISTS CHECKED. BRYANSTON ACHIEVED GOOD LEAGUE RESULTS, FINISHING THIRD IN THE A3 LEAGUE, SECOND IN THE B4 LEAGUE AND FIFTH IN THE B1 LEAGUE RESPECTIVELY. OUR TOP 8 PLAYERS PLAYED IN THE OPEN INTER-HIGH AND INTER-ZONAL COMPETITIONS. BOTH SECTIONS WERE HOSTED AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL AND EXCELLENT TENNIS WAS PLAYED ON EACH DAY.



FULL COLOURS WERE AWARDED TO CASEY COWELL, KELSEY SKINNER, KIRSTEN WEIR AND CHANELLE TORRENT, JUNIOR FULL COLOURS WERE AWARDED TO CAYLEY JORGENSEN AND HALF COLOURS WERE AWARDED TO ASHLEY VAN DE VYVER. IT WAS A HUGE HONOUR TO BE ABLE TO AWARD 25 CAPS TO KELSEY SKINNER AND KIRSTEN WEIR, BOTH HAVING PLAYED 5 YEARS OF TENNIS IN THE FIRST TENNIS TEAM.

EIGHT OF OUR TOP PLAYERS COMPLETED A TENNIS COACHING COURSE HELD BY GAYNOR HARRIS FROM TENNIS INC., THIS WAS AN OUTSTANDING COURSE WITH BOTH THEORY AND PRACTICAL AND EACH OF OUR PLAYERS ARE NOW CERTIFIED JUNIOR COACHES AND WERE AWARDED A BASIC 1 TENNIS COACHING CERTIFICATE. CONGRATULATIONS TO KIRSTEN WEIR, CHANELLE TORRENT, KELLY-JO UREN, ASHLEY VAN DE VYVER, CASEY COWELL, CAYLEY JORGENSEN, GENNA-LEE UREN AND DA EUN KIM ON BEING AWARDED THESE CERTIFICATES.

A GROUP OF 16 OF OUR YOUNG PLAYERS WERE INVITED TO ATTEND THE OPEN CEREMONY AND FIRST MATCHES OF THE DAVIS CUP AT ELLIS PARK, WHERE SOUTH AFRICA PLAYED INDIA. WE WERE VERY PROUD THAT THE BLUE FLAME BURNED ON CENTRE COURT AND REPRESENTED US AS A SCHOOL.

WITH AN ENORMOUS NUMBER OF PLAYERS, MRS WEIR, MRS MAXWELL, MS NJOSA AND MRS ANDERSON HAVE HAD A VERY BUSY YEAR AND WITHOUT THE STAFF AND MANY PARENTS TOGETHER WITH TENNIS INC., GAYNOR HARRIS, ADRIAN AND OUR NEW YOUNG COACH, SAM WHITE, TENNIS AT BRYANSTON WOULD NOT BE POSSIBLE. THE HUGE NUMBERS OF SOCIAL TENNIS PLAYERS ARE PROVING TO BE A VERY VALUABLE SOURCE OF DEPTH IN OUR TENNIS AND WE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGE MANY MORE PLAYERS TO JOIN US IN THE NEW YEAR.

MRS B. WEIR
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



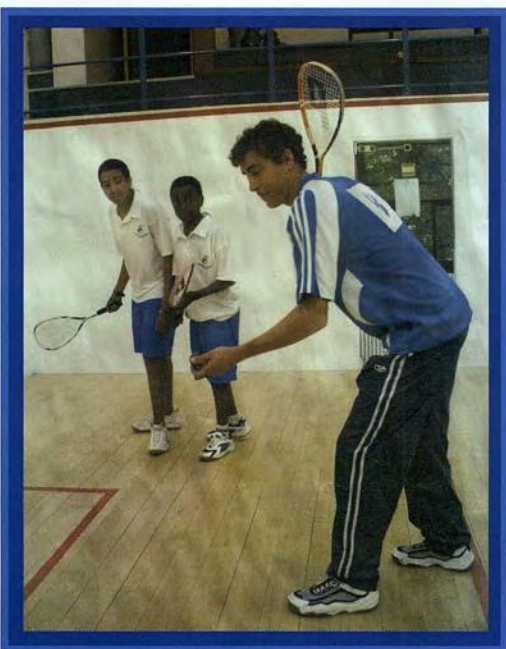
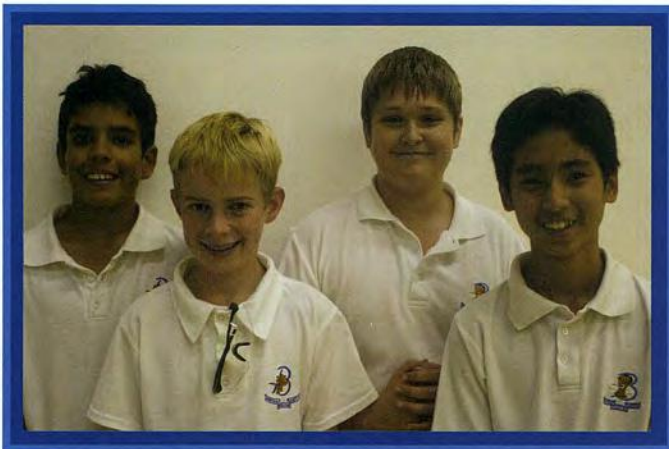
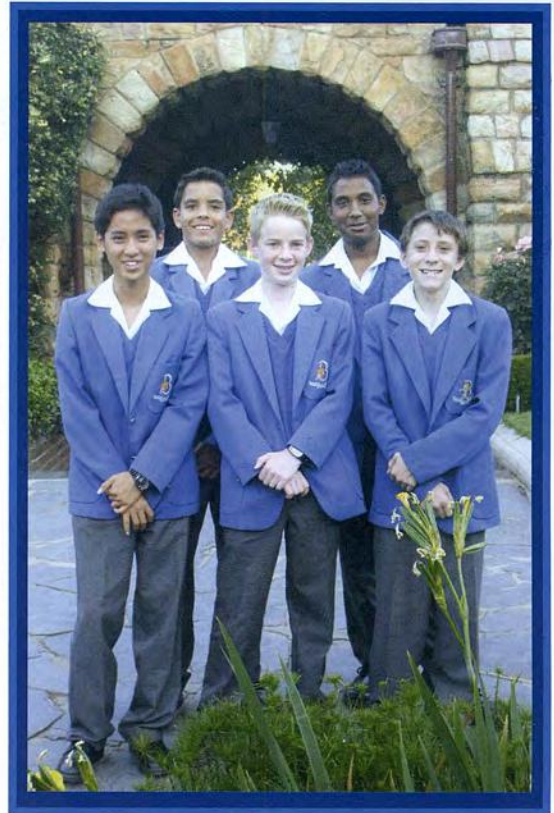
BOYS SQUASH

2009 HAS SEEN A FULL CALENDAR OF SQUASH FOR MANY BOYS AT THE SCHOOL. THE FIRST TERM WAS USED FOR A COACHING CLINIC, WHERE MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH AND ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI TOOK ON THE CHALLENGE OF COACHING TEN GRADE 8 BEGINNER SQUASH PLAYERS.

IN THE SECOND TERM ALL AGE GROUPS PARTICIPATED IN THE VARIOUS LEAGUES. OUR FIRST TEAM CONSISTED OF MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH (CAPTAIN), ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI (VICE-CAPTAIN), KEVIN PEACOCK AND MICHAEL LOUW. WE WERE ALSO REPRESENTED BY A SECOND OPEN TEAM – THREE UNDER-16 TEAMS, AND THREE UNDER-14 TEAMS. WE WERE VERY PROUD OF OUR UNDER-14A AND B TEAMS, BOTH WHO WON THEIR LEAGUES AND MADE US VERY PROUD.

MR FARNELL RAN OPEN SQUASH, MR BARKER, THE UNDER-16 SQUASH AND MRS WEIR THE UNDER-14 SQUADS. JEFF DAVIDSON, ONCE AGAIN GAVE UP HIS TIME TO COACH THE TOP PLAYERS IN EACH SQUAD AT 6AM ON TUESDAY MORNINGS. WE THANK HIM FOR HIS TIME AND WONDERFUL EXPERIENCE.

MRS B. WEIR
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



GIRLS SQUASH

TEACHER IN CHARGE & U19 COACH:

MISS M. VAN ROOYEN

U16 COACH:

MISS K. MARTIN

COACH:

DAVID PRANGLEY

THE GIRLS SQUASH SEASON IN THE FIRST TERM WAS CERTAINLY CHALLENGING, BUT OUR DYNAMIC GROUP OF GIRLS ROSE TO THE CHALLENGE AND PLAYED TO THE BEST OF THEIR ABILITY! THE U19Bs HAD SOME SUPERB MATCHES, ESPECIALLY AGAINST ST. STITHIANS AND ST. TERESA'S. THE U19Cs PUT UP A TOUGH FIGHT AGAINST ST. MARY'S, OUR TOUGHEST COMPETITION.

AWARDS: U19B

CONGRATULATIONS TO CATHRYN MASTERSON (CAPTAIN), STACEY BONSER, LAUREN KILFOIL AND COLLEEN WINTER WHO ALL ACHIEVED TEAM COLOURS FOR THE SEASON. WELL DONE TO CHELCIE REYNOLDS AND DOMINIQUE DE VILLIERS FOR THEIR IMPROVEMENT IN SQUASH.

AWARDS: U19C

WELL DONE TO CARRIE STEENKAMP AND HA-RIN CHOI WHO RECEIVED MOST IMPROVED PLAYER AWARDS; GRACE HONG (CAPTAIN) RECEIVED A DEDICATION AND ENTHUSIASM FOR SQUASH AWARD; JESSIE SUTCLIFFE RECEIVED A MOST IMPROVED PLAYER AWARD AND JESSICA HAY AND SARAH FORD RECEIVED AN ENTHUSIASM FOR SQUASH AWARD.

DAVID PRANGLEY, A PAST 'BRYANSTONIAN' HAS INITIATED A TRAINING PROGRAMME FOR THE GIRLS TO IMPROVE THEIR FITNESS AND SKILLS. IT HAS BEEN RUNNING SINCE THE SECOND TERM IN PREPARATION FOR TERM 1 IN 2010. HE IS 100% COMMITTED TO THE FUTURE OF GIRLS SQUASH AT BRYANSTON AND BELIEVES IN OUR GIRLS' TALENT! THANK YOU DAVID, YOU ARE STAR!

MAY 2010 BE AS FULFILLING AND EXCITING AS 2009! THANK YOU GIRLS FOR ALL YOUR HARD WORK.

MISS M. VAN ROOYEN
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



CRICKET

THE CRICKET SEASON THIS YEAR WAS UNFORTUNATELY BADLY AFFECTED BY RAIN WITH A LOT OF THE MATCHES RAINED OUT. HOWEVER THERE WERE SOME FANTASTIC PERFORMANCES BY INDIVIDUALS THIS SEASON.

THE FIRST TEAM HAD A GOOD SEASON WINNING MANY MATCHES. CAPTAIN TYRONE HAMMOND SCORED A MAGNIFICENT CENTURY AGAINST HYDE PARK. THIS MATCH WAS ALSO SIGNIFICANT IN THAT IT WAS THE FIRST TEAM'S HIGHEST TOTAL IN THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY FOR A 50 OVER MATCH – 314 RUNS. ANDREW STAFFORD ALSO RECORDED ANOTHER FIRST TEAM HUNDRED AT THE BEGINNING OF THE SEASON AGAINST QUEENS.



THE JUNIOR TEAMS PERFORMED WELL OVERALL, WINNING MORE MATCHES THAN THEY LOST. CLIVE WALTERS SCORED A CENTURY AGAINST QUEENS FOR THE U15A TEAM.

THIS YEAR SAW THE RE-INTRODUCTION OF INTER-HOUSE CRICKET. A 20-OVER FORMAT KNOCKOUT TOURNAMENT WAS HELD IN SEPTEMBER AS A PRE-SEASON WARM UP AND IT WAS A GREAT SUCCESS.

IN ADDITION TO THIS, BRYANSTON HOSTED THE INAUGURAL CO-ED HIGH SCHOOLS QUADRANGULAR TOURNAMENT. THIS WAS INITIATED BY BRYANSTON IN ORDER TO ATTEMPT TO FORGE GOOD RELATIONS WITH LOCAL RIVALS – NORTHCLIFF, RAND PARK AND FOURWAYS. THE TOURNAMENT WAS WON BY RAND PARK WHO BEAT NORTHCLIFF IN THE FINAL. BRYANSTON BEAT FOURWAYS IN THE 3RD AND 4TH PLAYOFF. WE LOOK FORWARD TO THIS BECOMING AN ANNUAL EVENT.

A CRIGHTON MIC CRICKET



NETBALL

CONGRATULATIONS, GIRLS, FOR ANOTHER HAPPY AND SUCCESSFUL SEASON! THIS YEAR THE LEAGUE WAS TOUGH AS WE WERE ENTERED INTO THE SUPER (REGIONAL) LEAGUE, INSTEAD OF THE DISTRICT LEAGUE. THIS MEANT WE PLAYED AGAINST THE LIKES OF RANDBURG, ROODEPOORT, HYDEPARK, FLORIDA, LINDEN, RANDPARK AND NORTHCLIFF. EVEN THOUGH SOME TEAMS LOST MANY MATCHES OUR NETBALL GAMES DEVELOPED AND IMPROVED DURING THE COURSE OF THE SEASON!

THANKS COACHES...

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE SIX HARD WORKING AND ENTHUSIASTIC COACHES: MRS J. MARTINS (U14), MRS E. VAN DER MERWE, MRS C. VAN TONDER (U14C & U15C), MRS N. KARCMARCYK (U17), MISS J. PIENAAR (2ND) AND MRS. J. TOERIEN (1ST). COACHING IS A TIME CONSUMING COMMITMENT TO MAKE. THANK YOU FOR THE GOOD LAUGHS WE SHARED AND YOUR TREMENDOUS DEDICATION – WITHOUT YOU ALL, BRYANSTON NETBALL WOULD NOT BE THE SAME. WE ARE NOT ONLY COLLEAGUES, BUT FRIENDS BECAUSE OF OUR NETBALL PASSION!

THANKS OPEN PLAYERS...

THE OPEN GIRLS WERE AN ABSOLUTE PLEASURE TO SEE IN ACTION. THEIR INCREDIBLE SKILL, NATURAL TALENT, LEADERSHIP AND DETERMINATION WERE SEEN THROUGHOUT THE SEASON AND FOR THIS THE FOLLOWING GIRLS NEED TO BE COMMENDED:

1ST TEAM:

GS – CANDICE JACOBS
GA – CATHRYN MASTERSON (CAPTAIN) & BOIPELO RAMOSHU
WA – GRACE KATENDE
C – KARABO MLAMBO (VICE CAPTAIN) & KELLY-JO UREN
WD – AKHONA PONI & ALYSSA GARRARD
GD – AMANDA KAPITO & YOLANDA DOMBO
GK – MICHELLE SIBANDA

2ND TEAM:

NOLLY SIBANDA, NADINE ZULU, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, PETUNIA MTHOMBENI, ROSIE NKOANE, LINDI PHATLANDIRA, SHARON DUBE & TSHEPISO MOKOENA

THE 1ST TEAM HAD A CHALLENGING TIME IN THE NEW LEAGUE. OF THE 15 MATCHES PLAYED IN THE SEASON, THEY WON SEVEN. GOALS FOR BHS: 331 AND GOALS AGAINST BHS: 325.

A SAD FAREWELL TO OUR MATRICULANTS: CATHRYN MASTERSON, KARABO MLAMBO, CANDICE JACOBS, BOIPELO RAMOSHU, GRACE KATENDE, AKHONA PONI, AMANDA KAPITO, YOLANDA DOMBO, NOLLY SIBANDA, NADINE ZULU, SIMPHIWE NHLAPO, PETUNIA MTHOMBENI, ROSIE NKOANE, LINDI PHATLANDIRA, SHARON DUBE AND TSHEPISO MOKOENA WHO PLAYED AN INTRICATE PART IN THE LEADERSHIP OF THE 2009 SEASON. YOU WILL BE SORELY MISSED, BUT YOU'VE LEFT YOUR MARK ON AN UNFORGETTABLE SEASON!

"A" TEAMS OF 2009

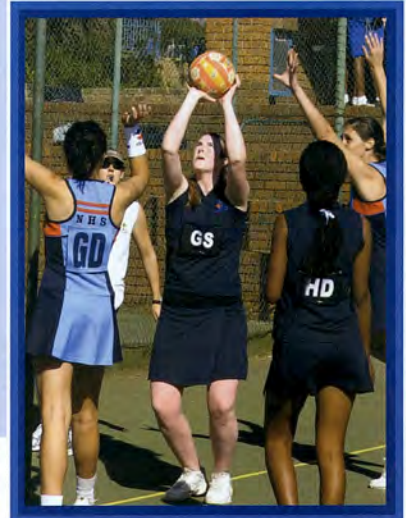
U14A: KIMBERLEY KATENDE, XIHLOVO MABUNDA, MICHELLE KEKAE, ROBYN PHILLIPS, JESSICA NDZWANA, NANA LUZIPO-ADU & SARA MUTAMBA
U15A: ASHLEIGH BARRY, HAYLEY DAVIES, BIANCA CHABANT, MPHONGO MAKGATO, ELSA RASEROKA, MEGAN OOSTHUYSE, JESSICA CALLEBAUT, LYDIE BASAULA & TSEGOFATSO MATLALA
U16A: NATASHA REYNOLDS, CAITLIN POWER, KAMOGELO KHATLE, BONI RAPABI, STELLA SFARNAS, QUESTIA MBOMBO-ZEBO, ZANELE MADONDO, MIKHAILA SWARTZ, KOKETSO SEKHOTO & NONTOKOZO ZONDO
U17A: AMANDA WALTERS, PAMELA LEGODI, JENNA FULCHER, ALEX BLACKMAN, BONE SEFAKO, PONATSHOGO MOLEKO, NIKITA SEKOPO, KELSEY GLASS & NICHOL SIBANDA

THE FUTURE OF BRYANSTON NETBALL LOOKS VERY PROMISING AS THE U14A AND U16A TEAMS WERE PLACED FOURTH IN THE SUPER LEAGUE AND QUALIFIED FOR THE GAUTENG SCHOOL CHAMPIONSHIPS!

FURTHER THANKS...

THANKS MUST GO TO THOSE WHO CONTRIBUTED TO THE SUCCESS OF THE NETBALL SEASON. MANY THANKS MUST GO TO MRS GARRARD WHO ORGANIZED REFRESHMENTS DURING THE SEASON. THANKS TO MRS BLANE FOR ASSISTING WITH CATERING! THANKS TO MRS. STROUD FOR BOOKING OUR TRANSPORT! OUR SUPPORTIVE MOMS AND DADS NEED TO BE THANKED FOR CHEERING FROM THE SIDELINES AND BEHIND THE SCENES (WHEN ASSISTING WITH TRANSPORT AND WASHING PINNIES). IN PARTICULAR, ONCE AGAIN THANKS TO MRS MASTERSON WHO WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN ORGANIZING THE 1ST TEAM MATCH KIT AND TOURING JACKETS!

MRS L TOLSTRUP
NETBALL CO-ORDINATOR AND
U16 COACH



NETBALL

NETBALL DINNER

THE FOLLOWING AWARDS WERE MADE AT THE NETBALL DINNER HELD AT THE RIVER HAWK SPUR IN JULY:

BEST U14A PLAYER: XIHLOVO MABUNDA
BEST U14B PLAYER: ANDILE NDABA
BEST U14C PLAYER: TRACEY NKAMBULE
BEST U15A PLAYER: BIANCA CHABANT
BEST U15B PLAYER: INA YANKOVA
BEST U15C PLAYER: NELLY MOYO & ALLISON RADEBE
BEST U16A PLAYER: KAMOGELO KHATLE
BEST U16B PLAYER: LINDIWE MPATA & SHAUNI MULLER
BEST U17A PLAYER: PAMELA LEGODI
BEST U17B PLAYER: MUMSY BALOYI
BEST U19B PLAYER: ROSIE NKOANE

DISTRICT REPRESENTATION: KELLY- JO UREN, CATHRYN MASTERSON, GRACE KATENDE, MICHELLE SIBANDA, KARABO MLAMBO, CANDICE JACOBS, XIHLOVO MABUNDA, MICHELLE KEKAE, ROBYN PHILLIPS, SARA MUTAMBA, KAMOGELO KHATLE, ASHLEIGH BARRY, HAYLEY DAVIES & ALYSSA GARRARD

REGIONAL REPRESENTATION: CATHRYN MASTERSON, CANDICE JACOBS, ALYSSA GARRARD, GRACE KATENDE & MICHELLE SIBANDA

GAUTENG NETBALL REPRESENTATION: CATHRYN MASTERSON (U18) & MICHELLE SIBANDA (U16)

NETBALL TROPHIES 2009

SERVICE TO NETBALL:	CATHRYN MASTERSON
SPIRIT:	ALYSSA GARRARD
MOST PROMISING PLAYER:	CATHRYN MASTERSON
MOST IMPROVED PLAYER:	KELLY-JO UREN
BEST GOAL AVERAGE:	CANDICE JACOBS
DEDICATION & COMMITMENT:	KARABO MLAMBO
BEST ATTACK PLAYER:	GRACE KATENDE
BEST DEFENCE PLAYER:	AMANDA KAPITO
BEST SENIOR PLAYER:	AMANDA KAPITO

COLOURS 2009

FULL COLOURS: CATHRYN MASTERSON, CANDICE JACOBS, KARABO MLAMBO, GRACE KATENDE, ALYSSA GARRARD & AMANDA KAPITO

HALF COLOURS: AKHONA PONI, KELLY-JO UREN, BOIPELO RAMOSHU, MICHELLE SIBANDA & YOLANDA DOMBO



NETBALL TOUR 2009

SIXTEEN GIRLS AND 2 COACHES ENJOYED THE NAMIBIAN NETBALL EXPERIENCE IN THE APRIL SCHOOL HOLIDAYS.

TOURING SQUAD:

CATHRYN MASTERSON, CANDICE JACOBS, MIKHAILA SWARTZ, CAITLIN POWER, KAMOGELO KHATLE, KARABO MLAMBO, ALYSSA GARRARD, AKHONA PONI, AMANDA KAPITO, BOIPELO RAMOSHU, NATASHA REYNOLDS, YOLANDA DOMBO, QUESTIA MBOMBO-ZEBO, KELLY-JO UREN AND GRACE KATENDE.

ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS:

DAY 1 DEPART FROM O.R. TAMBO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT FOR WINDHOEK. BUS TRIP AROUND WINDHOEK: SAW THE TINTENPALAST (NAMIBIAN GOVERNMENT BUILDING) AND CHRISTUSKIRCHE (BEAUTIFUL CHURCH)! AT FIRST THE WINDHOEK (BOYS) HOSTEL DID NOT HAVE BEDDING FOR US! AFTERNOON TRAINING SESSION ON STUNNING NEW COURTS!

DAY 2 MORNING PRACTICE SESSION. LOCAL SIGHTSEEING: ALTE FESTE (HISTORICAL MUSEUM). RETURN TO THE SCHOOL FOR LUNCH AND FOR YOUR AFTERNOON MATCH. MATCH VS. WHS U19A. WE LOST 29-26 SO CLOSE! DINNER IN THE SPORTS HALL.

DAY 3 TRANSFER TO WALVIS BAY WITH SIGHTSEEING EN ROUTE: THE BILTONG SHOP AND THE SEA NEXT TO SAND DUNES! LUNCH AT SPUR – YUM! AFTERNOON PRACTICE SESSION AT WALVIS BAY HIGH SCHOOL. DEPART WITH HOST FAMILIES FOR THE NIGHT – TALES OF WALK-IN FRIDGES, ELEVATORS IN THE MANSIONS ETC.

NETBALL

DAY 4 RETURN TO SCHOOL WITH HOST PARENTS. SEE THEIR VERSION OF MORNING ASSEMBLY. MORNING PRACTICE SESSION AT SCHOOL. CLIMB DUNE 7 – THE HIGHEST DUNE IN THE AREA. BOY WAS IT HOT AND STEEP! LUNCH AT THE BAY WITH THE FLAMINGOS IN THE DISTANCE. MATCH VS. WBHS U19A. WE DREW 26-26. OVERNIGHT WITH HOST PARENTS.

DAY 5 TRANSFER TO DE DUINE SCHOOL IN WINDHOEK WHERE WE GAVE A MORNING TRAINING WORKSHOP. FRIENDLY MATCH AGAINST DE DUINE – WHICH WE WON. TRANSFER TO SWAKOPMUND SECONDARY SCHOOL. MATCH 3 VS SSS U19A TEAM. WE WON 30-18. TRANSFER TO VILLA WIESE. HAD AN INTERESTING DINNER OF HOTDOGS IN THE LODGE.

DAY 6 DROVE TO DESERT EXPLORERS TO ENJOY A MORNING OF QUADBIKING IN THE DUNES. SOME OF US COULD NOT TELL THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE ACCELERATOR AND THE BREAK! WE SAW AMAZING DESERT ANIMALS. LUNCH AT SWAKOPMUND BEACH.

DAY 7 SIGHTSEEING: WE DROVE TO SEE THE DESERT MOON SCAPE, THE WELWITSCHIA MIRABILIS PLANT AND GOANIKONTES, WHICH IS AN OASIS IN THE DESERT. SWAKOPMUND MUSEUM AND SWAKOPMUND AQUARIUM.

DAY 8 RETURN BY COACH TO WINDHOEK. RETURN FLIGHT TO JOHANNESBURG.



MANY THANKS MUST GO TO MRS. TOERIEN FOR MAKING HERSELF AVAILABLE TO TAKE THE GIRLS ON TOUR AND FOR HER SUPPORT IN PUTTING THE TOUR TOGETHER! MUCH FUN AND NETBALL MEMORIES WERE SHARED BY THOSE INVOLVED!

WE WOULD LIKE TO ACKNOWLEDGE AND THANK THE FOLLOWING STAKEHOLDERS FOR MAKING THE TOUR POSSIBLE:

- **MR. ROBINSON & THE SCHOOL GOVERNING BODY** FOR ALLOWING US TO EMBARK ON THIS INCREDIBLE ADVENTURE!

- **ALL OF THE PARENTS WHO WERE INVOLVED IN THE FUNDRAISING EFFORTS AND SUPPORTED THEIR DAUGHTERS GOING ON THE TOUR! IN PARTICULAR, SOME MENTIONS:**

MRS. MASTERSON: FOR CHAIRING THE TOUR COMMITTEE AND SECURING MUCH SPONSORSHIP

MRS. KHATLE: FOR ORGANIZING THE PRINTING OF RAFFLE TICKETS

MRS. POWER & MRS. UREN: FOR SECURING RAFFLE PRIZES

MR. REYNOLDS: FOR ORGANIZING COLDDRINKS AND FOR SELLING MANY RAFFLE TICKETS!

MRS. GARRARD: FOR COOKING BOEREWORS ROLLS, BUYING CHARCOAL ETC.

- **OUR SPONSORS:**

IZUZU & MR. & MRS. UREN: BLUE SPORT BAGS & T-SHIRTS

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RICHARD'S PLACE: FINANCIAL CONTRIBUTION

POSTNET & MRS. KAPITO: FOR PRINTING POSTERS & T-SHIRTS

STANDARD BANK & MRS. POWER: BLACK TRAVEL BAGS

(ANY OTHERS WE HAVE OMITTED IN ERROR)

MRS L. TOLSTRUP
TOUR ORGANISER

BOYS HOCKEY

THE BOYS HOCKEY SEASON OF 2009 WAS ENJOYED BY ALL. THE HIGHLIGHT WAS THE TOUR TO STELLENBOSCH AND CAPE TOWN.

THE STELLENBOSCH HOCKEY CAMP, WHICH MADE OUT THE MAJOR PART OF OUR TOUR WAS A GREAT EXPERIENCE FOR THE BOYS. THIS CAMP IS THE BIGGEST OF ITS KIND IN THE COUNTRY, WITH OVER 56 BOYS AND GIRLS TEAMS TAKING PART. THEY WERE COACHED BY SOME MEMBERS OF OUR MENS AND LADIES NATIONAL HOCKEY SIDES AND ALSO MEMBERS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF STELLENBOSCH HOCKEY CLUB, WHICH IS THE TOP HOCKEY CLUB IN THE COUNTRY. THE 'COACHING CLINIC' PART OF THE CAMP WAS ORGANISED BY JENNY KING, WHO WAS THE NATIONAL COACH FOR THE WOMEN'S TEAM AT THE 2008 BEIJING OLYMPICS.



A THANK YOU TO THE PARENTS OF BRYANSTON BOYS HOCKEY AS WELL AS THE STAFF MEMBERS, MR C. LOUW AND MR J. FARNELL WHO MADE THIS TOUR POSSIBLE. WE WOULD HAVE LIKED TO RETURN TO STELLENBOSCH IN 2010, BUT BECAUSE OF THE WORLD CUP, IT IS NOT POSSIBLE.

OUR FIRST TEAM HAD A WONDERFUL SEASON. BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL WON THE AITKEN CUP B-SECTION FOR ONLY THE SECOND TIME IN THE SCHOOL'S HISTORY. IT WAS A WONDERFUL ACHIEVEMENT, CONSIDERING THE FORMAT OF THE AITKEN CUP. WE BEAT RANDPARK HIGH SCHOOL 3-1 IN THE SEMI-FINAL AND THEN WE PROCEEDED TO BEAT SPRINGS 1-0 IN A VERY CLOSELY CONTESTED FINAL. OUR FIRST TEAM HAS NOW BEEN PROMOTED TO THE A-SECTION OF AITKEN CUP AND OUR GOAL IN 2010 WILL BE TO ENSURE THAT WE STAY IN THE TOP DIVISION.

THE FIRST TEAM SHOWED GUTS AND DETERMINATION DURING THE WHOLE SEASON, WITH SOME EXCELLENT PERFORMANCES BY OUR MATRICS, NAMELY CRAIG WIID, TYRONE HAMMOND, MITCHELL HAEFELE, THAPELO MOKOENA, MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH, SBU SHABANGU AND GARY DAVIS-HANNIBALL. TYRONE HAMMOND AGAIN HAD A WONDERFUL SEASON AS OUR FIRST TEAM GOALKEEPER, AND TOGETHER WITH SBU SHABANGU AND CRAIG WIID THEY FORMED THE BACKBONE OF THE FIRST TEAM. GARY DAVIS-HANNIBALL WAS ALSO THE TOP-GOAL SCORER OF THE YEAR. HIS TOTAL OF 18 GOALS IS ALSO THE SECOND HIGHEST IN THE HISTORY OF BRYANTON HIGH SCHOOL.

THE U 14 TEAM STRUGGLED A BIT DURING THE SEASON, DESPITE A PROMISING START. THEY HAVE A LOT OF POTENTIAL AND IT IS OUR BELIEF THAT THEY WILL GROW INTO A MORE COHESIVE UNIT NEXT YEAR. WILLIAM LETWABA, MICHAEL WRATHALL, PEACE MORARE AND ADAM ROODT HAD VERY GOOD SEASONS. THIS TEAM WILL FORM THE BASIS OF THE BODEN TROPHY IN 2009, AND WE BELIEVE THAT THEY CAN DO VERY WELL INDEED.

THE SECOND TEAM ALSO HAD A GREAT SEASON. AT THE END OF THE SEASON THE TEAM HAD A RUN OF SIX CONSECUTIVE WINS. THEY HAD A VERY GOOD WIN AGAINST FOURWAYS AT THE DERBY DAY. ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI HAD AN EXCELLENT SEASON AND WILL BE SORELY MISSED NEXT YEAR. OTHER PLAYERS WHO HAD GOOD SEASONS WERE SHAUN RALEFETA, SHAWN LANGA AND ALEX PRICE. THEY SHOWED IMMENSE IMPROVEMENT AND MUCH IS EXPECTED FROM THEM NEXT YEAR. A SPECIAL MENTION NEEDS TO BE MADE OF ALEX SFARNAS WHO CAME BACK FROM A HAND INJURY, TO HAVE A VERY GOOD SEASON FOR THE SECOND TEAM.

THE FIRST AND SECOND TEAMS WERE BY FAR THE BEST TEAMS THIS YEAR. THE FIRST TEAM'S AITKEN CUP PERFORMANCE AS WELL AS THEIR SUPERIOR GOAL SCORING AVERAGE ENSURED THAT THEY WERE THE WINNERS OF THE RICKY WEST TEAM OF THE YEAR TROPHY.



THE U 15 TEAM ALSO HAD A GOOD SEASON. THEY FINISHED IN 8TH POSITION IN THE BODEN TROPHY. THE WHOLE TEAM HAD A GOOD SEASON, BUT SPECIAL MENTION HAS TO BE MADE OF JUSTIN BAXTER, STEVEN DONZELLA, JOEY SASSO, THABANG RALEFE AND MICHAEL RYAN. WE WISH THEM ALL THE BEST AS THEY WILL COMPETE FOR POSITIONS IN THE FIRST AND SECOND TEAMS NEXT YEAR.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE COACHES AND PLAYERS FOR THEIR HARD WORK THIS SEASON, AND I WISH THEM ALL THE BEST FOR 2010. I WOULD ALSO LIKE TO SAY A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO MR FARNELL WHO WAS IN CHARGE OF THE SUMMER LEAGUE THIS YEAR. A LOT OF THE FIRST TEAM'S SUCCESS CAN BE ATTRIBUTED TO THE PRE-SEASON TRAINING THAT THE SUMMER LEAGUE PROVIDED.

BOYS HOCKEY

MIC: MR C LOUW
COACHES: MR P MAKGOLANI 1ST TEAM
 MR C LOUW 2ND TEAM
 MR J FARNELL U 15 TEAM
 MR J GOVENDER U 14 TEAM

AWARDS :

	PLAYER OF THE YEAR	MOST IMPROVED PLAYER	COACHES AWARD
1ST TEAM	CRAIG WIID	GARY DAVIS-HANNIBALL	TYRONE HAMMOND
2ND TEAM	SHAWN LANGA , ALEX PRICE	SEBASTION KEGANEDITSWE	SHAUN RALEFETA
U 15 TEAM	JOEY SASSO, THABANG RALEFE	MICHAEL RYAN	JUSTIN BAXTER, STEVEN DONZELLA
U 14 TEAM	WILLIAM LETWABA	PEACE MORARE	MICHAEL WRATHALL

JUNIOR PLAYER OF THE YEAR: JUSTIN BAXTER
TOP GOAL SCORER OF THE YEAR AWARD (ALL TEAMS): GARY DAVIS-HANNIBALL
MARK DABBS 'SKILLS' TROPHY: ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI
RICKY WEST TEAM OF THE YEAR: FIRST TEAM

PLAYERS:

1ST TEAM:

CRAIG WIID (CAPTAIN), GARY DAVIS- HANNIBALL , TYRONE HAMMOND ,THAPELO MOKOENA , SBU SHABANGU (VICE-CAPTAIN), MITCHELL HAEFELE, JONATHAN CALLEBAUT, NKULULEKU DUMA, GAVIN WOOD, CRAIG TSHABALALA, CHAD HAEFELE, MICHAEL SCHLEBUSCH, STUART ROBERTSON AND MIKHAEL BENEFELDT.

2ND TEAM:

ALESSANDRO PAUSELLI, MALCOLM CHIPANGURA, SHAUN RALEFETA (CAPTAIN) , SHAWN LANGA, TUMELO NDLOVU, GARETH BELL, JOSHUA EVENSON, EDWIN KIBUGI, KOMANI DHLAMINI, MICHAEL LOUW, NEO MOLEKO, ALEX PRICE, PETER BUTCHER, ALEX SFARNAS, CARLTONE NDLOVU AND JARRYD MUNSLOW

U 15 TEAM:

JUSTIN BAXTER (CAPTAIN), THOMAS WATKINS, STEVEN DONZELLA, KGOMOTSO MOSHIMANE, MICHAEL RYAN, JASON DI BON, THABANG RALEFE, JAMES RAYMOND- PAUL, BYRON SMITH, JASON LANCE, ANDREW HALSTEAD, TSHEPO MOKOENA, JOEY SASSO AND PHILLIP CHETTY.

U 14 TEAM:

VALDO DOS SANTOS, KEOLYN NAICKER, JONATHAN BIGGS, WILLIAM LETWABA, BUANG BAREI, PEACE MORARE, CHRIS VAN DER VYVER, MICHAEL WRATHALL (CAPTAIN), ADAM ROODT, PIERRE MARAIS, CRESWILL LEEUW, JUNIOR BALOI AND MICHAEL HUTTON.

MR C. LOUW
 TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



GIRLS HOCKEY

2009 PROVED TO BE A GREAT HOCKEY SEASON. MOST COMMENDABLE WAS THE SPIRIT IN WHICH THE GAME WAS PLAYED. FOR MANY, THE HOCKEY SEASON NOW STRETCHES OVER MOST OF THE YEAR. WE STARTED IN JANUARY WITH TWO TEAMS PLAYING IN THE 8-A-SIDE LEAGUE RUN BY THE SENIOR ASSOCIATION. THIS IS AN EXCELLENT WAY TO GET FIT AND READY FOR THE SEASON. THESE GAMES ARE PLAYED IN THE EVENING SO THIS ALSO ENABLES PARENTS WHO WORK, TO SEE THEIR CHILDREN ACHIEVE ON THE SPORTS FIELD.

IN THE MARCH/APRIL HOLIDAYS THE FIRST AND SECOND SIDES HAD A FANTASTIC TOUR TO THE COACHING COURSE AT STELLENBOSCH UNIVERSITY. HERE THE GIRLS REALLY SHOWED THEIR WORTH BY COMING OUT CHAMPIONS OF THE TOURNAMENT, A FANTASTIC ACHIEVEMENT, WELL DONE! A JUNIOR SIDE WENT ON A COACHING COURSE IN POTCHEFSTROOM AND CAME BACK FULL OF CONFIDENCE AND READY FOR THE SEASON.

THE OFFICIAL LEAGUE WAS PLAYED FROM APRIL TO JUNE AND ONCE AGAIN THE SECOND TEAM WAS THE TEAM OF THE YEAR AS THEY WENT THROUGH THE SEASON UNBEATEN WHICH WAS FABULOUS.

THE FIRST TEAM PLAYED ABSOLUTELY FANTASTIC HOCKEY AND THE MATRICS IN THAT SIDE CERTAINLY LED BY EXAMPLE, WE SHALL MISS YOU. THE FIRST AND U-16 SIDE PLAYED IN THE PULLEN/HOWELL TOURNAMENT OVER A FEW WEEKENDS AND JUST LOVED THE COMPETITION FROM SCHOOLS NOT IN OUR LEAGUE AND DID EXCEPTIONALLY WELL. AT THE SAME TIME TRIALS FOR THE SOUTHERN'S SIDES WAS HELD AND A NUMBER OF THE GIRLS SHOWED THEIR ABILITY. PALESA MASHININI WAS CHOSEN FOR THE U-18A SIDE, BUT LATER HAD TO WITHDRAW, WHILE KELSEY SKINNER PLAYED IN THE B SIDE. CHANELLE TORRENT UNFORTUNATELY HAD TO STAND DOWN HER CHANCE TO MAKE THE A SIDE DUE TO A FAMILY TRIP AND KIRSTEN WEIR AND OLIVIA JANSEN WERE CHOSEN FOR THE C SIDE. AT U-16 LEVEL KIRSTEN SEALE WAS OUR PROUD REPRESENTATIVE IN THE SOUTHERN'S A SIDE WITH CASEY COWELL, AMBER FRONCKIEWICZ AND ZETHU MADLANGA CARRYING OUR BANNER IN THE OTHER SIDES. OUR CONGRATULATIONS GO TO ALL OF YOU!

THE THIRD TERM STARTED WITH A BANG AS WE WENT STRAIGHT INTO INDOOR HOCKEY PLAYED AT FOURWAYS HIGH. TWO OPEN AND TWO U-16 SIDES WERE ENTERED IN THE LEAGUES AND THAT PROVED TO BE A GREAT LEARNING CURVE FOR SOME OF THE PLAYERS. THE U-16A AND OPEN FIRST TEAM BOTH WON THEIR SECTIONS AND WENT INTO THE SEMI-FINALS WHICH THEY WON. UNFORTUNATELY, BOTH TEAMS WERE BEATEN IN THE FINALS BUT PLAYED EXCEPTIONALLY WELL AND MADE US ALL VERY PROUD.

ONE OPEN SIDE IS PLAYING IN THE EIGHT-A-SIDE LEAGUE WHICH FINISHES IN DECEMBER SO OUR THANKS GO TO THOSE WHO HAVE GIVEN SO MUCH FOR HOCKEY THIS YEAR. GOOD LUCK TO ALL WHO ARE GOING FORWARD IN HOCKEY AND MAY 2010 BE GOOD TO YOU ESPECIALLY TO THOSE WHO HAVE GIVEN SO MUCH TO HOCKEY OVER THE YEARS.

MRS P. DEACON
TEACHER IN CHARGE



RUGBY

ONCE AGAIN, RUGBY PLAYERS AT BRYANSTON HIGH CAN HOLD THEIR HEADS HIGH. THE SEASON THIS YEAR PRODUCED MANY MORE HIGHLIGHTS THAN IT DID DISAPPOINTMENTS, WITH TEAMS ACROSS THE AGE GROUPS WINNING ABOUT 70% OF THE FIXTURES THEY PLAYED IN.

THE FIRST TEAM, ALTHOUGH HAVING A SLOW START TO THEIR SEASON, PROVED A FORMIDABLE TEAM BY THE END OF THE SEASON. EVEN THOUGH THERE WERE VERY FEW STARS IN THE TEAM, THE RESULTS FINALLY STARTED GOING OUR WAY, WHEN THIS TEAM MASTERED THE BASICS AND IMPLEMENTED THE GAME PLAN.

IN SET PIECES, THE FORWARD PACK HELD THEIR OWN IN THE GAME. THE BACKLINE HAD FLARE BUT IT WAS ONLY ONCE THE FORWARDS GOT THE TEAM ON THE FRONT FOOT ON SECOND PHASE BALL, THAT THE DEVASTATING EFFECTS OF THE BACKLINE WERE SEEN.

GENERALLY THE FIRST TEAM DEFENDED WELL THE WHOLE SEASON, BARRING A FEW MISHAPS IN THE MIDFIELD, IN FACT THEIR DEFENSIVE STRENGTH WON THEM A NUMBER OF CLOSELY CONTESTED MATCHES, IN PARTICULAR AGAINST PINETOWN BOYS. OTHER MEMORABLE VICTORIES WERE AGAINST NORTHCLIFF, AND WILLOWRIDGE. THE WAY IN WHICH THIS TEAM MATURED DURING THE SEASON AND THE SPECTACULAR RUGBY THEY PLAYED TOWARDS THE END OF THE SEASON LEAVES ONE THINKING HOW GOOD THEY COULD BE IF WE WERE ABLE TO KEEP THE SAME TEAM FOR NEXT YEAR, BUT UNFORTUNATELY THERE WERE A NUMBER OF MATRIC PLAYERS IN THE TEAM, WHO WILL BE SORELY MISSED NEXT SEASON.

ALTHOUGH THE UNDER 16 AGE GROUP SHOWED A LOT OF PROMISE THEY DID STRUGGLE THROUGH THE SEASON AND HAD A TOUGH TOUR.

THE UNDER 15 AGE GROUP LACKS DEPTH BUT ONCE AGAIN, AS WITH THE UNDER 16 A TEAM, THIS TEAM HAS THE MAKINGS OF AN EXCELLENT FIRST TEAM ONE DAY.

THE UNDER 14 AGE GROUP HAD AN UP AND DOWN KIND OF SEASON, WHICH IS UNDERSTANDABLE WHEN ONE CONSIDERS THE QUALITY OF THE OPPONENTS WE PLAY AND THE FACT THAT FOR MANY OF THE PLAYERS THIS WAS THEIR FIRST YEAR OF RUGBY.

STRONG SECOND AND THIRD TEAMS ARE ONLY POSSIBLE IF THE SCHOOL GETS THE COMMITMENT FROM BOYS IN THE SCHOOL. THIS YEAR THE OPEN AGE GROUP HAD OVER 50 PLAYERS VYING FOR POSITIONS IN THREE TEAMS.

PARTICIPATION IS THE KEY ELEMENT OF THE SCHOOL AND ONLY THROUGH THIS CAN WE BUILD STRONG SPORTING TEAMS.

MR J. SKELTON
TEACHER IN CHARGE



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CHEERLEADING

THE CONTROLLING BODY FOR CHEERLEADING INTRODUCED AN ALL GIRL SECTION FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR, AS A RESULT WE HAD FOUR TEAMS – 120 CHILDREN PARTICIPATING IN CHEERLEADING! TWO ALL GIRL TEAMS AND TWO CO-ED TEAMS. ONCE AGAIN THE FIRST TEAM WON THE PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND THE NATIONAL TITLE FOR THE 4TH YEAR IN A ROW – GO BRYANSTON! OUR ALL GIRL TEAMS DID EXTREMELY WELL AND ALSO TOOK THE NATIONAL TITLE IN BLOEMFONTEIN. CREDIT MUST GO TO OUR CAPTAINS FOR THE YEAR, MEGAN DAVIDSON, LEE PECKOVER AND ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA – WELL DONE ON A FANTASTIC EFFORT. THE COACHING STAFF OF MS CANDIA NASH, MS BERYL MARNEWICK AND MRS DAVIDSON WELCOMED CARRYN DAVIDSON BACK TO BRYANSTON CHEERLEADING, BUT THIS TIME AS A MEMBER OF THE COACHING STAFF, WELCOME BACK CARRYN.

WE SAY GOODBYE TO 10 MATRICS: ANDRE, GARY, DONOVAN WHO JOINED CHEERLEADING IN THE PAST COUPLE OF YEARS. SINEAD, LEE, ALFIE, MEGUEL WHO HAVE BEEN DOING CHEERLEADING SINCE GRADE 8. THANK YOU TO ALL OF YOU. TO MEGAN, BOJENA AND JODIE WHO HAVE BEEN IN THE FIRST TEAM SINCE GRADE 8 – WHAT AN ACHIEVEMENT WELL DONE GIRLS. WE ARE CERTAINLY GOING TO MISS ALL OF THEM.

FULL COLOURS

MEGAN DAVIDSON, ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA, LEE PECKOVER, SINEAD QUIEROZ, CAMILLA ALLEN, BOJENA DEVEREUX, NADIA NIKOLOVA, GARY SPENCER, MIKHAEL BENEFELDT, KERRY MACFIE, ALYSSA GARRARD, ALBERT MARAIS, CHRIS PRANGLEY, JODIE GRAVES, KYLIE WILKINSON, DONOVAN WRESSSELL, NICOLE HERDMAN.

HALF COLOURS

LARA JANSEN VAN RENSBURG, SHAUNI MULLER, JEHAN-ANDRE GREEFF, KYLE LUMSDEN, MICHAEL LOUW, VAUGHN BUYS, SHANELLE GORDON, LARA-LEE STANTON, SABRINA CERUTI, THABO MAY, MEGUEL GOVENDER, PHILLIP SELWANA.



CHEERLEADING

TEAM COLOURS

MEGAN DAVIDSON, ALFIE MAHLANGABEZA, LEE PECKOVER, SINEAD QUIEROZ, CAMILLA ALLEN, BOJENA DEVEREUX, NADIA NIKOLOVA, GARY SPENCER, MIKHAEL BENEFELDT, KERRY MACFIE, ALYSSA GARRARD, ALBERT MARAIS, CHRIS PRANGLEY, JODIE GRAVES, KYLIE WILKINSON, DONOVAN WRESSELL, NICOLE HERDMAN, LARA JANSEN VAN RENSBURG, SHAUNI MULLER, JEHAN-ANDRE GREEFF, KYLE LUMSDEN, MICHAEL LOUW, VAUGHN BUYS, SHANELLE GORDON, LARA-LEE STANTON, SABRINA CERUTI, THABO MAY, MEGUEL GOVENDER, PHILLIP SELWANA, FRANCES WRESSELL, MBALI MTHETHWA.

PROVINCIAL TEAM MEMBERS

MEGAN DAVIDSON, LEE PECKOVER, JODIE GRAVES.
WELL DONE TO DONOVAN WRESSELL AND BOJENA DEVEREUX WHO WERE AWARDED THEIR COLOURS THIS YEAR.

NATIONAL TEAM MEMBERS

MEGAN DAVIDSON AND LEE PECKOVER

MRS S. DAVIDSON
COACH



ATHLETICS

ANOTHER B-LEAGUE SEASON AFTER THE NUMBING EXPERIENCE OF A DRAW IN 2008. SOME UNCERTAINTY EXISTED ABOUT THE CALIBER OF GRADE 8 ATHLETES. THERE WAS A LITTLE UNCERTAINTY AS TO THE LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION BY THE EXISTING GROUP OF ATHLETES, BUT CONFIDENCE IN THE PARTICIPATION OF THE RELIABLE GROUP OF GRADE 11 ATHLETES. THESE WERE THE FACTORS WHICH MADE ATHLETICS COACHES AND BRYANSTON STAFF IN GENERAL VERY HESITANT ABOUT PREDICTING AN OUTCOME.

WHEN THE CHIPS WERE DOWN HOWEVER BRYANSTON HIGH ATHLETES WERE OUTSTANDING. THE GRADE 9 AND 11 ATHLETES WERE SUPERB: MFUMMO RIKHOTSO; BERNADETTE VAN HEERDEN; GABRIEL MJIYAKO; THYLA MCGUINNESS; SLOGAN MAKGOBI; CAYLEY JORGENSEN; LUFUNO MANTSHA; ANNALISA VICENTE; LEBO MACHABA; LARA BANKS; JJ MTUSE. THE COMBINATION OF THESE ATHLETES GAVE THE MIDDLE DISTANCE COACHES THE RARE OPPORTUNITY TO RUN A VARIETY OF COMBINATIONS IN THE 800M AND 1500M EVENTS.

CHARNE KRIEK; KIMLYNNE KELLY; BIANCA CHABANT; AZZISA NGWENYA; TITO SIKHOSANA; TANAKA JAVANGWE; KELLY-JO UREN; KIRSTEN WIER; KELSEY SKINNER; CATHRYN MASTERSON; CALVIN VANDERWAGEN; ROBYN PHILLIPS: THESE SPRINTERS ALSO PROVIDED THE DEPTH FOR THE COACHES AND GAVE SOME STAR PERFORMANCES THROUGHOUT THE SEASON.

FROM A MIDDLE DISTANCE PERSPECTIVE IT WOULD BE AN INJUSTICE NOT TO MENTION THE TENACITY OF RYAN BANKS. THIS YOUNG MAN HAS RUN SUB 5 MINUTES EVERY TIME HE STEPPED ONTO THE TRACK INCLUDING A FEW TIMES DURING TRAINING. TOGETHER WITH THE SSR (SHAUN RALEFETA, SHAWN LANGA, RYAN BANKS) AS THEY FONDLY CALLED THEMSELVES, POINTS WERE GUARANTEED AT EVERY MEETING. JENNY MCCULLOUGH COULD ALSO BE RELIED ON TO TURN OUT AN OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IRRESPECTIVE OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES OR CONDITIONS. HER CALCULATED PERFORMANCE AT PRESTIGE WAS A TESTAMENT TO HER HARD WORK THIS SEASON. THE COMBINATION OF JENNY MCCULLOUGH, JULIA LOUW AND OUR NEW FIND AURELIE COOPER ALSO PROVED INVINCIBLE WINNING THEIR AGE GROUP AT ALL BUT ONE OF THE RACES IN WHICH THEY COMPETED AS A TEAM.

THE MIDDLE DISTANCE TEAM WOULD, HOWEVER, NOT BE WHAT IT IS WITHOUT ALL THE OTHER ATHLETES WHO READILY MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE TO PARTICIPATE WHEN NEEDED. WE SINCERELY HOPE THAT ALL THESE INDIVIDUALS WILL BE AVAILABLE NEXT YEAR.

OUR RELAY TEAMS HAD A RUSTY START TO THE YEAR WITH NUMEROUS DISQUALIFICATIONS AT NORTHCLIFF, BUT IMPROVED TREMENDOUSLY WITH

ALL BUT ONE TEAM MAKING IT TO PRESTIGE.

OUR SEASON INCLUDED 2 CONVINCING WINS OVER ALL OUR B-LEAGUE RIVALS. THIS MADE ACCEPTING THE OUTCOME OF THE INTER-HIGH RESULT A SATISFACTORY ONE INDEED. THE PROGRESS OF THE TEAM WAS DIRECTLY PROPORTIONAL TO THE EFFORT OF THE COACHING STAFF. AT THIS POINT A SPECIAL THANK YOU ALSO GOES TO MRS WIER AND MRS GARRAD FOR THE CATERING.

A VERY SPECIAL AWARDS FUNCTION AT THE SPUR SAW MANY ATHLETES RECEIVE WELL DESERVED AWARDS. CALVIN VANDERWAGEN RECEIVED A SPECIAL AWARD FOR HIS YEARS OF UNWAVERING LOYALTY TO BRYANSTON HIGH ATHLETICS. AFTER COMPETING AT PRESTIGE WITH A SMASHED FACE AND I DON'T MEAN THAT FIGURATIVELY. KIRSTEN WEIR WAS MOST DESERVING OF HER SPECIAL AWARD. THESE TWO INDIVIDUALS WILL BE SORELY MISSED BY BRYANSTON ATHLETICS.

WE DO LOOK FORWARD TO NEXT SEASON.

MR J. LAWRENCE
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



ATHLETICS



CROSS COUNTRY

THIS YEAR'S CROSS COUNTRY SQUAD WAS AN INDICATION OF WHAT THE ATHLETICS MIDDLE DISTANCE SQUAD WOULD BE LIKE. SIMPLY DESCRIBED AS A GROUP OF YOUNGSTERS WHO WOULD BE WILLING TO PUT THEMSELVES ON THE LINE FOR BRYANSTON HIGH. THIS WOULD BE EVIDENCED BY THE WILLINGNESS OF LEBO MACHABA AND MFUMMO RHIKOTSO TO RUN IN ANY AGE GROUP WHERE THEY WERE NEEDED DURING THE ATHLETICS SEASON.

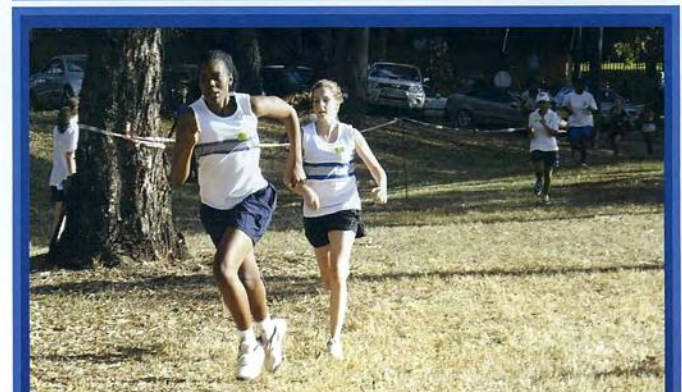
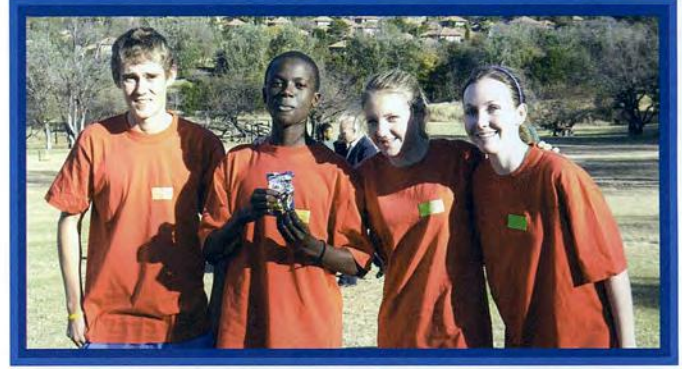
THE SQUAD PRODUCED OUTSTANDING RESULTS IN BOTH THE TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL CATEGORIES. IF NOT FOR THE FALTERING SUPPORT FROM SOME OF OUR JUNIOR BOYS ALL TEAMS WOULD HAVE MADE THE CHAMPIONSHIPS.

BOTH THE JUNIOR AND SENIOR GIRLS' TEAMS RETURNED VICTORIOUS FROM INTER-LEAGUE EVENTS. THE JUNIOR GIRLS WITH SILVER MEDALS AND THE SENIOR GIRLS WITH BRONZE MEDALS.

CONGRATULATIONS GO TO THE TOP ACHIEVERS.

A VERY BIG THANK-YOU TO ALL COACHES AND OFFICIALS WITH SPECIAL THANKS TO MRS EDWARDS FOR THE EXCELLENT CATERING.

MR J. LAWRENCE
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GRADE 8 PLAYS

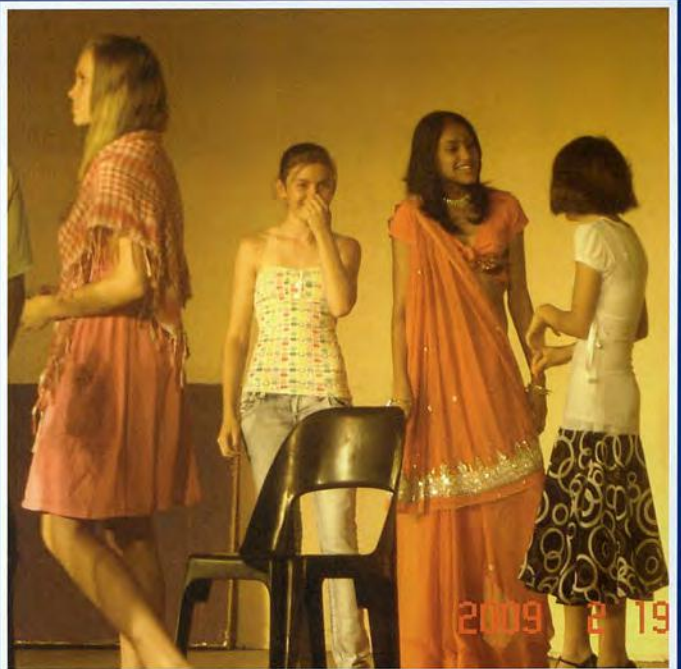
AN EVENING OF PEACE, CALMNESS AND CHILDREN AS QUIET AS ANGELS ... THAT WAS WHAT WE HAD ALL ANTICIPATED, BUT AS SOON AS WE ARRIVED ON THE EVE OF THE GRADE 8 PLAYS, WE KNEW THAT SANITY WAS JUST A FRAGMENT OF OUR IMAGINATIONS. BUT WE WOULDN'T HAVE TRADED THE OVER-ENTHUSIASTIC, CRAZY, FUN-LOVING GROUP FOR ANYTHING ELSE!

THE GRADE 8 PLAYS PROVED TO BE MUCH MORE WORK THAN IT SEEMED FOR MANY OF THE LIA MEMBERS. WE HAD NEVER WRITTEN A PLAY, NEVER MIND EVEN THOUGHT ABOUT DIRECTING ONE. AS FOR THE GRADE 8S, MANY OF THEM HAD NEVER BEEN ON STAGE AND COULD NOT IMAGINE ACTING IN FRONT OF A HALL FULL OF PARENTS, TEACHERS AND PUPILS OF BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. BUT TOGETHER WE SOMEHOW PULLED THROUGH AND WE ALL LEARNT A LOT THROUGHOUT THE 4 WEEKS. THE GRADE 8S LEARNT SINGING, DANCING AND ACTING TECHNIQUES. THE GRADE 11S ON THE OTHER HAND LEARNT HOW TO CONTROL A CLASS (WITH MUCH EFFORT), RAISE THEIR VOICES, PLAN AN ENTIRE PLAY AND BUILD PROPS AND WE ALL LEARNT A LOT ABOUT EACH OTHER AND MORE IMPORTANTLY OURSELVES.

THE EXPERIENCE OF THE GRADE 8 PLAYS ALLOWED US ALL TO GROW AND WE ALL TOOK SOMETHING OUT OF IT. IT WAS SUCH AN AWESOME OPPORTUNITY FOR THE GRADE 11S TO WORK WITH THE GRADE 8S AND ALLOWED US TO SEE WHAT AMAZING TALENT WE HAVE BREWING WITHIN OUR SCHOOL AND REALIZE THAT WHEN WE ALL WORK AS A TEAM, EVERYTHING AND ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE.

THE ACTUAL EVENING OF THE PLAYS WAS A HUGE SUCCESS, THE HALL WAS PACKED, THE VIBE WAS ELECTRIC AND CONTAGIOUS. THE GRADE 8S REALLY SHONE ON STAGE AND THEY MADE THE GRADE 11 DIRECTORS SHINE TOO. EVEN THOUGH SOME THINGS DID NOT RUN QUITE THE WAY WE HAD PLANNED, IT WAS A NIGHT OF SUPERSTARDOM AND AN ABSOLUTELY AMAZING TEAM OF TRUE SUPERSTARS!

KARINA SZUMAN
GRADE 11C



GRADE 8 - 702 WALK

THE 702 WALK THE TALK

ON THE 26TH JULY 2009, 40 GRADE 8 LEARNERS AND 26 STAFF PARTICIPATED AS A TEAM IN THE 702 WALK THE TALK. THE MORNING STARTED OUT A LITTLE CHILLY, BUT SOON WARMED UP TO BE A BEAUTIFUL GAUTENG WINTER'S DAY.

WE ALL MET AT THE START, EAGER AND EXCITED TO START WALKING. SOME EVEN SUPPORTED CHARITY AND PAINTED THEIR HAIR PINK WHILE WAITING TO START. THE WALK WAS LOTS OF FUN ALTHOUGH SOME STARTED COMPLAINING THAT 8KM WAS A LITTLE TOO FAR FOR THEM. WE CROSSED THE FINISH LINE AND RECEIVED OUR MEDALS FOR COMPLETING THE RACE. FUN WAS HAD BY ALL, AND A TIRED, BUT SATISFIED GROUP OF GRADE 8S WENT HOME, FOR WHAT I AM SURE, WAS A QUIET SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

MRS S LABUSCHAGNE
GRADE 8 CONTROLLER



GRADE 8 - CAMP

A HUGE SUCCESSFUL CAMP. ALL STARTED ON THE BUS, EXCITEMENT GREW AS WE ARRIVED AT THE CAMP SITE. THE BRYANSTON SPIRIT WAS ALL AFIRE AS WE MADE UP TEAMS, BANNERS AND WAR CRIES. WE LEARNED WHEN NOT TO SMILE (WHILE TRAVELLING THROUGH THE MUD) BUT WHEN TO SHRIEK LIKE TARZAN (FLYING OVER THE MUD).

EACH GRADE 8 MADE A GREAT MEMORY.

THANK YOU TO THE COUNCILLORS AND STAFF WHO GAVE UP THEIR WEEKEND TO MAKE THIS A GREAT WEEKEND CAMP.

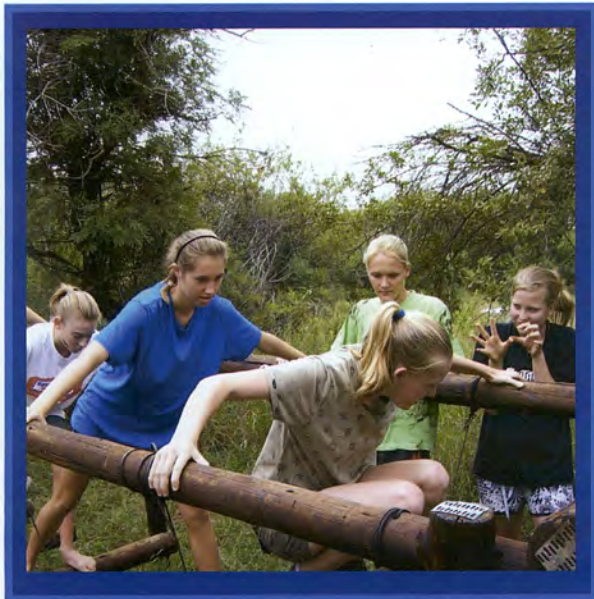
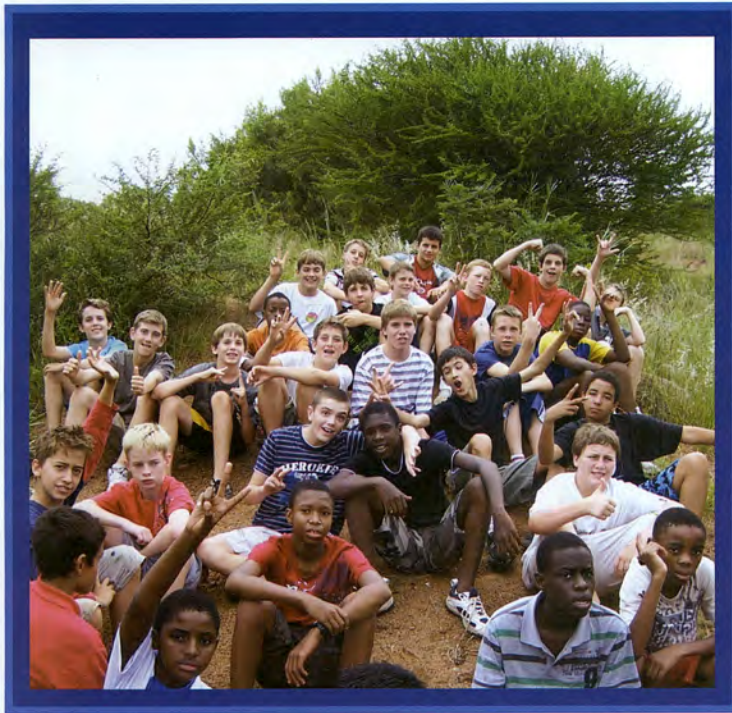


GRADE 8 CAMP - BOYS

AFTER A LONG, BUT FUN THREE HOUR BUS RIDE WE ARRIVED AT SEDIBA KWELE ON FRIDAY FOR AN AFTERNOON OF VARIOUS GAMES ON THE FIELD. THAT NIGHT THE BOYS MADE A 2KM TREK INTO THE BUSH TO SLEEP UNDER THE STARS, WELL, LIE AWAKE UNDER THE STARS. THAT MORNING WE ALL WENT WALL CLIMBING AND THEN HAD A FUN, BUT EXTREMELY DIRTY MUD FIGHT. ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON THE GRADE 8 BOYS WERE CHALLENGED TO COMPLETE AN OBSTACLE COURSE.

THE MOST GRUESOME PART HOWEVER, HAD TO BE THE MUD PIT - A STINKY FOUR METRE LONG DITCH COVERED BY A TARPULIN AND A FEW BRANCHES. WITH THE HELP AND SUPPORT OF OTHERS, EVERYONE MADE IT THROUGH. THANKFULLY, AFTER ALL THAT, WE WERE ALLOWED TO WASH OFF IN THE RIVER.

TIMOTHY DENTON
GRADE 8C



SOUTH PACIFIC

"ANOTHER OPENING --- ANOTHER SHOW" IS PROBABLY CORRECT, IN THE EYES OF THE AUDIENCE AND PEOPLE NOT INVOLVED IN THE MAJOR PRODUCTIONS AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL, BUT FOR THE COMPANY OF SOUTH PACIFIC IT WAS THE CULMINATION OF FOUR MONTHS OF HARD, DEDICATED WORK.

THE ENDLESSLY FASCINATING APPEAL OF DOING THESE SHOWS IS THAT NO TWO ARE THE SAME ... EVER! THIS YEAR WE HAD A SMALLER CORE OF "OLD FAITHFUL" AND MANY NEW FACES. OUR JOY, AS DIRECTORS, IS SEEING THESE YOUNG ACTORS GROW. THE OLD HANDS CONTINUE THEIR GROWTH AND TO SEE THEM MENTOR THE NEW CAST MEMBERS, SHARING THEIR EXPERIENCE, TALENT AND KNOWLEDGE SO UNSELFISHLY IS EXTREMELY REWARDING.

WHEN YOU SPEND 12 HOURS TOGETHER WEEK AFTER WEEK, YOU SHARE SO MANY EMOTIONS: JOY, LOVE, FRUSTRATION, SORROW, ANGER, DELIGHT ... TIREDNESS - SOMETIMES EXHAUSTION. THESE YOUNGSTERS LEARN TO WORK THROUGH IT ALL ... THEIR COMMITMENT IS INCREDIBLE. MOST OF THEM ARE TOP ACADEMIC STUDENTS AS WELL AS SPORTSMEN AND WOMEN TOO. WE HOPE THEY REALISE HOW MUCH WE VALUE THEM! WITHOUT ACTORS THERE IS NO SHOW!

WE ARE ALWAYS VERY SORRY TO SAY GOODBYE TO THE LEAVERS. ONCE AGAIN THIS YEAR WE HAD A CORE OF WONDERFUL MATRICS:

THE DEVINE MICHAL! A STALWART --- AN ACTOR AND SINGER WHO HAS GROWN INTO SUCH A STAR.

ANDREW ... SO QUIET ON THE SURFACE, OFTEN MISCHIEVOUS AND ON STAGE ... DYNAMITE.

VID ... BACK THIS YEAR AND SO VERY IN TOUCH WITH HIS FEMININE SIDE! A BRILLIANT ACTOR!

LEE ... THE LADIES WILL NEVER DOUBT OLDER MEN AGAIN! SO CONVINCING.

THEN THE "NEW" MATRICS. WE WISH YOU HAD JOINED US SOONER! STORM, JESSICA, CHRISTINE, TRISTAN AND OUR TWO NEW CHOREOGRAPHERS MEAGAN AND SUMMER! WELL DONE TO ALL OF YOU! GOD BLESS YOU ALL IN YOUR EXCITING FUTURES AWAY FROM BRYANSTON ... WE'LL MISS YOU!



SOUTH PACIFIC

OUR GRATEFUL THANKS AS ALWAYS TO THE PARENTS (AND OLDER SIBLINGS) WHO "BROUGHT AND FETCHED" SO PATIENTLY!

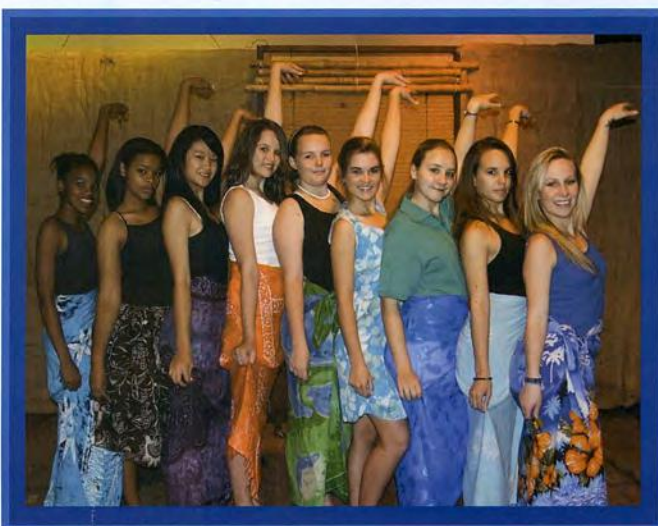
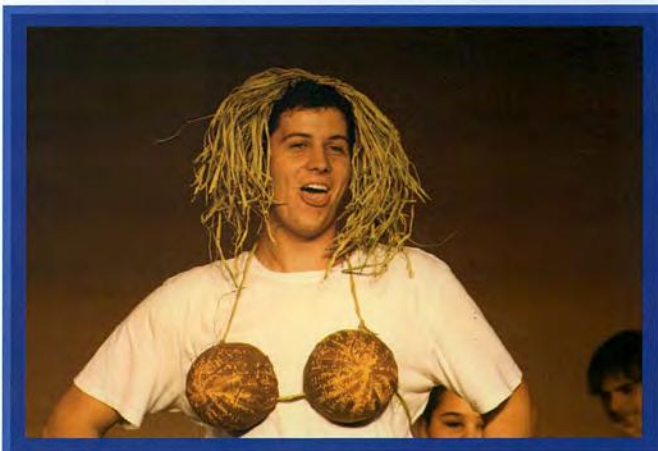
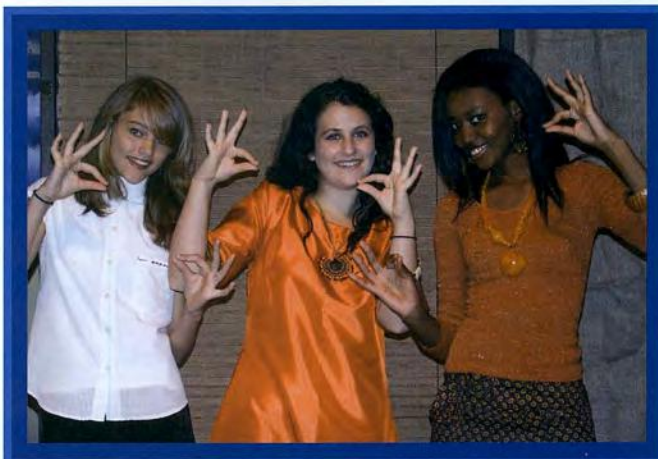
THE "SOUPER" MOMS WHO ONCE AGAIN FED US ALL ON SHOW NIGHTS. JO SFARNAS WHO ORGANIZED ALL THE FUND-RAISING AND BRENDA DEGENHARDT WHO WAS BRAVE ENOUGH TO CUT THE SAILORS' HAIR. THE GAYNORS WHO FOUND AND LENT US SAILOR HATS AND ALL THE WWII PROPS OF WHICH WE WERE IN SUCH DIRE NEED. WE CANNOT THANK YOU ENOUGH.

EVERY YEAR NEW CHALLENGES ARISE AND I WISH TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO MENTION MR ANDRE BASSON SPECIFICALLY. THIS YOUNG MAN SHOULD BE MAKING HIS NAME IN MOVIES ... OR HUGE THEATRES. HE IS AN INEXHAUSTIBLE FUND OF TALENT AND INGENUITY! HE CAN DESIGN AND BUILD ANYTHING! HE CHOREOGRAPHS THE SOUND AND LIGHTING. HE DESIGNS THE MOST WONDERFUL SETS AND BUILDS THEM, DESIGNS THE PROGRAMME ... THE LIST GOES ON AND ON!

OF COURSE NONE OF THIS IS POSSIBLE WITHOUT THE USUAL BACK-UP OF FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES WHO DO ALL THE THINGS I HAVE NOT MENTIONED: AUDREY HUGHES, TAM HEIN, WILLEM GROBLER, ANTONY OOSTHUYSE, JOY TOERIEN, KARLI MAARTENS, SAM MALEBANA, TERESA COOK, KERRY WINSON, ELIZE VAN DER MERWE. THANKS GUYS! OF COURSE, MR ROBINSON AND MRS WEBB WHO SUPPORT US ALL THE WAY ... OR THERE WOULD BE NO MAJOR PRODUCTION!

NOTHING MORE TO SAY EXCEPT TO QUOTE MR BASSON ... "WATCH THIS SPACE!"

MRS P. TURVEY

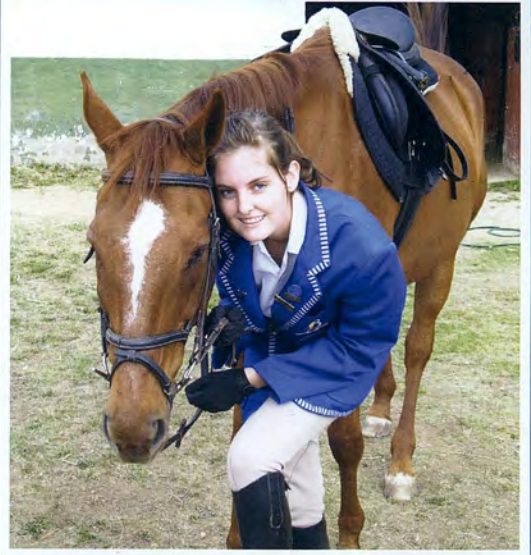


EQUESTRIAN

AS THE NEW CHEF D'EQUIP OF THE BRYANSTON EQUESTRIAN TEAM IN 2008 I HAVE HAD THE PLEASURE OF WORKING WITH A VERY GRACIOUS AND COURAGEOUS TEAM. IT HAS BEEN A VERY EXCITING YEAR WITH FOUR QUALIFYING SHOWS, FINALS AND THE NEW COMER'S SHOW, WITH THE TEAM PROVING TO BE AS FOCUSED AND DETERMINED AS EVER. OUR TEAM CAPTAIN MAXINE OOSTHUIZEN IS A GREAT ASSET AND WITHOUT HER CONSTANT EFFORT AND SUPPORT WE WOULD NOT BE AS SUCCESSFUL. ALL THE EQUESTRIANS DESERVE A HUGE ROUND OF APPLAUSE FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS. WE ARE EXCEEDINGLY PROUD OF OUR EQUESTRIAN TEAM AS FOUR OF OUR TEN RIDERS HAVE BEEN SELECTED TO COMPETE AT NATIONAL LEVEL. THESE RIDERS ARE MAXINE OOSTHUIZEN, KIRSTEN BOWYER, KIRSTEN DENYER AND VICTOR PIKE, ALL OF WHOM WERE ALSO AWARDED FULL COLOURS AND TEAM COLOURS. NATASHA FLEMMER AND TRISTEN GARDINER WERE AWARDED HALF COLOURS AND TEAM COLOURS. THE NEW COMERS TO EQUESTRIAN BEING CHANEY ROODT, JESSICA MORRISON AND THYLA MCGUINNESS, HAVE SHOWN THAT THERE IS LOTS OF POTENTIAL FOR OF A VERY SUCCESSFUL EQUESTRIAN TEAM IN THE FUTURE, AS THEY WILL ENDEAVOR TO UP HOLD THE TEAM ETHOS.

MANY THANKS ARE EXTENDED TO ALL THE PARENTS WITHOUT WHOM WE WOULD NOT BE ABLE TO DO WHAT WE DO BEST. A SPECIAL THANK-YOU TO, MRS. MAXI OOSTHUIZEN FOR ALL HER HARD WORK AND SUPPORT. THANK YOU TO ALL THE EQUESTRIANS INVOLVED AND MAY 2009 BE AS SUCCESSFUL.

MS GRIFFITHS



RHETORIC SOCIETY

THIS HAS BEEN ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR FOR OUR PUBLIC SPEAKERS AND MEMBERS OF THE RHETORIC SOCIETY.

THE YEAR BEGAN WITH A NUMBER OF TEAMS COMPETING AGAINST OTHER SCHOOLS AND THEY ALL ACHIEVED VERY GOOD SYMBOLS. THE GUILD TROPHY TEAM INCLUDED GARETH BELL, MMATHOTO MANONG AND KELSEY SKINNER AND THE GUILD TROPHY INDIVIDUAL SPEAKER WAS LERATO KHATLE.

THE RHETORIC SOCIETY HAS GROWN CONSIDERABLY DURING THE YEAR AND IT IS MOST ENCOURAGING TO SEE THAT WE HAVE SO MANY INTERESTED JUNIORS. WE HAVE HELD SOME EXTREMELY HEATED DEBATES WITH MANY SHOUTS OF: POINT OF INFORMATION!

THE RHETORIC SOCIETY WAS CHAIRED BY LERATO KHATLE AND THAPI MAKGABUTLANE AND WE WERE ALSO VERY FORTUNATE TO HAVE SO MANY COMMITTED MATRICS. WE WILL MISS YOU NEXT YEAR.

MRS A. HUGHES
TEACHER-IN-CHARGE



CHESS

THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN A YEAR OF NEWNESS FOR OUR CHESS TEAM. MANY YOUNGER PLAYERS ARE SHOWING AN INTEREST IN THE "NERDY" SPORT OF CHESS. IT IS HOPED THAT THEY WILL DERIVE GREAT BENEFIT FROM THEIR PARTICIPATION AS CHESS HAS BEEN PROVEN MANY TIMES TO HELP LEARNERS DEVELOP FOCUS AND LATERAL THINKING.

DURING THE 1ST TERM WE ENTERED TWO TEAMS IN THE GAUTENG SOUTH CHESS ASSOCIATION 5-A-SIDE TOURNAMENT (NORTH) – BATTLING SCHOOLS FROM BEAULIEU, CRAWFORD – LONEHILL, CRAWFORD – SANDTON, DAINFERN, SANDTONVIEW, AND ST. DAVIDS MARIST, ST. PETERS AND ST. STITHIANS.

THE A TEAM WAS INVITED WITH THREE OTHER

SCHOOLS OF THE NORTH TOURNAMENT TO THE PLAYOFFS AGAINST THE FIVE TOP SCHOOLS OF THE SOUTH. ON SATURDAY, MARCH 23 2009, THEY MET IN BATTLE BUT ALTHOUGH PLAYING VALIANTLY, THEY WERE DEFEATED.

THE GAUTENG SOUTH CHESS ASSOCIATION LEAGUE MATCHES COMMENCED IN THE 2ND TERM. OUR TOP EIGHT PLAYERS FROM THE TWO 5-1-SIDE TEAMS COMBINED TO FORM A COMMENDABLE TEAM IN ZONE B-8.

WE HAVE MANY DEDICATED PLAYERS WHO ATTEND PRACTICES EVERY DAY AND THE SENIORS HAVE DONE EXCELLENT COACHING OF ALL THE NEWCOMERS AND JUNIORS.

CAPTAIN: DESMOND ZHANG
VICE-CAPTAIN: TYLER HILLARY
FULL:
HALF:
JUNIOR FULL:
CERTIFICATES OF COMMITMENT:

CERTIFICATES OF PARTICIPATION:

STAFF INVOLVED:

TYLER HILLARY, DANIEL HUGHES AND DESMOND ZHANG
BRYCE BETHA AND NTANDO SIBIYA
MICHAEL RYAN AND NANCY LIANG
IMMACULATE DUBE, DANIEL DO, DOMINIC ALVES,
JONATHAN BIGGS, KEVIN VAN NIEKERK, NABEEL VALLEY,
PETER QIU AND TANIKA KENNEDY.
ANDISWA MEI, LIZNET MAHLANGU, CAROL CUI,
ANGELA MNGADI, CLAIRE SEKGOBELA, KRESAN DHAVER AN
JUSTIN TIFLIN.
MRS M. SCHUMANN, MR N. NAICKER AND
MR W. VAN NIEKERK.

HOUSE PLAYS

PLAYS FESTIVAL 2009

THIS YEAR THE PLAYS FESTIVAL TOOK PLACE OVER TWO EVENINGS. THE PLAYS WERE OF AN EXCEPTIONALLY HIGH STANDARD AND INVOLVED MANY NEW AND UP-AND-COMING ACTORS.

IN THE SENIOR CATEGORY THE FOLLOWING AWARDS WERE PRESENTED:

BEST POSTER

"THE MAN WHO WOULDN'T GO TO HEAVEN"
DIRECTED BY LEE SPEECHLY, STORM OOSTHUIZEN
AND STELLA SFARNAS

BEST SET

"NEW YORK'S MOST WANTED."
WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY JENNA FULCHER

BEST COSTUMES - "NEW YORK'S MOST WANTED"

BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR

ANDREW SIBIYA IN "WAITING ON TRAINS"
DIRECTED BY DEVLIN O'REILLY AND ANDREW SIBIYA

BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS - MARGEUX ADAMS IN "THE MAN WHO WOULDN'T GO TO HEAVEN"

BEST ACTOR - MICHAL DEVINE IN "BANG BANG YOU'RE DEAD"
DIRECTED BY TSHEGO MBONGO, MARGEUX ADAMS AND THAPI MAKGABUTLANE

BEST ACTRESS - JENNA FULCHER IN "NEW YORK'S MOST WANTED"

BEST PRODUCTION - "NEW YORK'S MOST WANTED"



THE FOLLOWING AWARDS WERE PRESENTED IN THE JUNIOR CATEGORY:



BEST POSTER

"BEAUTY IS A BEAST"
DIRECTED BY KEELY JACKSON AND ZAMO NKOSI

BEST SET

"THE WEIRDEST HONEYMOON EVER"
DIRECTED BY SABINA PAUSELLI AND NICOLE HERDMAN

BEST COSTUMES

"BEAUTY IS A BEAST"

BEST SUPPORTING ACTOR

CLYDE HALEFOSE IN "JUNIPER LEE"
WRITTEN AND DIRECTED BY SHARMAYNE MANAKA AND
BUHLE MKWANANZI

BEST SUPPORTING ACTRESS - KIMBERLY RHODA

BEST ACTOR - STEVEN DONZELLA AND DOMINIC ALVES

BEST ACTRESS - JOCELYN LAWRENCE AND KAGISO SIPHUMA

BEST PRODUCTION - "THE WEIRDEST HONEYMOON EVER"

MANY THANKS MUST GO TO THE SOUND AND LIGHTING CREW LED BY CHENEY DENT.
CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL WHO TOOK PART IN THE PLAYS.

MRS AUDREY HUGHES AND MISS TAMSYN HEIN

OPEN DAY



THE SCHOOL WAS MARKETING AT OPEN DAY WHERE LEARNERS AND THEIR PARENTS VISITED THE SCHOOL TO SEE THE FACILITIES AND EXPERIENCE THE BLUE FLAME OF THE BRYANSTON SPORTS TEAMS AND THE DEDICATION OF THE ACTORS AND PUBLIC SPEAKERS. THE LEARNERS WERE BUSSED IN, SHOWN THE SCHOOL AND ENTERTAINED .



SFC AND CATERING

WITH A BIGGER GROUP OF PARENTS THAN WE HAVE EVER SEEN BEFORE, THE SFC GROWS EVER STRONGER AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. HEADED UP BY MRS B. WEIR, WITH SUE TILEY AS SECRETARY, THIS GROUP OF ENTHUSIASTIC AND ENERGETIC PARENTS CONTINUES TO PROVIDE A WONDERFUL MARKETING AND HOSPITALITY SERVICE TO OUR SCHOOL. MEETING FOR AN HOUR ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF EVERY MONTH, THE TASKS ARE SHARED BY A GROUP OF ALMOST 30 WILLING PARENTS. WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THOSE WHO HAVE ASSISTED US DURING THE YEAR AND LOOK FORWARD TO ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

THE CATERING TEAM WITH CHAIRPERSON, DEVLIN O'REILLY, AND VICE CHAIR, AKIRA JUGGATH, CONTINUED TO PROVIDE THE SCHOOL WITH EXCELLENT SERVICE. REGULAR MEETINGS HELD ON WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS DIVIDED THE TASKS AMONG THE 20 MEMBERS.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE FOR ACHIEVING **FULL COLOURS**:

DEVLIN O'REILLY, ANDREW SIBIYA, AKIRA JUGGATH, LINDIWE MPATA

FOR ACHIEVING **HALF COLOURS**:

BRADLEY POLLER

AND THE FOLLOWING FOR **SERVICE CERTIFICATES**:

AMY DEGENHARDT (SPECIAL DILIGENCE SERVICE AWARD); SENATE POTIANE, LEZLEY NDOU, ANDILE NDABA, WENDY DUBE, PRIMROSE MKHONZA, SHIVAAR JUGGATH, DAMARIS SEHLAPELO, CLAIRE FULLER.

BASIC 1 CATERING COURSE RUN BY DEVLIN O'REILLY DREW A LARGE NUMBER OF JUNIOR LEARNERS WHICH HAS ADDED A CERTIFICATE TO THEIR CVS AND GIVEN THEM YET ANOTHER SKILL.

MRS B. WEIR



CONSUMER STUDIES

AS ALWAYS, PRACTICAL ASSESSMENT TASKS CONTINUED TO BE THE HIGHLIGHT OF THE CONSUMER STUDY SYLLABUS. GRADE 10 LEARNERS ARRIVE WITH FEW SKILLS AND WITHIN A SHORT TIME, WE SEE HUGE STRIDES BEING MADE. WONDERFUL FOOD IS PRODUCED IN AN ATMOSPHERE CONDUCIVE TO LEARNING, AND IT WAS A HUGE HONOUR THIS YEAR TO HAVE HAD DEVLIN O'REILLY BEING SELECTED AS A FINALIST IN THE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL SCHOOLS BURSARY COMPETITION. DEVLIN WAS CHOSEN FROM A COOK OFF OF 28 SEMI-FINALISTS TO SPEND A WEEK AT THE INDABA HOTEL AS PART OF THE FINAL ROUND. WE WERE VERY PROUD WHEN HE FINISHED IN 3RD POSITION AND WE ENCOURAGE ANY PROSPECTIVE LEARNERS WHO ARE INTERESTED IN HOSPITALITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS SAME COMPETITION.

BEAUTIFUL CLOTHING OUTFITS WERE MADE BY OUR GRADE 11 LEARNERS, MORE THAN HALF OF WHICH WERE WORN WITH GREAT PRIDE TO THE SPRING BALL. THE GRADE 10S HAD THEIR NEEDLEWORK SKILLS PUT TO THE TEST WHEN EVERYBODY MADE A BEAUTIFUL PAIR OF DUNGAREES.

MRS B. WEIR
H.O.D.



GARDENING

MRS WEIR, TOGETHER WITH WILLIAM CONTINUE TO WORK HARD AT IMPROVING THE SCHOOL GARDENS WHICH ARE LOOKING BEAUTIFUL AT THE MOMENT. THE LIA OF 2008 DONATED THE MOST BEAUTIFUL FOUNTAINS AND UPGRADED THE FISHPOND AT THE ENTRANCE TO OUR SCHOOL. THIS FEATURE HAS TRULY ENHANCED ONE'S ARRIVAL AT BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL. NEW GARDENS HAVE BEEN CREATED AROUND THE PAVILION AND THANKS TO THE GENEROUS DONATION OF AGGIES AND IRISES FROM MANY OF OUR PARENTS, WE WERE ABLE TO CREATE INSTANT GARDENS ONCE THE BUILDING WAS COMPLETED. NEW AREAS HAVE BEEN PAVED THIS YEAR AND THE DEBS PROGRAMME TOGETHER WITH THE LIA HAVE PROVIDED THE MONEY TO ADD CONCRETE TABLES AND BENCHES FOR EVERYONE TO ENJOY.

SUBJECTS

AFRIKAANS

"TO BE FREE IS NOT TO CAST OFF ONE'S CHAINS BUT TO LIVE IN A WAY THAT RESPECTS AND ENHANCES THE FREEDOM OF OTHERS". THESE WORDS OF NELSON MANDELA STAND AT THE ENTRANCE TO THE APARTHEID MUSEUM; THEY ARE TRULY SYMBOLIC OF WHAT A DEMOCRACY STANDS FOR.

SIXTY GRADE 11 LEARNERS WERE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY TO ATTEND A VISIT TO THE APARTHEID MUSEUM, NEAR GOLD REEF CITY, ON THE 29TH OF APRIL 2009. AS ALWAYS WE BRYANSTONIANS WERE SMARTLY DRESSED IN SCHOOL UNIFORM AND WERE EXCITED TO LEARN FIRST-HAND ABOUT THE APARTHEID ERA.

AS WE ENTERED THE MUSEUM, THERE WERE TWO SIGNS: WHITES AND NON-WHITES; THIS CAME AS A SHOCK TO US BECAUSE WE WERE NEVER BROUGHT UP THIS WAY, HOWEVER, OUR TOUR GUIDE EXPLAINED THAT THIS WAS HOW MANY PEOPLE OF SOUTH AFRICA WERE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST. THIS BROUGHT ABOUT A SENSE OF REALISM TO MANY OF THE LEARNERS BECAUSE IT WAS NOT AS IF WE WERE LEARNING ABOUT APARTHEID IN AN AFRIKAANS TEXTBOOK – IT WAS FIRST-HAND EXPERIENCE.

AS OUR JOURNEY CONTINUED WE LEARNT ABOUT THE PASS LAWS, THE 150 ACTS OF APARTHEID, THE FORMATION OF THE ANC AND THE PAIN AND SUFFERING THAT APARTHEID CAUSED. THE LARGE, BLOWN-UP PHOTOGRAPHS AND NUMEROUS MONITORS PLAYING THE VIOLENT SCENES OF APARTHEID CAPTURED EVERY EMOTION IN OUR BODIES. THIS WAS AN EXPERIENCE I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER.

THE SEVEN PILLARS OF OUR CONSTITUTION WERE IN SIGHT AS WE WERE LEAVING THE MUSEUM: DEMOCRACY, EQUALITY, RECONCILIATION, DIVERSITY, RESPONSIBILITY, RESPECT AND FREEDOM. THIS VISIT TO THE APARTHEID MUSEUM WAS AN EYE-OPENER ABOUT HOW LUCKY WE ARE AND THE GRADE 11S CERTAINLY LEARNT A LOT ABOUT OUR PAST. SOUTH AFRICA IS A DEMOCRACY; WE ARE ALL EQUAL AND FREE FROM DISCRIMINATION.

VIVA DEMOCRACY VIVA!

JENNA FULCHER 11A



ART

THE MOST COMMON USAGE OF THE WORD "ART," WHICH ROSE TO PROMINENCE AFTER 1750, IS UNDERSTOOD TO DENOTE SKILL USED TO PRODUCE AN AESTHETIC RESULT.[8] BRITANNICA ONLINE DEFINES IT AS "THE USE OF SKILL AND IMAGINATION IN THE CREATION OF AESTHETIC OBJECTS, ENVIRONMENTS, OR EXPERIENCES THAT CAN BE SHARED WITH OTHERS." BY ANY OF THESE DEFINITIONS OF THE WORD, ARTISTIC WORKS HAVE EXISTED FOR ALMOST AS LONG AS HUMANKIND: FROM EARLY PRE-HISTORIC ART TO CONTEMPORARY ART." WIKIPEDIA.

THE ART DEPARTMENT OF 2009 HAS SEEN A REMARKABLE YEAR. FIRSTLY THE CURRICULUM HAS BEEN CHALLENGING AND INTERESTING FOR OUR VERY TALENTED MATRIC CLASS, SUFFICE TO SAY THAT THEY HAVE MANAGED IT EXCEEDINGLY WELL. SECONDLY AND MORE NOTICEABLY IS THE IMPROVED ATMOSPHERE AND QUALITY OF THE WORK THAT HAS BEEN PRODUCED IN THE ART CLASS. MAY 2010 BE A VERY INSPIRING YEAR!

MS R. GRIFFITHS
ART DEPARTMENT

SUBJECTS

HISTORY

HISTORY IS AN EXTREMELY VERSATILE AND INTERESTING SUBJECT TO TEACH. WITH THE AVAILABILITY AND ACCESS TO VARIOUS FORMS OF INFORMATION, WHETHER IT BE INTERNET, BOOKS, DSTV (HISTORY CHANNEL) OR EVEN THE MOVIES, HISTORY CAN FULFIL EVERYBODY'S SENSE OF TASTE AND INTEREST. LEARNERS STUDYING HISTORY HAVE A BETTER UNDERSTANDING OF THEIR WORLD AND ENVIRONMENT, AND THEY ARE ABLE TO MAKE EDUCATED DECISIONS WITH REGARDS TO MANY ASPECTS OF THEIR LIVES. NOT ONLY DOES HISTORY GIVE THE LEARNERS A GOOD GENERAL KNOWLEDGE, BUT PROVIDES THE LEARNERS WITH AN UNDERSTANDING TO MASTER CONCEPTS RANGING FROM DEMOCRACY AND COMMUNISM, TO BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS.

HISTORY TEACHES LEARNERS TO BE CRITICAL, EMPATHETIC, UNDERSTANDING, AND ANALYTICAL. HISTORY CAN BE INTEGRATED INTO OTHER SUBJECTS TAUGHT AT SCHOOL LEVEL.

THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT ACHIEVED GREAT SUCCESS WITH THE MATRIC RESULTS FOR 2008. BRYANSTON HIGH SCHOOL ACHIEVED AN AMAZING 24 DISTINCTIONS FROM THE 79 STUDENTS THAT WROTE THE MATRIC EXAM. WE WISH THE 2009 MATRICS ALL THE BEST FOR THEIR EXAMS AND WE HOPE THAT THEY CAN EMULATE THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THEIR 2008 COUNTERPARTS. THE TEACHERS IN THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT FOR 2009 WERE:

MRS T. COOK : GRADE 8
MRS N. KARCZMARCZYK : GRADE 9
MRS S. LABUSCHAGNE : GRADE 8, 9 AND 10
MRS S. RAWOOD : GRADE 9
MR C. FONTAINE : GRADE 8, 11 AND 12
MR C. LOUW : GRADE 10, 11 AND 12

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE TEACHERS IN THE HISTORY DEPARTMENT FOR THEIR ENTHUSIASM, COMMITMENT AND DEDICATION (TO THE BEST SUBJECT AT SCHOOL) DURING 2009.

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO A WONDERFUL AND AN 'HISTORICAL' 2010.

MR C. LOUW
H.O.D.

ISIZULU

ANOTHER INTERESTING AND CHALLENGING YEAR HAS COME AND GONE. ZULU OFFERS MANY DIFFERENT OPPORTUNITIES LIKE PUBLIC SPEAKING AND DEBATING. THE ZULU LEARNERS ACHIEVED A GOLD CERTIFICATE FOR THIS, AND IN ZULU DRAMA THEY ACHIEVED A SILVER CERTIFICATE.

ISIZULU IS AN INTERESTING AND EXCITING SUBJECT WHICH DOES NOT ONLY TEACH ZULU, BUT ENLIGHTENS LEARNERS ABOUT ZULU MORALS, VALUES, CULTURE AND TRADITIONS. THE LEARNERS GET TO MEET WITH LEARNERS FROM OTHER SCHOOLS AND SHARE THE DIVERSITY OF THE ZULU LANGUAGE.

"SIYATHUTUKA NGOLIMI LWESINTU"

GOOD LUCK TO ALL THE MATRICS OF 2009

MS N. NJOZA
H.O.D.

SUBJECTS

ENGLISH

WHAT A WONDERFUL YEAR 2009 HAS BEEN FOR THE ENGLISH DEPARTMENT. WE HAVE BEEN BLESSED WITH A FULL COMPLEMENT OF TEACHING STAFF AND WELCOMED MRS STANDER FOR A SIX MONTH STINT, WHILE MRS J COOK WAS ON ACCOUCHEMENT LEAVE, AND WELCOME TO MRS. NAICKER WHO ABLY TOOK OVER FROM MR RODGER. WE ALSO WELCOMED MS THOMSON BACK TO THIS BUSY DEPARTMENT.

WE HAD A LOVELY YOUNG, MOTIVATED TEACHER JOIN US THIS YEAR, WELCOME TO MS HEIN WHO HAS TAKEN ON THE TASK OF TEACHING A LANGUAGE WITH GREAT APLOMB.

THE DEPARTMENT IS MADE UP OF THE FOLLOWING STAFF:

MRS M. SCHUMANN (HOD)	GRADE 11 AND 12
MRS A. HUGHES (HOD)	GRADE 8 AND 12
MRS T. COOK	GRADE 11 AND 12
MRS K. NAICKER	GRADE 12, 10 AND 9
MRS J. COOK	GRADE 11
MS T. HEIN	GRADE 9 AND 10
MS J. PIENAAR	GRADE 8 AND 10
MS C. HUTTON	GRADE 8 AND 9
MS D. THOMSON	GRADE 8, 9 AND 11

WE NEED TO EXTEND A WARM "THANK YOU" TO MRS SCHUMANN FOR LEADING THE DEPARTMENT SO ABLY AND FOR BEING A MOST CARING AND GENEROUS HOD.

MRS TERESA COOK
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT

A GLORIOUS SUNSET

THE SKY IS SET ABLAZE WITH A COMBINATION OF RICH RED, FLAMING ORANGE AND A SUBTLE TINGE OF LILAC. THE SUN IS SETTING IN THE DISTANT HORIZON - WHAT A GLORIOUS SUNSET.

AN AROMA OF SEA SALT WAFTS IN THE AIR, ALMOST STATIONARY, AS I BREATHE IT IN DEEPLY; LEAVING A TINGLY SENSATION ON MY TONGUE. THERE ARE A FEW SCATTERED CLOUDS IN THE SKY WHICH APPEAR TO DANCE FREELY IN THE MAGNIFICENT ARRAY OF COLOURS. THE SETTING SUN GIVES EACH CLOUD A SILVER LINING, HOWEVER, THE SMALL BOATS ON THE EDGE OF THE HORIZON ARE SILHOUETTED AGAINST THE FADED LIGHT, RESEMBLING TINY BLACK DOTS.

FORGOTTEN SANDCASTLES CRUMBLE AS THE WAVES CRASH ON THE FINE SAND. THE WAVES EFFORTLESSLY DESTROY ANYTHING IN THEIR PATH, THEY HAVE A LETHAL POWER. I CAST MY EYES TOWARD THE PIER, DISCARDED ICE-CREAM WRAPPERS BLOW AIMLESSLY IN THE BREEZE. THEY ALSO HAVE A LETHAL POWER - A POWER TO KILL MARINE LIFE.

BEFORE ME, THE TRANQUIL CITY ALONG THE ENDLESS BLUE SEA SANDWICHES THE GOLDEN BEACH THAT STRETCHES FOR KILOMETRES. THE SIGHT SIMPLY MAKES ME CALM AND RELAXED. TINY OBJECTS SEEM TO MOVE IN THE DISTANCE - SUN BURNT TOURISTS ARE PACKING UP AFTER A LONG DAY AT THE BEACH.

ON THE ROCKS THERE IS A LIP-LOCKED COUPLE, ADMIRING THE BEAUTIFUL SUNSET. THE WAVES CRASH SPRAYING TINY WATER DROPLETS IN THE AIR, THEY FALL ON MY SKIN, REFRESHING ME IN AN INSTANT.

A FEW SUNBEAMS MANAGE TO REACH THE SAND ALLOWING IT TO GLEAM IN THE LIGHT. THE LIGHT SHINES ON A SEA SHELL - ONE SO ISOLATED AND ALONE. I PICK IT UP AND ADMIRE ITS BEAUTY. THE ALTERNATING STRIPES OF BLACK AND WHITE GIVE IT THE APPEARANCE OF A ZEBRA. EACH SHELL IS COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM THE OTHER JUST LIKE SUNSETS - ONE IS TOTALLY DIFFERENT FROM THE PREVIOUS ONE.

THE SOUND OF SEAGULLS HEADING BACK TO THEIR NESTS BRINGS ME BACK TO REALITY. THE SUN CONTINUES TO SHINE ON THE OCEAN AND MAKES IT LOOK LIKE THERE ARE MILLIONS OF DIAMONDS PLACED ON THE SURFACE OF THE WATER.

HUNDREDS OF FOOTPRINTS ARE ERASED BY THE WAVES - IT IS THE WAY OF NATURE. AS I WALK I CAN SEE MY FOOTPRINTS BEHIND ME. YET I KNOW THAT IN A SECOND THEY WILL BE GONE.

THE SUNSET IS A MASTERPIECE, IT LOOKS LIKE AN ARTIST HAS PAINTED IT, WITH THE COLOURS OF RED, ORANGE AND YELLOW. IT IS BEAUTIFUL, NO ONE WOULD WITNESS ITS BEAUTY AGAIN - THIS PROMPTS ONE TO TREASURE EVERY MOMENT OF LIFE ON THIS EARTH.

THE SUN IS SETTING IN THE DISTANT HORIZON - WHAT A GLORIOUS SUNSET!

JENNA FULCHER
GRADE 11A

SUBJECTS

JUDGING

WE ALL JUDGE SOMETHING FROM THE OUTSIDE
YET NEVER KNOW WHAT'S INSIDE
AND OUR TIME WE WON'T ABIDE
IN ORDER TO SEE ITS OTHER SIDE

OFTEN THEY ARE AS BEAUTIFUL AS THEY CAN BE DEADLY
BUT WE THINK THAT IT SHOULD BE THE OTHER WAY AROUND
WE STAY AWAY FROM SOMETHING UGLY VERY READILY
IT'S USED TO IT SO IT DOESN'T MAKE A SOUND

IT TOLERATES THE POINTING AND LAUGHING
BECAUSE IT'S GOT NO CHOICE
ITS CONFIDENCE AWAY THEY SLOWLY CARVING
AND MAKING SURE IT'S GOT NO VOICE

THEN THEY GET TO KNOW IT
AND REALIZE IT'S BEAUTIFUL IN ITS OWN WAY
"IF I KNEW THEN WHAT I KNOW NOW THINGS WOULD HAVE
BEEN DIFFERENT"
IS ALL I MANAGE TO SAY

ALL BECAUSE I JUDGED TOO QUICKLY

LEANDRA METHVEN
GRADE 9

PART OF THE BRICKS

DARKNESS. IT'S COLD, WET COLOUR GRASPS THE
INSIDE OF MY EYE LIDS AND RACES UP AND DOWN
MY SPINE. LYING ON MY MOULDY, CONCRETE BED,
STUCK UP AGAINST THE WALL. YET ANOTHER
DREAM OF LONGING TO BE FOUND.

I OPEN MY EYES TO TAKE IN THE LACK OF COLOUR
OF MY ALLEY-WAY. AGAIN... DARKNESS. THE ONLY
WAY I CAN TELL THE TIME OF DAY IS BY LOOKING
BEYOND, TOWARDS THE BRIGHT WHITE HOUSE THAT
SUCKS UP ALL THE SUNLIGHT, LIKE THE DESERT DOES
THE RAIN. DAYTIME, AROUND 8.15 AM.

THE RUSH OF PEOPLE GOING TO WORK STARTS AT
ABOUT 8.30 THE SAME TIME I SHOULD BE OUT AT
MY CORNER, CUP IN HAND. I WRAP THE RASHY,
WOOLEN BLANKET AROUND MY BODY AND FORCE
MY CREAKING LEGS TO STAND. STUMBLING ALONG,
CLASPING AT THE HOLES IN THE WALL TO HELP KEEP
ME UP, I EVENTUALLY FIND MY CORNER. THE RUSH
OF PEOPLE CAN BE HEARD IN THE DISTANCE. ON
TIME FOR WORK AGAIN.

I CRASH DOWN TO THE FLOOR AGAIN. I FEEL NO
PAIN. THE DARKNESS THAT SURROUNDS ME HAS
NUMBED IT. I SIT MYSELF UP, BUT MY BODY ONLY
ALLOWS ME TO CRUNCH UP INTO A BALL. PLACING
THE POLYSTYRENE CUP, I MANAGED TO CLAIM FROM
A FIGHT WITH THE WIND, IN FRONT OF ME. INCOME
... PLEASE.

THE HORDES BEGIN. WAVE AFTER WAVE, SMELL AF-
TER SMELL... COLOUR AFTER COLOUR. I SIT, WATCH-
ING THEM BULLET ON BY, UNOBSERVANT OF HOW
THEY LIGHT UP THIS DREARY HELL. A NOISE ESCAPES
BUT IS UNINTERPRETABLE. TOO MANY OF THEM

SPEAK AND SHOUT AT THE SAME TIME, HOW CAN
THEY HEAR?

SOGGY, CHEWED UP GUM IS THROWN IN MY DIREC-
TION. IT HITS ME RIGHT IN THE FACE AND ROLLS
DOWN BACK TO THE FLOOR, WHERE IT'S BROTHERS
AND SISTERS HAVE BEEN MOLDED INTO THE PAVE-
MENT. I DON'T GET ANGRY ANYMORE, IT HAPPENS
SO OFTEN AND STILL, I HAVE THE PROTECTION OF
NUMBNESS.

A 50 CENT PIECE ROLLS ACROSS THE FLOOR. I ROCK-
ET OFF MY BONY ASS AND GRAB FOR IT. SPRAWLED
ACROSS THE FLOOR LIKE A BUG FLATTENED ON A
WINDSCREEN. I MISSED PROBABLY MY ONLY CHANCE
FOR MONEY THAT DAY. LIKE A TURTLE ON ITS BACK
I STRUGGLE TO GET BACK UP. NO ONE BOTHERS TO
HELP, IN FACT THEY DON'T EVEN GET OUT OF THE
WAY, THEY JUST STEP OVER ME AS IF I AM A ROCK IN
THEIR PATHS.

I HEAR THE NOISE SOFTEN AND THE SMELL HAS
BECOME LESS PUNGENT, BUT I STRUGGLE TO SEE
WITH MY FACE AGAINST THE CONCRETE. HERE I LIE,
GATHERING THE WILL TO LIFT MYSELF UP. THE NOISE
GROWS SOFTER AND EVENTUALLY DIES OUT, BUT
STILL I LIE. I CLOSE MY EYES. DARKNESS. IT'S BLACK
PEACE AND SILENCE BRINGS A COMFORT AS IT FILLS
UP THE BONES OF MY SPINE. I AM UNNOTICED, LIKE
THE FAMILY OF GUM ON THE FLOOR, LIKE KNOCK-
ING AT AN EMPTY DOOR. I AM... PART OF THE
BRICKS IN THE WALL.

CODY NERY-THOMSON
GRADE 11E

SUBJECTS

ENGLISH OLYMPIAD

"CONUNDRUMS OF AMBITION" - DREAMS, PIPEDREAMS, ILLUSIONS AND ASPIRATIONS – THE ENGLISH OLYMPIAD OF 2009 OPENED MANY DOORS OF OPPORTUNITIES FOR THOSE WHO PARTICIPATED. THE AFTERNOONS SPENT ANALYZING AND INTERPRETING VARIOUS FORMS OF POETRY TRULY INSPIRED ALL OF US AND ALLOWED US TO EMBRACE THE TRUE ESSENCE OF POETRY IN A WAY WE NEVER EXPECTED. THEY WERE NOT TYPICAL SCHOOL POETRY LESSONS, BUT RATHER ONES THAT BROADENED OUR PERSPECTIVES ON POETRY AND ALLOWED US TO EXPRESS OUR OPINIONS WITHOUT BEING MARKED ACCORDING TO A STRICT RUBRIC.

WE WERE ABLE TO RELATE TO MANY OF THE POETS IN THE ADDENDUM AS THEIR MESSAGES WERE CLEAR AND TEENAGERS COULD APPLY THEM TO THEIR EVERYDAY LIVES. IT WAS A LIBERATING EXPERIENCE TO BE PART OF SOMETHING THAT WAS BIGGER THAN SCHOOL AND TO EXPLORE OUR DREAMS THAT LITTLE BIT FURTHER. WRITING SOMETHING THAT WAS SET AT UNIVERSITY STANDARD MAY SEEM DAUNTING AT FIRST, BUT IT GAVE US AN IDEA OF UNIVERSITY LEVEL. WHAT WE GAINED FROM THIS WONDERFUL EXPERIENCE WAS A MESSAGE THAT DREAMING AND ASPIRING ARE IMPORTANT IN LIFE, BUT MAINTAINING A SENSE OF REALITY IS NECESSARY TOO.

ON BEHALF OF ALL THE ENGLISH OLYMPIAD PARTICIPANTS WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK MRS COOK FOR DEDICATING HER TIME TO TEACHING US: ALWAYS REMEMBER TO DREAM AS IF YOU'LL LIVE FOREVER AND LIVE AS IF YOU'LL DIE TODAY; REACH FOR THE STARS AND LIVE LIFE TO THE FULL!

NATASHA FLEMMER AND JENNA FULCHER

TEACHER IN CHARGE: MRS T. COOK

2009 WAS A GREAT YEAR FOR BRYANSTON HIGH'S ENGLISH OLYMPIAD STUDENTS. NOT ONLY DID 35 BRAVE PUPILS ENTER WHAT THEY BELIEVE IS A DAUNTING OLYMPIAD, BUT A FEW OF THOSE WERE BOYS. I AM SO PROUD OF THESE LITERARY PRODIGIES WHO NOT ONLY WROTE WELL, BUT ALSO ENTERED WITH GREAT VERVE INTO THE GENERAL DISCUSSIONS WE HELD ONCE A WEEK. THIS OLYMPIAD IS NOT FOR THE FEINT-HEARTED AND I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE SPECIAL MENTION OF NATASHA FLEMMER WHO MANAGED TO ACHIEVE A GOLD RATING – WHAT AN OUTSTANDING RESULT AND A GREAT FEAT.

I THANK YOU ALL AND WISH YOU GREAT SUCCESS WITH ALL OF YOUR ENDEAVOURS NEXT YEAR.

MRS T. COOK

RESULTS:	NATASHA FLEMMER	GOLD
	KELLY-JO UREN	SILVER
	KIRSTEN SEALE	SILVER
	LEE SPEECHLY	BRONZE
	MARGEUX ADAMS	BRONZE
	KIRSTEN WEIR	BRONZE
	NADIA NIKOLOVA	BRONZE
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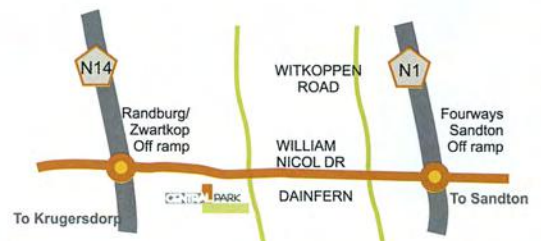
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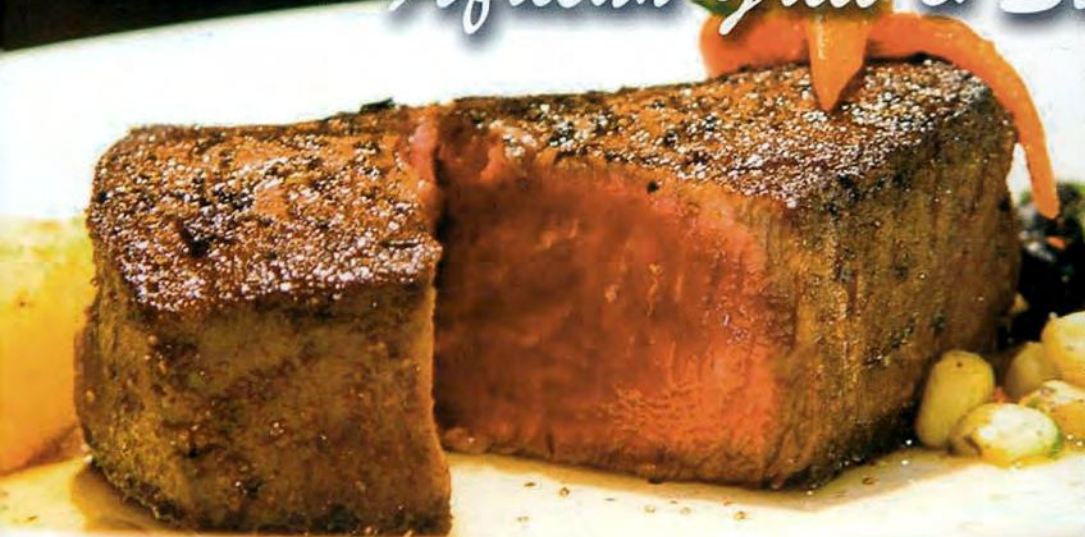
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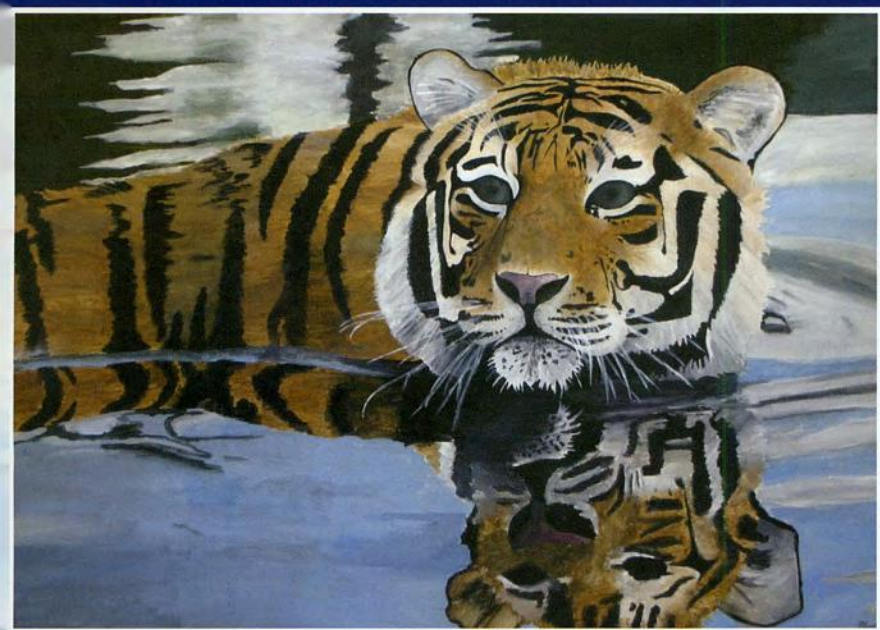
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