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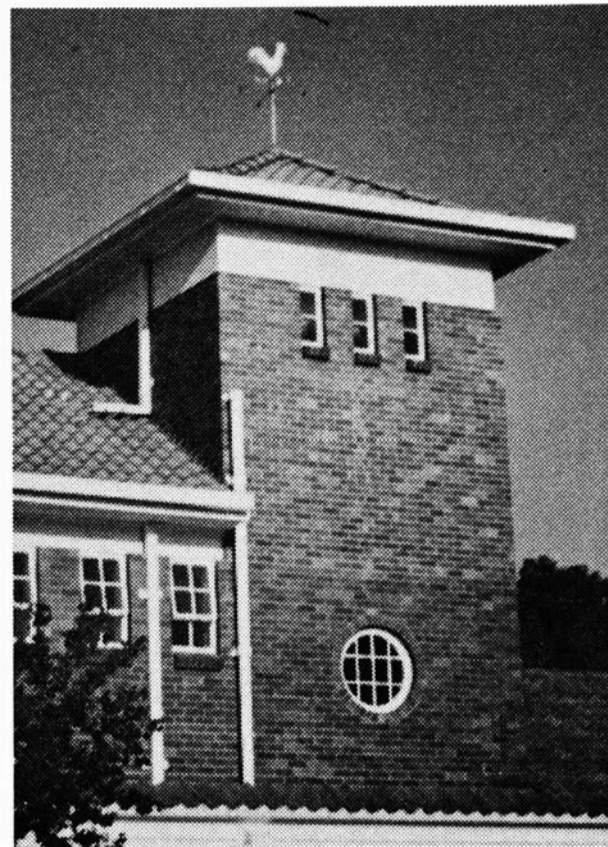
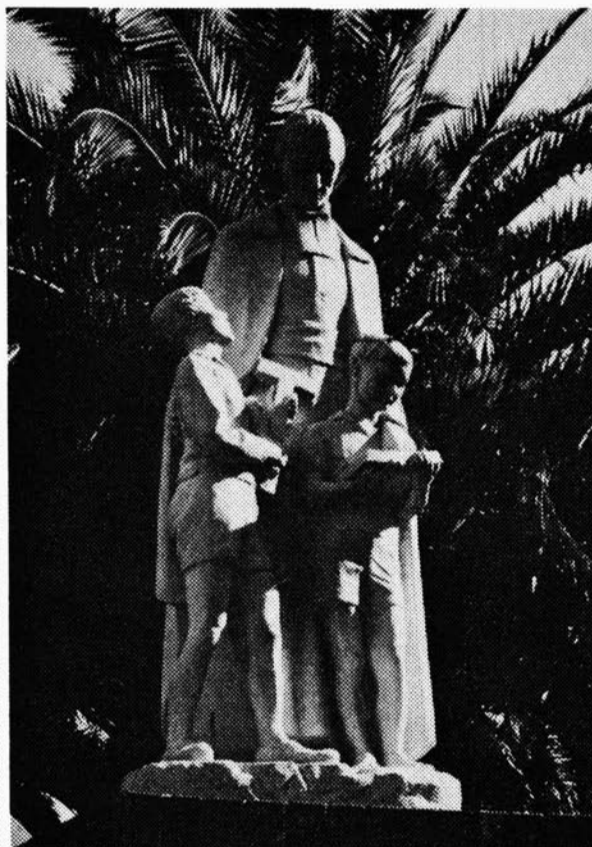
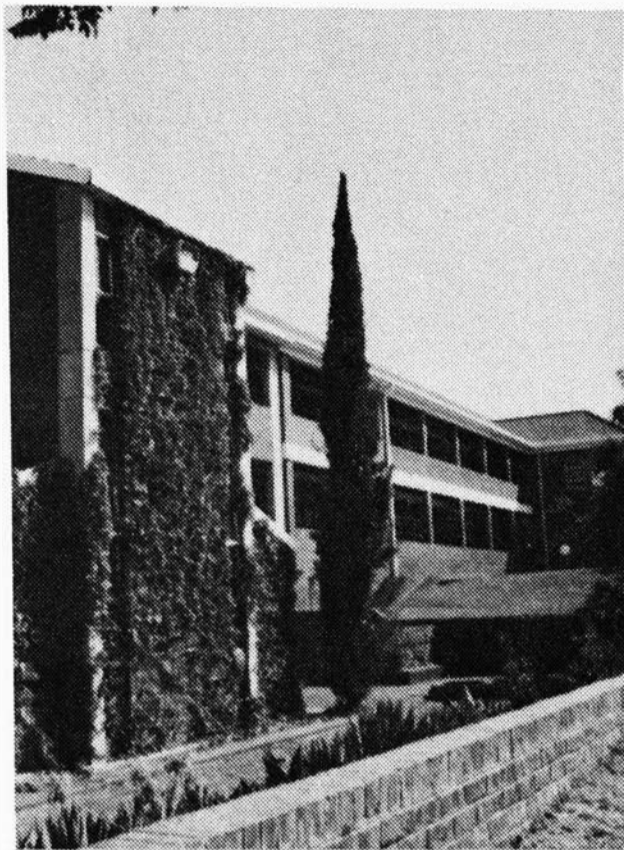
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*Consecration to the Blessed Virgin*

*O Mary, Holy Virgin, my sovereign Lady, I place myself under thy salutary protection. To thee I commend the special care of my whole being, and I throw myself with confidence on the bosom of thy mercy. I consecrate and confide to thy maternal care my soul and body, this day, every day of my life, and at the hour of my death. To thee I commit all my hopes and consolations, my distresses and miseries, my life and the end thereof, that, through thy most holy intercession and thy precious merits, I may constantly perform my actions according to thy will and that of thy adorable Son. R Amen.*

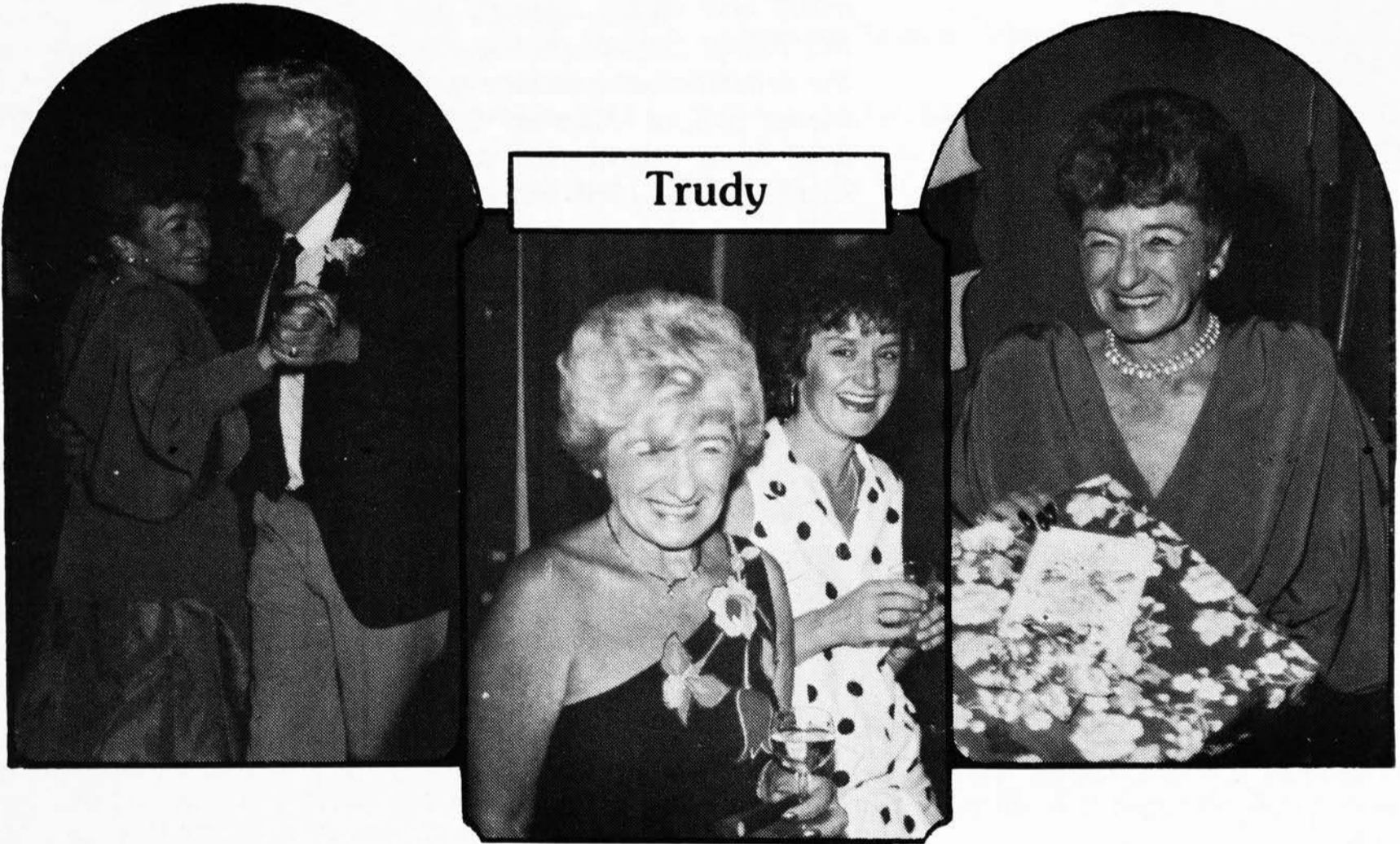


# Dedication

We dedicate the 1988 St David's College Review to our Vice-Head, Mrs Elliot for her outstanding service to St David's College. Her dry humour and inspired teaching helped boys in the school improve and appreciate English to the highest levels.

"For she is wise, if I can judge of her,  
And fair she is, if that mine eyes be true,  
And true she is, as she hath proved herself,  
And therefore, like herself, wise, fair and true,  
Shall she be placed in (our) constant soul."

The Merchant of Venice  
Act II, Sc.iv



## To Mrs Elliot



With a black-gowned flourish  
This tiny figure appears  
Smart  
Trim  
Bespectacled  
She's been here for years  
In a voice  
So Scottish  
And oh so strong  
She teaches this St David's throng  
To sing  
To act  
To play the part  
Of being gentlemen,  
Of them,  
She's proud!  
'My boys, my boys!'  
No word against them is allowed.  
And now she is 'awa' that noo',  
Dear Mrs Elliot  
How could your boys ever forget you?







# ED'S NOTES

*I am happy to put before you a record of the many and varied interests and achievements at this Marist School during 1988. They make up the substance, the history and the tradition of the Marist School. I would like to thank all those who have contributed to the completion and success of the 1988 Review.*

*All involved at St David's College wish the readers of this Review a blessed Christmas and every happiness in the New Year.*

## Religious Notes

An important aim at St David's College is to make religion a **way of life** for both teachers and pupils — not only a subject that is taught or lip service in a church. Certainly, there are R.E. periods every day and input from Masses, Assemblies, retreats etc; but the aim is to make the **whole** atmosphere at school a religious one so that it can influence all aspects of the pupils' lives and attitudes. For this reason it is stressed that "an **ounce** of good example is worth more than a **ton** of words."

The R.E. department is very fortunate to have a large collection of excellent source material and teaching aids available to the teachers in the RE room, and the Religious Co-ordinator is available to assist any teachers who may need help or special material. The R.E. room is a quiet, carpeted room, conducive to reflection and study and is often used by the senior classes for meditation.

Slotted into the school timetable are class confessions and class Masses each term. The fulltime College Chaplain, Father Brewer, is available at all times to counsel both junior and senior pupils. Indeed a structured programme of "individual counselling" by Father Brewer has been implemented for the Senior school. His advice and very presence is invaluable to all aspects of school life.

In order to foster family spirit, family Masses for each standard are held at intervals throughout the year. Marist families occasionally have christenings and weddings in the school chapel. Parents are also welcome to attend the First Friday Masses held each month.

A very important event each year is the First Holy Communion day of the Standard I Catholic pupils.

Parents and friends attend this very special Mass which is then followed by a short celebration. The standard 9 pupils are also prepared for a special day — their Confirmation day. They are encouraged to be confirmed in their own parishes.

The spiritual growth of the boys is enriched by retreats which are held for the boys in Standard 5 – 10. That of the teachers is also fostered by days of reflection and prayer. The school was also paid a visit by Brother Othmar who gave the senior boys individual counselling. Another highlight of the year was the two week long visit of the Father Luke Fay from Australia who said a special Mass for each class from Standard 7 – 10.

During the various seasons of the Church's year there are appropriate religious activities: the stations of the cross during Lent, the Rosary during the month of May and so on. There is also an "Altar-Boys club every Friday after school where the Altar boys are trained and encouraged in their spiritual life.

The faith of the pupils is also given the opportunity to be expressed through action — largely in the activities of the Co-Workers who have the well known "prayer of St Francis" as their guiding prayer. The Co-Workers involve themselves in projects helping those in need and fostering a Christian community spirit.

Special attention is given to the Matric boys. A Mass is said to pray for their success in the matric exam and then there is the Matric Valedictory Mass to bid them farewell.

Thus under the patronage of Our Lady, Marist Inanda strives to help its pupils follow in the footsteps of their leader, Jesus Christ.

A L Jenks  
RE Co-Ordinator



# Altar Boy's

The altar boys' club has grown in numbers to about 20 boys. They are to be congratulated on their enthusiasm and reliability and the good example that they give to their peers.

Once a week they practise serving for Mass and Miss Jenks is most grateful to the older altar boys who give her such good-humoured, invaluable assistance at each practice. They also occasionally have a quiz (regarding the vestments, etc.) the reading of saint stories and prayers.

It is very pleasing to see that a large number of this year's first communicants have become altar boys; and it is most inspiring to note the frequent visits they make to the Chapel during break and before school.

A L Jenks

## An Altar Boy's Prayer

I feel very close to you every time I serve on the altar at church. Thank you very much for letting me be an altar boy, and let me always be respectful. Help me to be patient and kind to new altar boys. It would be nice if there were lots of altar boys in our churches.

Amen.

Stephen Laing – Standard 2

## Altar Boy's Prayer

Dear Lord, you are love  
Teach me to love

Dear Lord, you are peace  
Teach me peace

Dear Lord you care  
Teach me to care

Dear Lord you are kind  
Teach me to be kind

Dear Lord you are you.  
I am grateful

Brendan Elphick – Standard 4(o)

Dear God — We thank you for all the many wonderful things you have given us, but today we thank you especially for bringing us together as a Marist Family. We pray that through the intercession of blessed Marcellin Champagnat that the Marist Schools may continue to grow under your protection. We pray for your blessings on all those gathered here in your name and in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

AMEN.

Gareth Austin – Standard 6(a)

This lovely grace was said at the Champagnat Day Brothers, Priests and Staff lunch.



### ALTAR BOYS

*Back Row (left to right):* I Morgan; M Sing; G Davis; B Elphick; L Neto; M Fernhead  
*Middle Row:* D Letcher; J O'Haughey, M Elphick; A O'Neill; A L Jenks; A Buchanan; A Iorio; S Laing; C Chandler  
*Seated:* J Banda; B Dama; J Metcalf; G Geldenhuys; I Acott; R Morgan; D Davern; K Gore; J Ryan



# Marist Co-Workers

## For St David's Marist College A First!!

(Ascension Day pilgrimage to Slough)

Father Bernard Brewer, the Jesuit Chaplain of St David's Marist College, celebrated Mass in Robert Moffat's historic and hallowed Church at Kuruman. The leading local Catholics who attended, Chris Warner and Marist Brother Anthony, are sure that this was the first Catholic Mass celebrated in this Church in 160 years.

The Putco busload of St David's families and pupils, with a Catholic driver, enjoyed the very special Mass as part of a tour. Perhaps it could be called a pilgrimage: they stayed at Moffat's Mission and visited the Marist Brother's Mission at Slough. This mission is 83 km away in a sandy semi-desert resettlement area.

The 61 pilgrims revelled in three days of Christian fellowship and togetherness. Rev David Booysen, a Congregational Minister from Wrenchville (another resettlement area) gave a lovely Evensong in the old Church. His choir of shy but very warm and loving people, punctuated the service, a supper and on the second night a braai, with divine hymn singing. Choristers from Rev Alan Butler's Anglican congregation,

joined the braai. They contributed some lovely soul hymns and their friendly company.

All of the pilgrimage was not happy-making, gratifying or uplifting. Pilgrims saw first hand the sufferings of the victims of the population explosion: Broken families after broken family existing in an ecologically disaster area.

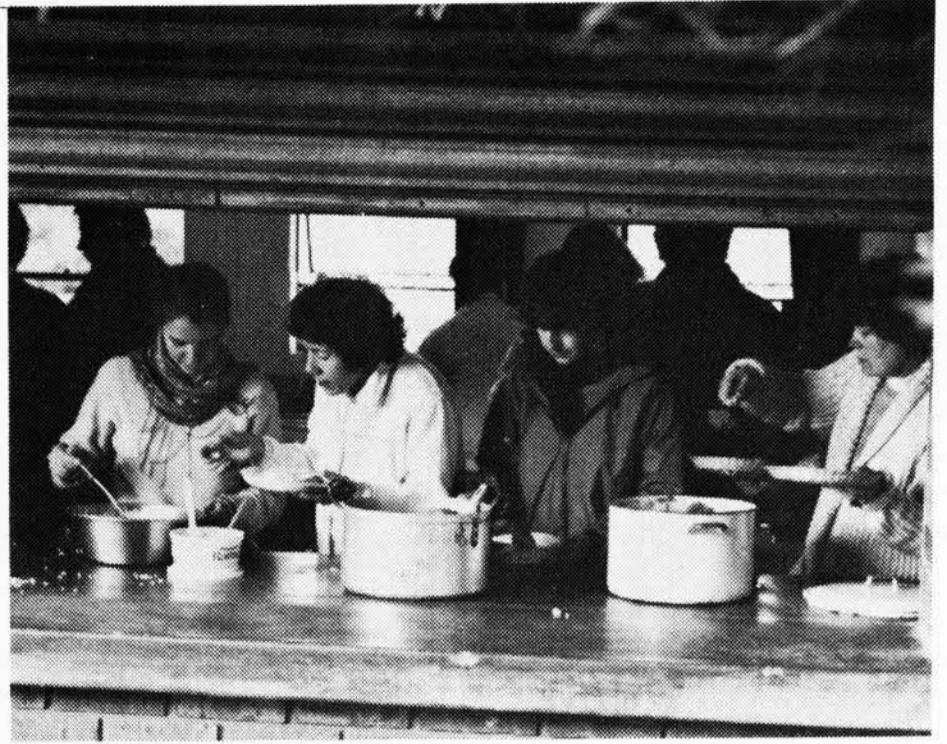
This experience forced the asking of questions like "Was all the misery caused by racism enshrined in our laws?" "Are the sad circumstances under which these resettled people live, only worsened or exacerbated by white South African laws?" At least the latter deserves the answer yes! and as Christians the group acknowledged this. Those who are disinherited, discriminated against and who live in poverty and deprivation must know at least of a Christian sympathy. They must know that you support them and care, if only through the Church or its Brothers. Surely as Christ would have you do!

Thanks go to Putco whose sponsorship made this family venture possible. The group hopes that much good will result. In particular that other groups will visit mission stations to learn from the same scaring unsettling resettlement experience.

T Oliver – Marist Co-Workers







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*HELEN SUZMAN'S ADDRESS*



Mrs. Suzman addressed the Standard 8, 9 and 10 pupils in the Auditorium on current affairs. With her vast knowledge and thirty-five years of parliamentary experience, Mrs. Suzman's talk was as interesting and enlightening as one expected, and we were gratified that the boys showed their awareness of the current situation in South Africa by asking intelligent questions!



# Confirmation Group



## CONFIRMATION

*Back Row (left to right):* A Parsons; C Du Trevou; F Barnard; R Nunes; A Halliday; D Bietrix; R Berardo  
*Middle Row:* H Geddes; N Nader; D Layden; R Moy; R Stirling; E Morais; P Vidas; I Cordano; L Pagan; L Brebnor  
*Seated:* S Hackner; S Wageng; M Cathrall; Q Loo; Fr Brewer S J; S Ngwenya; P Egan; M Reidy; G Garcia  
*Absent:* J Patuel

## Sifiso is Sandton's junior mayor!

A sixteen-year-old schoolboy has made history in an élite white town by being elected as the first ever black junior mayor there.

Sifiso Ngwenya, who lives in Diepkloof, Soweto, was this year elected by other high school pupils in Sandton as the town's junior mayor.

Sifiso is a standard nine pupil at Marist Brothers' High School in affluent Hyde Park, north of Johannesburg.

Says Sifiso: "My sole aim in offering my services was to attempt to bridge the gap between black and white youths, by creating a climate of mutual understanding, friendships and inter-relationships."

To achieve this, Sifiso hopes to establish a multiracial taxi service to ferry scholars around Sandton.

And although this may seem like a daunting task, for Sifiso it is merely one of his many duties. As head of the non-racial council of forty — there are four Indians and 35 white serving members — Sifiso's task is to serve the needs and interests of the Sandton community by raising funds for charitable organisations such as The Twilight Children, the SPCA, SHAP, Cripple Care and a host of others.

Functions lined up for this year include a jumble sale, book and cake sales, fashion shows, a debutantes' ball and a music festival.

Sifiso aims to read for a degree in computer science after he matriculates and then hopes to embark on a post-graduate course in computers overseas.



## SANDTON JUNIOR TOWN COUNCILLORS AND THE PRINCIPAL OF ST DAVID'S COLLEGE

*Seated (left to right):* L Brebnor (16); M Germishuys (15);  
 C Wharton-Hood (15)  
*Standing:* S Ngwenya (16); D Boswell



# Message from the Chairman of the Board of Governors

In an earlier address to the PTA I referred to St David's as "standing poised at the start of a new beginning". I said this because I believed the College was settling down after some difficult years and finally was beginning to display some of its vast potential. It was coming back into its own with success in many fields, especially academic and sport.

The Board has encouraged and nurtured this re-awakening and devoted much time to the future development of the College. This framework crystallised in the concept of "Service through Leadership", a credo aimed at encouraging all the pupils to develop their full human potential in a College of Catholic character and discipline.

It is still a framework and more discussion and development is required to bring together all the elements of this special programme, which we have also referred to as the "fifth dimension". Apart from the age-old dimensions of education, namely spiritual, academic, sporting and cultural, we have added another in our commitment to the development of every pupil's leadership potential and to their specific training in leadership skills.

The world today is focused on the individual, while the Catholic Church has always focused on the community and its need for service to that community; hence our own commitment to the community and our initiation of the concept of "Service through Leadership."

Change is very much part of today's lifestyle and all of us are learning to cope with change. St David's is no exception. Mr Boswell has left us for new pastures after nine years with the College. During his three years as Headmaster he focused particularly on the academic front and we saw some tangible results. For all his efforts and contribution during his time with us, I and my colleagues on the Board thank him most sincerely and wish him happiness and success in his new life.

We also say farewell to Mrs Trudy Elliott who is retiring at the end of this year after fourteen years service to the College. We are truly indebted to her for her participation in and development of the English Department and the cultural dimensions of the College. We are grateful too for her guiding hand as Acting Head in the final term of this year. Trudy and her husband, Dr Jimmy Elliott, will be retiring to their cottage at the coast. My thanks and those of the Board go to her and we wish her and Jimmy every happiness in the future.

Finally, I welcome into our midst from January 1989 the new Headmaster, Mr Paul Davies. His experience and training well qualify him for his arduous role and the Board and I look forward to his arrival.

As we approach the end of the year, the Board and I wish you a Blessed Christmas and joy and happiness in the New Year.

K D Brewer



THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS



# SENIOR SCHOOL

## MATRICULATION RESULTS: 1987

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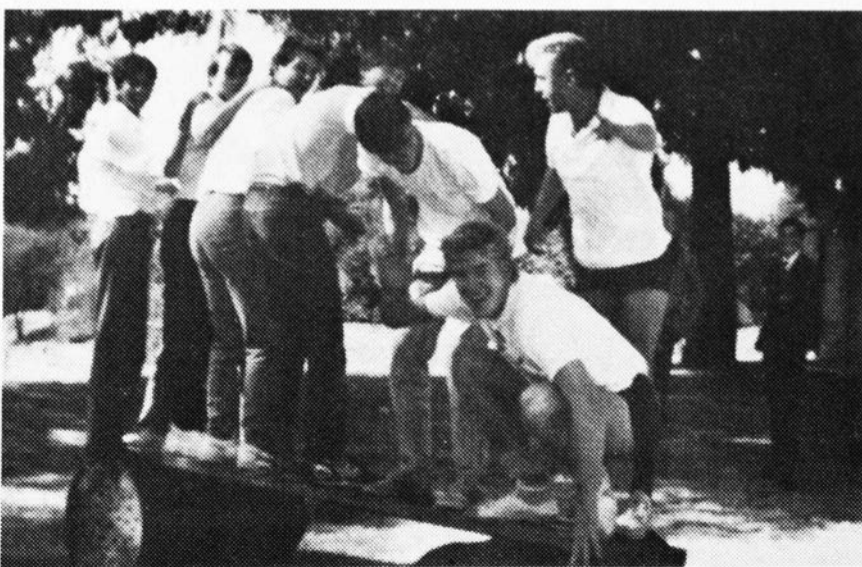
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Carr J	Muller G
De Nicola M	Palmer K (English, Biology, Science)
Farinha J P	Saks D (Mathematics, Geography)
Forsman W (History)	Seebregts A
Grindley P	Shuenyane K
Halliday I	Van den Handel J (Biology)
Hearfield P	Whitehead S
Hiebler P	Wijtenburg D
Kiggell L	Zenopoulos J
Loo D (Additional Math- ematics; Mathematics)	
Lucas D	
Maraschin S	

### Passed without conditional exemption

Gosai K	Sapseid P (English)
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### Passed without university exemption

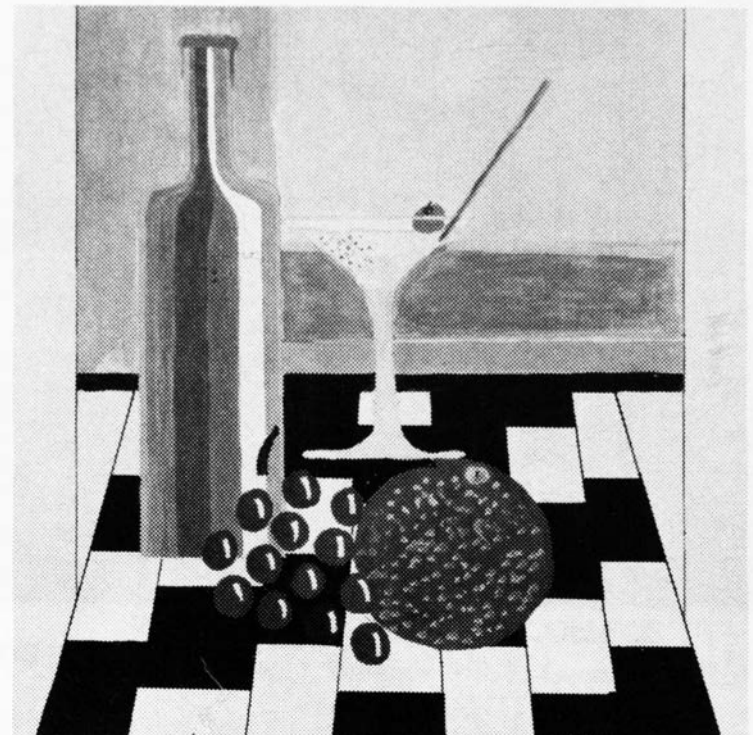
Andreka J	Orr G
De Wet J	Parsons M
Graham G	Simms C



*Champagnat Day celebrated on the sixth June. Some of the matrics taking part in Initiative Activities, certainly looks like they are having great fun.*

## MATRICULATION PRIZES: 1987

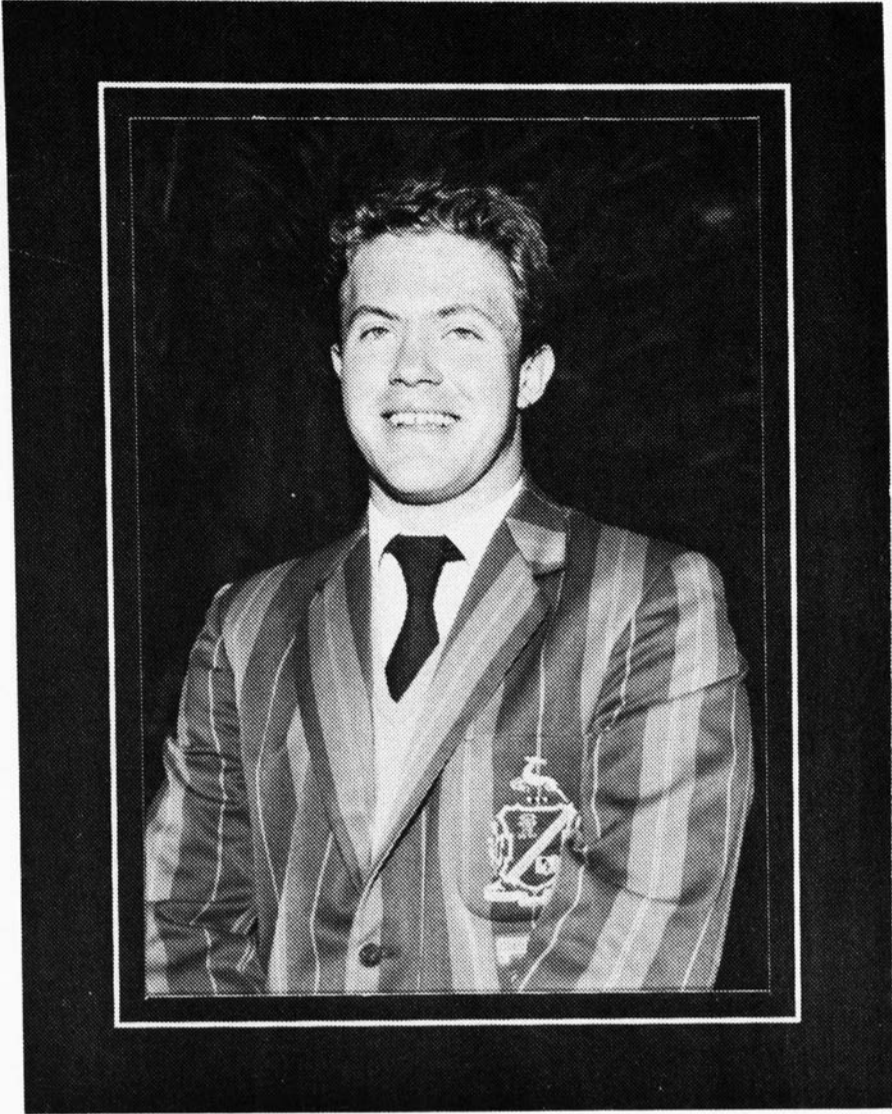
<b>Cricketer of the Year Award</b> (Presented by Mr Finlayson)	Peter Sapseid
<b>Sportsman of the Year</b> <b>Desmond Schatz Trophy</b> (Presented by Mr Finlayson)	Peter Sapseid
<b>Phillimore English Trophy</b> (Presented by Mrs Elliot)	Billy Forssman
<b>Afrikaans Prize</b> (Presented by Mrs De Wet)	Jan van den Handel
<b>Ryder Bowl for Mathematical Achievement</b> (Presented by Mr Oliver)	Derek Loo
<b>Additional Mathematics</b> <b>Walter Cronje Trophy</b> (Presented by Walter Cronje)	Derek Loo
<b>Physical Science</b> <b>The Michael Science Trophy</b> (Presented by Mr Moore)	Derek Loo
<b>Biology Prize</b> (Presented by Miss Glyn-Thomas)	Jan van den Handel
<b>The Thomas McFadden Trophy for History</b> (Presented by Mr Boswell)	Jan van den Handel
<b>Geography Prize</b> (Presented by Mr De Souza)	Dion Saks
<b>Lynn Stuart Memorial Trophy for Academic Achievement</b> (Presented by Mr Boswell)	Kenneth Palmer
<b>B R Hunt Scholarship Trophy</b> <b>For Dux of the School</b> (Presented by Mr Boswell)	Dion Saks
<b>Old Boys Trophy</b> (Presented by Father Brewer)	Peter Sapseid
<b>Osmond Cup for Leadership</b> (Presented by Mr Boswell)	Billy Forssman



J Lamb — Standard 7



# MESSAGE FROM THE HEADBOY



It has been a great honour to have served as Head Prefect of St David's College for the last year and it was with a tremendous sense of pride in our school that I carried out the duties of this appointment.

In dealing with all the tasks and problems, I always received tremendous support and co-operation from Roderick Stirling and Mark Allen, the Vice Head Prefects, as well as from the Prefects. I wish also to thank all the pupils from grade 0 to Matric who have made my year extremely rewarding.

This year our theme was persistence and determination. To be persistent and determined means that one should never give up fighting to give of one's best. This year we were successful. On the sportsfield there was a vast improvement which involved four sporting tours and a new, revived and growing spirit. There was a revival made to Debating and Public Speaking and members of the Business Game took us into the quarter finals.

I would like to thank all the teaching staff of St David's College for their persistence and determination, encouraging the matrics throughout the year. I shall remember with gratitude the encouragement and guidance given to me during these memorable years.

Although at the end of this year St David's is to undergo some change by losing some of the basic brick and mortar of the establishment, namely Mr Boswell and Mrs Elliot, it must be remembered that just because everything is different does not mean anything has changed.

I wish St David's every success in the future and my message to the young men who follow in my footsteps and those of my predecessors is to **take up the challenge**.

**"Take Courage and be a Man"**. Leadership is **action**, not position.

*Sean Johnstone – Headboy 1988*

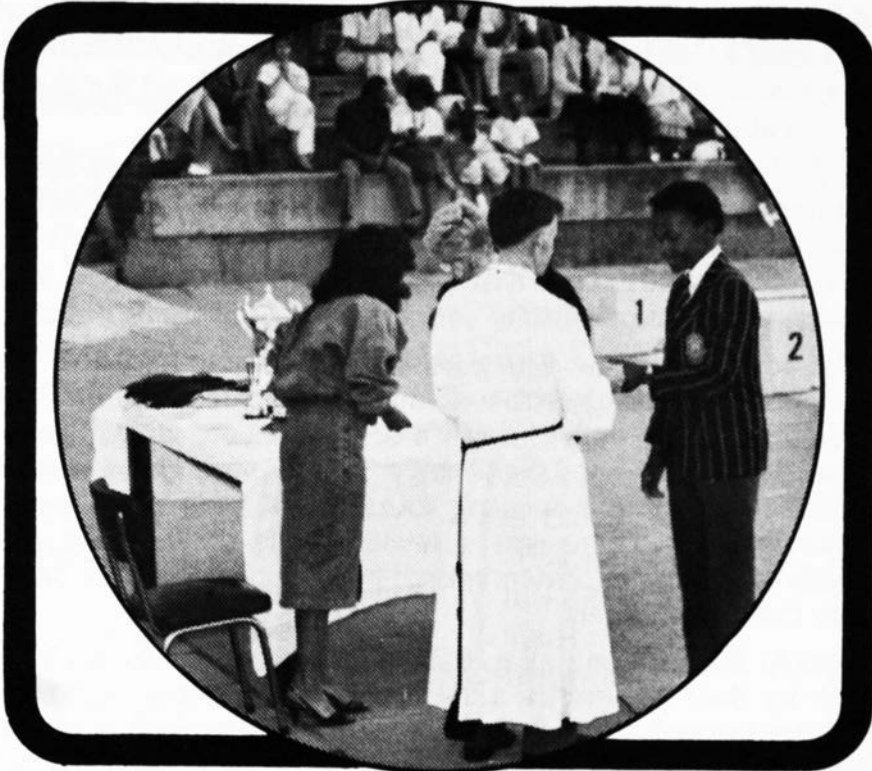


## PREFECTS

*Back Row (left to right): G Genovese; C Moraitis; A Bouilliant; F Taddei; J Khoury*  
*Middle Row: G Ford; R Stirling (vice-head); M Allen (vice-head); Mrs T Elliot; S Johnstone (head-boy); B Steele; R Murabito*



# Prize Giving



This year we decided to change the venue of Prize Giving, and the time of the function was also moved to the end of the Academic Year.

The Prize Giving was held at the Swimming Pool and because of the change in date there was no guest speaker. However, Mr Boswell addressed the pupils and parents. Sean Johnstone was named Headboy for which he received his Honours Blazer, and Mark Allen and Roderick Stirling were nominated vice-Headboys.

The new Prefects took their pledges which was a fitting conclusion to a dignified ceremony.

## PRIZE GIVING 1987

### STANDARD SIX

First Prize  
Second Prize  
Third Prize

#### First Prize and the Brother Edwin Dux of Std 6

E Hodgson Jervis  
W Shuenyane  
G Jerman

#### Subject Prizes (Brother Pius Medals)

English	W Shuenyane
Afrikaans	V Müller
Zulu	W Shuenyane
Mathematics	B Levick and L Mocci
Science	C Kyriakakis
Biology	W Shuenyane
History	J Mantovan
Geography	L Mocci
Art	S Zimelka
Technical Drawing	L Mocci
Good Progress Prize	K Stirling

### STANDARD SEVEN

First Prize  
Second Prize  
Third Prize

#### First Prize and The Davis Cup of Std 7

A Fivaz  
V Gore  
M Slattery

### Subject Prizes (Brother Pius Medals)

English	B O'Brien
Afrikaans	S Wach
Zulu	Q Mdlulwa
Mathematics	V Gore
Science	C McCluckie and M Slattery
Biology	M Slattery
History	V Gore
Geography	V Gore
Art	M Slattery
Technical Drawing	O Hesketh-Maré
Good Progress Prize	T Fiore

### STANDARD EIGHT

First Prize  
Second Prize  
Third Prize

#### First Prize and the O'Connor Dux

S Ngwenya and W Müller  
—  
Q Loo

#### Subject Prizes (Brother Pius Medals)

English	S Ngwenya
Afrikaans	S Ngwenya
Mathematics	W Müller
Science	Q Loo
Biology	Q Loo
History	S Ngwenya
Geography	Q Loo
Art	F Barnard
Good Progress Prize	S Wageng

### STANDARD NINE

First Prize  
Second Prize  
Third Prize

#### First Prize and the Brother Urban Dux

M Allen  
G Ford  
S Johnstone

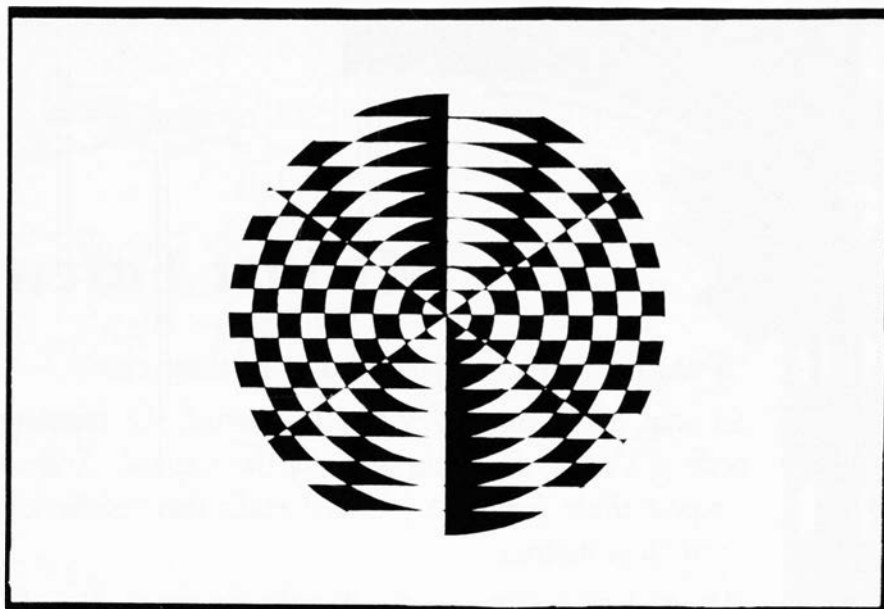


## Subject Prizes

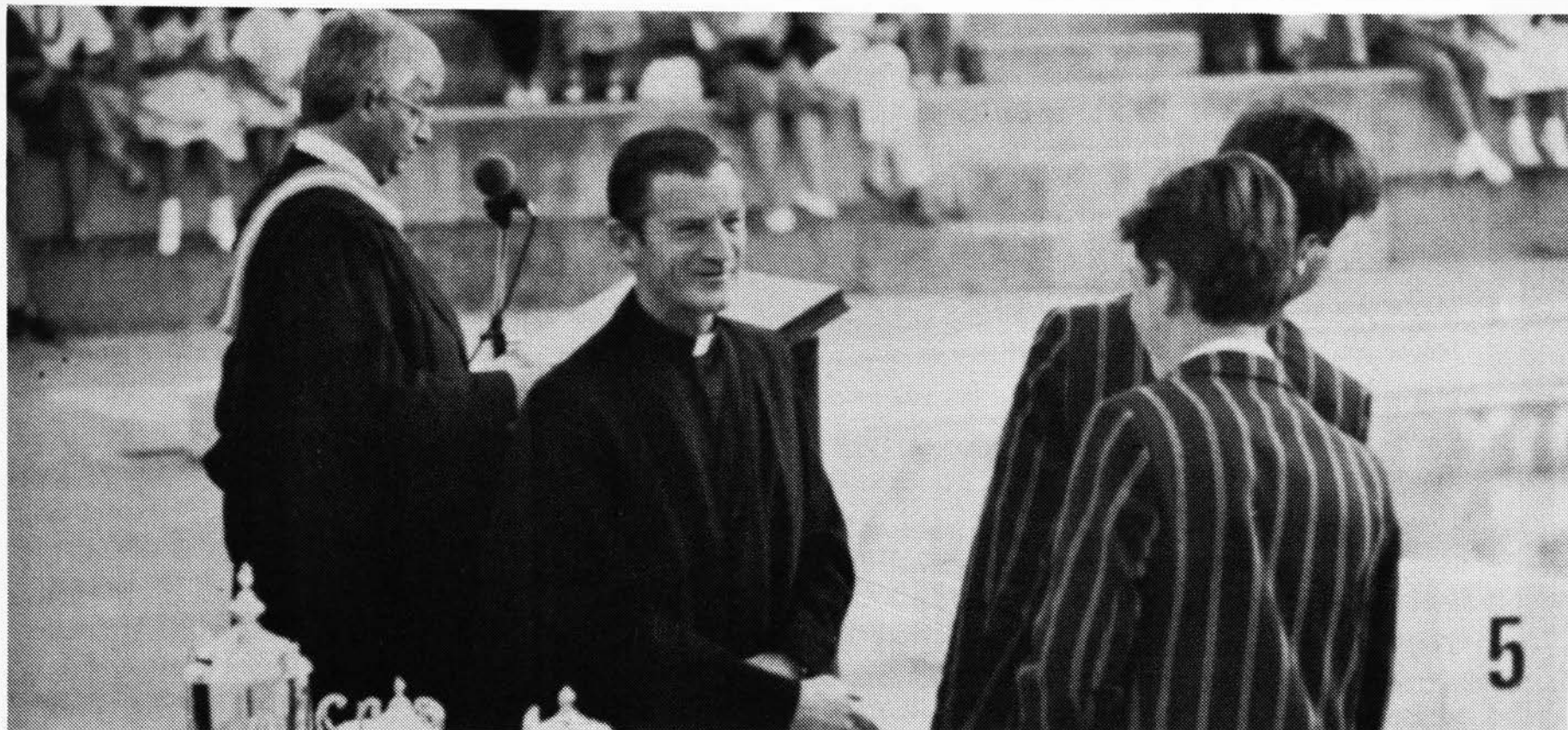
English	M Allen
Afrikaans	B Steele
Mathematics	G Ford
Science	G Ford
Biology	M Allen
History	M Allen and J Khoury
Geography	A Bouilliant
Art	L Notman
The Seed Trophy for Afrikaans	B Steele
Good Progress Prize	D Wood

## Studies Scrolls (70% and over)

M Allen	A Bouilliant
G Ford	S Johnstone
H Parbhoo	B Steele
R Stirling	



C Green — Standard 7



## Religion Prizes

### Senior School

Std. 6	— Anthony Coode
Std. 7	— Jean-Paul Renouprez
Std. 8	— Brett Spindler
Std. 9	— Brian Steele

### Academic Ties

#### Standard Eight (80% and over)

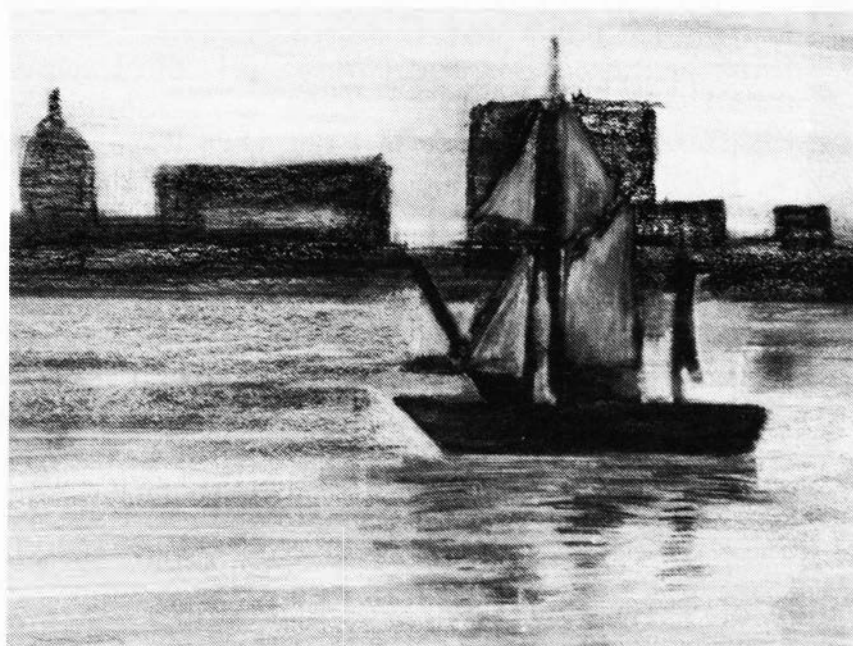
Q Loo	W Müller
N Nader	S Ngwenya
G Turner	

#### Standard Nine (75% and over)

M Allen	G Ford
S Johnstone	

### Prefects' Pledges

M Allen	A Bouilliant
G Ford	G Genovese
S Johnstone	J Khoury
C Moraitis	R Murabito
R Retzlaff	B Steele
R Stirling	F Taddei



M Thrasher — Standard 7



## My last Farewell to the Matrics

"If you have tears — prepare to shed them now"

So said Mark Antony when he carried the bleeding body of Caesar on to the steps of the Capitol. And so I repeat these words to you as I make this valediction to my last matrics.

We are here tonight to give thanks for the year of the matrics and to honour the legend. And we take pride in remembering these young men — with hope in their hearts and courage in their soul.

You came here tonight for a valediction — to hear a speech — happen to be mine. But I want to make more than a speech. I want to appeal to you about your future lives. I want to compare these future lives to running a race. It will be hard — requiring concentration of energy and dedication of soul. But who am I to say have faith in the face of realities?

Maybe you worry about passing matric!

Maybe you worry about finding a job!

Maybe you'll be tripped in the race . . . but you must get up, man, get up!

You must find those two other coins!

How will you treat the realities of life?

Will you grin and bear it . . . or run them off their feet.

Yes, young men, you are the elite and you are expected to behave as such.

Don't let your approach be too plebian.

Is every inch of the existence of mankind, from birth to death a bargain across a counter?

Were you made in the cheapest market and have to sell yourself in the dearest?

Were you to be in all things regulated and governed by fact?

No! God made you for a purpose.

I take the matric list and I run down it . . . Name after name which I cannot read without emotion.

Names that are not only names to any of us here tonight.

I see face after face full of honesty and goodness — zeal and vigour and intellectual promise . . . The glory of St David's and they worked and played for St David's and everything St David's stands for.

Sean Johnston — our Head Boy, who led the school in 1988, his two young lieutenants, Mark Allen and Roderick Stirling who so ably supported him. The prefects — chosen for their qualities of leadership and awareness. I see the names of boys who shone in sports, Philip Hayward, Patrick Kneubler, D Wood, B Steele and our own Harold Abrahams, Philip Wrightson. I see the names of the boys who excelled in academic prowess: Hamesh Parbhoo, Mark Allen, Warren Flemmer, Glen Ford. I also see the names of the boys who made me laugh. Clive Reid, who didn't realise that Shakespeare had a sense of humour and a bawdy one at that, and I hope that I taught Clive some of the facts of life. Warren Flemmer, who thought that esprit de Corps had something to do with interior decorating — or that's how he spelt it anyhow. Mohammed Darsot, who claimed he could have made me a millionaire if I would only listen to his shady deals — for example, selling my tapes for R10 — Mohammed was going to take R8! I see the names of boys who tried and failed but tried again and again and passed. They will do well as will all of you.

And now I say to you — let each of you discover where your true chance of greatness lies . . . for the sake of St David's, your parents and yourselves let no power or persuasion deter you in your task.

There is no formula for winning the race of life.

Where does the power come from — to see the race to the end?

It comes from within.

Get your head back for

Behold the Kingdom of God is within you.

In committing yourself to the love of Christ.

Then that is how you run a straight race.

For young men can fall exhausted

But those who trust in the Lord for help

Will find their strength renewed

They will rise on wings like eagles

They will run and not get weary

They will walk and not grow weak.

Trudy Elliot





**Allen, Mark** (Lionél): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 12 years; Height 1,95 m; Weight 68 kg; Scrolls Vice Head Prefect, Studies, Merit, Cricket; Activities Rugby, Cricket, Athletics, Debating, Drama, Honours blazer.

**Ameen, Ashraf** (Idi): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 3 years; Height 1,70 m; Weight 55 kg; Activities Tennis, Squash; Ambition: Business Management.

**Arazym, Brendan** (Stompie): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,63 m; Weight 65 kg; Activities back disease; Ambition Managing Director.

**Bouilliart, Anthony** (Frog): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 12 years; Height 1,84 m; Weight 78 kg; Scrolls Studies, Prefect; Activities Rugby, Swimming, Athletics, Drama; Ambition Commercial Engineer, Honours blazer.

**Couper, Christian** (Liperachi): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 2 years; Height 1,83 m; Weight 85 kg; Activities Watersports, Athletics; Ambition Chartered Accountant.

**Cox, Craig** (Rooikop): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 6 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 60 kg; Scrolls Cultural; Activities Target Shooting, Hockey, Drama; Ambition Industrial Psychologist.

**Cornelson, Carl** (Komoetie): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 7 years; Height 1,7 m; Weight 65 kg; Activities Swimming; Ambition Graphic Designer or Teacher.

**Darsot, Mohammed Irshaad** (Mouth): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 6 years; Height 1,95 m; Weight

±58 kg; Activities Basketball, Athletics, Swimming; Ambition Chartered Accountant.

**Flemmer, Warren** (Phloem): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 10 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 65 kg; Scrolls Study; Activities Rugby, Tennis, Horse-riding; Ambition

**Ford, Glen** (M.B.L. Chink): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 12 years; Height 1,68 m; Weight 64 kg; Scrolls Prefect, Studies; Activities Tennis, Captain of Chess, Debating Society, Captain of 2nd XV Rugby; Ambition Consulting Electrical Engineer, Honours blazer.

**Genovese, Giampaolo** (Shloop): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 11 years; Height 1,80 m; Weight 80 kg; Scrolls Prefect; Activities B-Swimming, Captain of 2nd Water Polo, 1st Team Rugby, Co-workers; Ambition Mechanical Engineer.

**Green, Simon Nicholas** (Ben Gurion): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,90 m; Weight 87 kg; Scrolls Rugby; Activities Rugby; Ambition To have money.

**Griffin, Neville George**: Age 17 years; Years at St David's 4 years; Height 1,75 m; Weight 65 kg; Activities Surfing; Ambition To be well off.

**Hayward, Philip Ian** (Zimbo): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 3 years; Height 1,93 m; Weight 88 kg; Scrolls Rugby; Activities Captain of 1st XV Rugby, 'B' Swimming, 1st and 2nd Water Polo; Ambition B.Com.



**Jackson, Paul** (Spaz): Age 17 years and 6 months; Years at St David's 13 years; Height 1,80 m; Weight 75 kg; Activities Swimming, Captain of 2nd Hockey; Ambition Engineering.

**Johnstone, Sean** (Moemfie): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 6 years; Height 1,85 m; Weight 84 kg; Scrolls Headboy, Studies, Merit; Ambition Entrepreneur, CMA.MBA.

**Khoury, John Paul** (Noah): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,75 m; Weight 74 kg; Scrolls Prefect, Merit, Rugby tie; Activities 1st XV Rugby, 2nd Water Polo, B Team Swimming; Ambition B.Com.

**Klein, Stephen** (Wing Nut): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,72 m; Weight 60 kg; Scrolls Hockey tie; Activities Art; Ambition To become a world famous artist.

**Kneubühler, Patrick** (Cass): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 12 years; Height 1,95 m; Weight 78 kg; Scrolls Swimming; Activities 1st Team Water Polo, 2nd Team Rugby, 'A' Swimming Team (Captain), Athletics; Ambition BA Social Sciences.

**Laher, Mohammed**: Age 17 years; Years at St David's 9 years; Height 5 ft 9 inches; Weight 56 kg; Activities Soccer, Squash, Tennis; Ambition To find myself and find inner peace.

**Littauer, Svend** (Mike J. Fox): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 4 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 63 kg; Activities Tennis, Squash; Ambition Lawyer.

**McManus, David** (Bruce Dundee): Age 18 years; Years at St David's Rotary Exchange Year; Height 1,78 m; Weight 62 kg; Activities Debating, Drama, Athletics; Ambition To have this year over again — Communications and Economics.

**Marek, Peter** (Koos): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 11 years; Height 1,75 m; Weight 72 kg; Activities Tennis, Hockey, Cycling; Ambition Mechanical Engineering.

**Moraitis, Christo** (Zorba): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 7 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 82 kg; Scrolls Prefect, Merit; Activities Rugby, Cricket, Debating; Ambition Lawyer.

**Mossa, Lorenzo** (Beach Ball): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 12 years; Height 1,6 m; Weight 62 kg; Scrolls Hockey tie; Activities Hockey 1st, Tennis 3rd, Squash, Basketball, Drama; Ambition Live life to the fullest.

**Murabito, Remo** (One-Arm): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 13 years; Height 1,78 m; Weight 80 kg; Scrolls Prefect, Rugby, Merit; Activities Rugby 1st, Cricket 2nd, Athletics; Ambition Physiotherapy, Honours blazer.

**Murdoch, Andrew** (Mad): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,95 m; Weight 85 kg; Scrolls Basketball; Activities Rugby, Athletics, Basketball, Swimming; Ambition

**Notman, Lourens** (Megasuck): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 2 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 65 kg; Activities 3rd Team Rugby, 2nd Team Hockey, Athletics; Ambition Architecture.

**Parbhoo, Hemesh** (Blackbeard): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 3 years; Height 1,78 m; Weight 63 kg; Scrolls Studies; Activities Tennis, Hockey; Ambition Dentistry.

**Patel, Yogesh** (Yogi): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 3 years; Height 1,73 m; Weight 55 kg; Activities Tennis, Hockey; Ambition Medical Doctor.

**Ralph, Edmund Thomas** (Micky Mouse): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 13 years; Height 1,77 m; Weight 77 kg; Scrolls Athletics; Activities Rugby 1st, Cricket 1st, Athletics 1st; Ambition Mechanical Engineering.

**Rees, Dean** (Bubble): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 6 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 80 kg; Activities First XV Rugby; Ambition Lawyer (B.A. LLB).

**Reid Clive**: Age 18 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,83 m; Weight 81 kg; Scrolls Athletics; Activities Swimming, Rugby; Ambition B.Com.

**Schäfers, Derrick** (Skyfies): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 7 years; Height 1,96 m; Weight 90 kg; Activities Tennis, Swimming; Ambition

**Steele, Brian Anthony** (Peewee): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 9 years; Height 1,78 m; Weight 66 kg; Scrolls Prefect, Studies, Cricket, Merit; Activities First XI Cricket (Captain), 2nd XV Rugby, Debating, Co-Workers; Ambition BA LLB — Rotary Exchange Student, Honours blazer.

**Stirling, Roderick** (Rabid Rod): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 8 years; Height 1,8 m; Weight 80 kg; Scrolls Vice-Head Prefect, Studies, Merit, Cultural; Activities 1st XV Rugby, 2nd Team Water Polo, 'B' Swimming Team (Captain), Debating, Drama, Co-Workers; Ambition M.B. CHB, Honours blazer.

**Suleman, Jusuf** (Zola): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 6 years; Height 1,88 m; Weight 53 kg; Activities Soccer, Tennis, Hockey, Cricket; Ambition Neuro Surgeon.

**Taddei, Fabio** (Sitting Bull): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 13 years; Height 1,89 m; Weight 92 kg; Scrolls Prefect; Activities Swimming 'B', Rugby 2nds, Drama; Ambition Engineer.

**Walsh, Mark** (Walvis): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 13 years; Height 1,87 m; Weight 70 kg; Activities Squash, Chess; Ambition B.Comm.

**White, Nicholas** (Mouse): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,75 m; Weight 65 kg; Activities Windsurfing, Motorrags, Squash; Ambition Engineering.

**Wood, David** (Lange): Age 17 years; Years at St David's 5 years; Height 1,93 m; Weight 84 kg; Scrolls Athletics; Activities Rugby 1st, Cricket 2nd, Athletics; Ambition To make money.

**Wrightson Philip** (Quiffy): Age 18 years; Years at St David's 3 years; Height 1,75 m; Scrolls Rugby and Athletics; Ambition Get rich, get married and live life to its "fullest".





### STANDARD 10 & 10 'A'

*Back Row (left to right):* S. Green; C Couper; F Taddei; P Marek; A Bouilliart; D Schäfers; A Murdoch; D Wood; P Haywood; P Kneubühler; C Moraitis; P Jackson; G Genovese  
*2nd Row:* W Flemmer; R Murabito; C Cox; M Darsot; N White; D Reese; M Walsh; C Reid; L Notman; H Parbhoo; S Littauer; E Ralph; P Wrightson; J Khoury  
*Seated:* Mr A de Souza; M Laher; D McManus; B Steele; M Allen; S Johnstone; R Stirling; G Ford; C Cornelson; Mrs M de Souza  
*Front Row:* S Klein; N Griffin; A Ameen; Y Patel; Y Suleman; B Arazym; L Mossa  
*Inset:* S Green.

### Matric Dance '88

This year's Matric Dance was a great success. All the fears and sceptism of the weeks preceding it were put to rest. Decorating the hall was, once again, a hurried job. But many sleepless nights and long evenings pulled us through. The hall was ready on time. The theme was a 'crash landing on a tropical island.' This time it was Honolulu. When the night finally arrived, the hall was in splendid hope. The evening was carried through without a hitch. The music was great, the food was good, the surrounding were great and the company excellent. The disco Toxic Sun provided the 'good vibes' and they catered for both the young and the 'old' (sorry teachers!). It was good seeing the teachers being themselves. This was also a special dance as it was the last that Mr Boswell, our headmaster for three years, would experience at St David's. The after party? Well . . . ?

A good time was had by all. I would like to thank Mrs de Souza, the Matric Dance Committee, Mrs Paula Hackner (chairwoman of the mothers' committee), all other parents who helped make the Matric Dance a success. Many thanks too to the Standard nine boys who gave up their time to decorate the hall (I was one of them!). We hope to have the same success, if not better, next year in 1989.

Sifiso Ngwenya – Standard 9

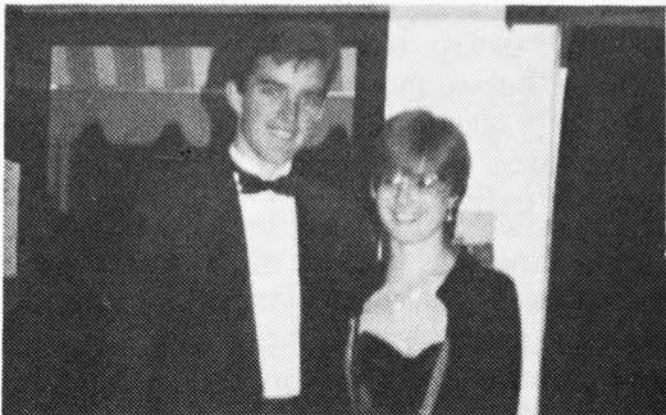
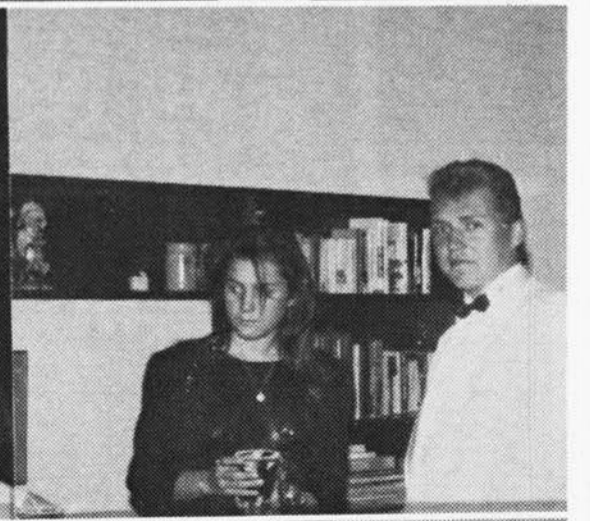
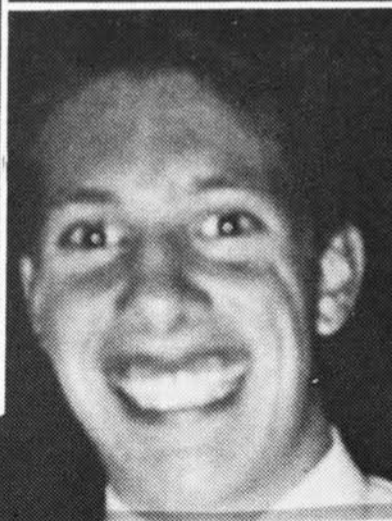
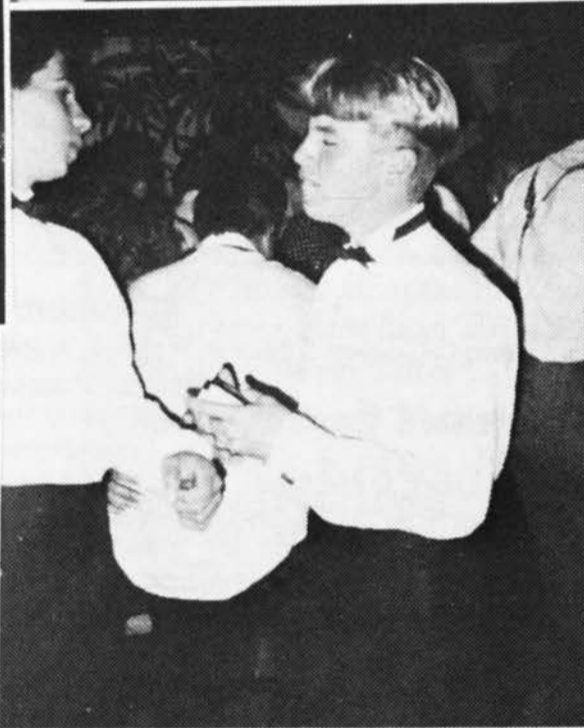
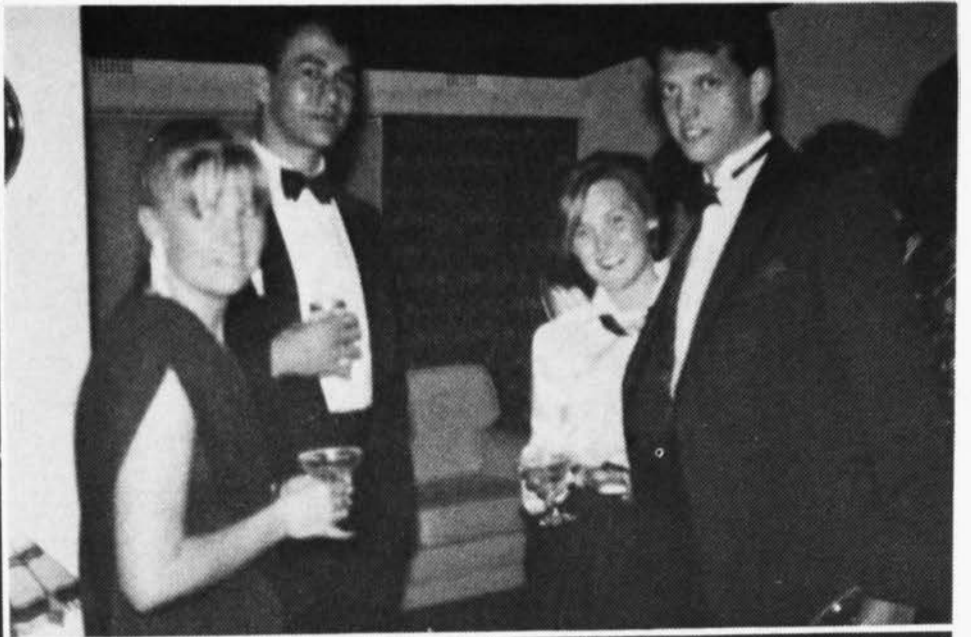


### MATRIC DANCE COMMITTEE

*Back Row (left to right):* A van den Heever; N Nader; B Bradbury  
*Seated:* S Hackner; Q Loo; W Müller; C Ashby; S Ngwenya  
*Inset:* P Garrioch.

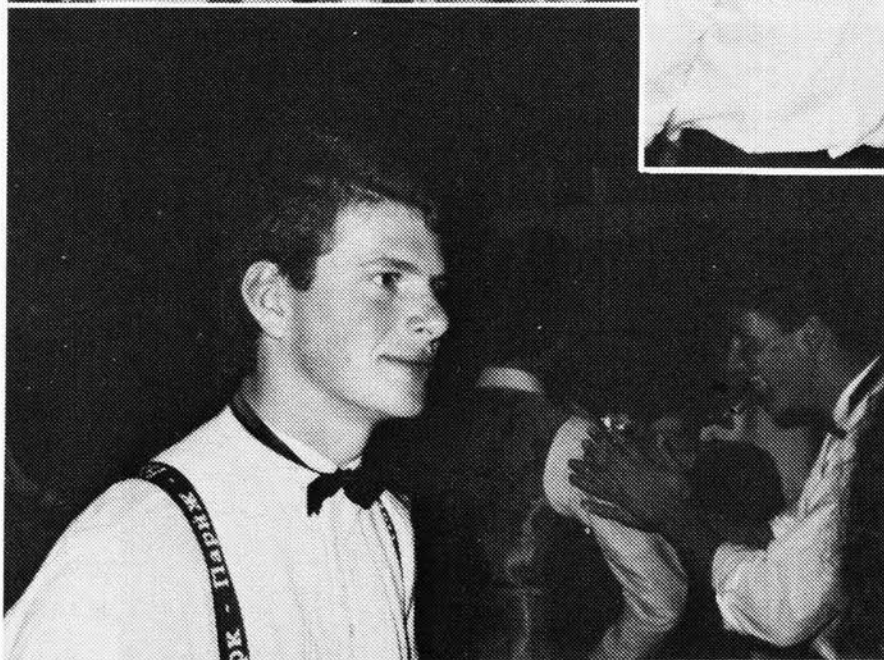
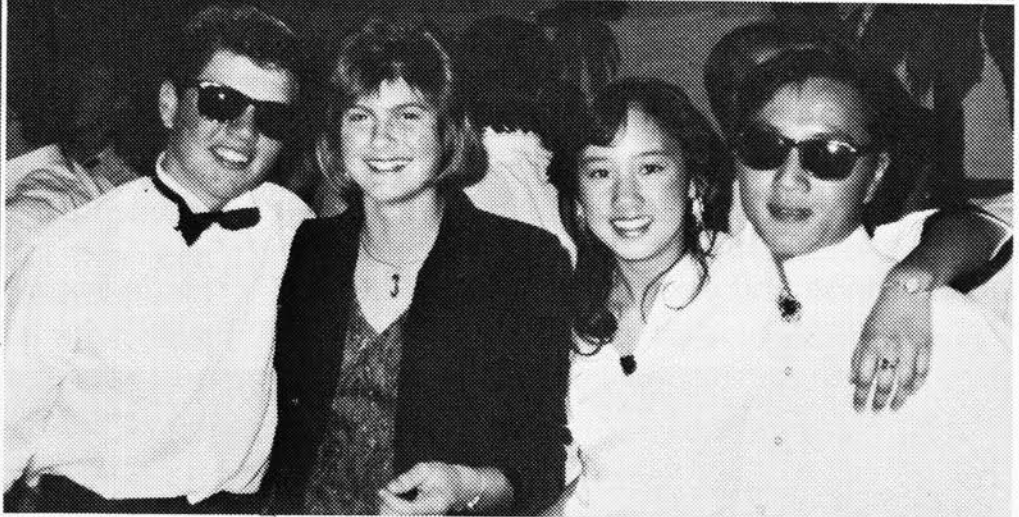
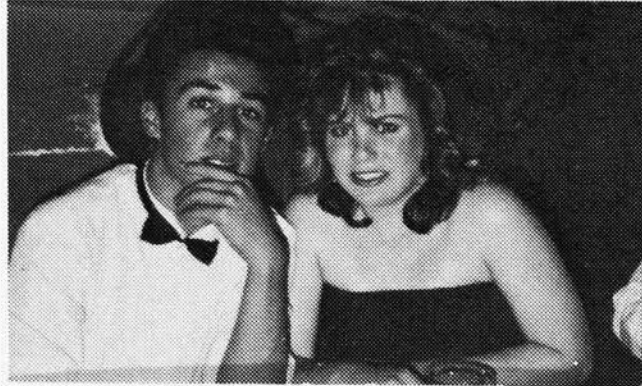


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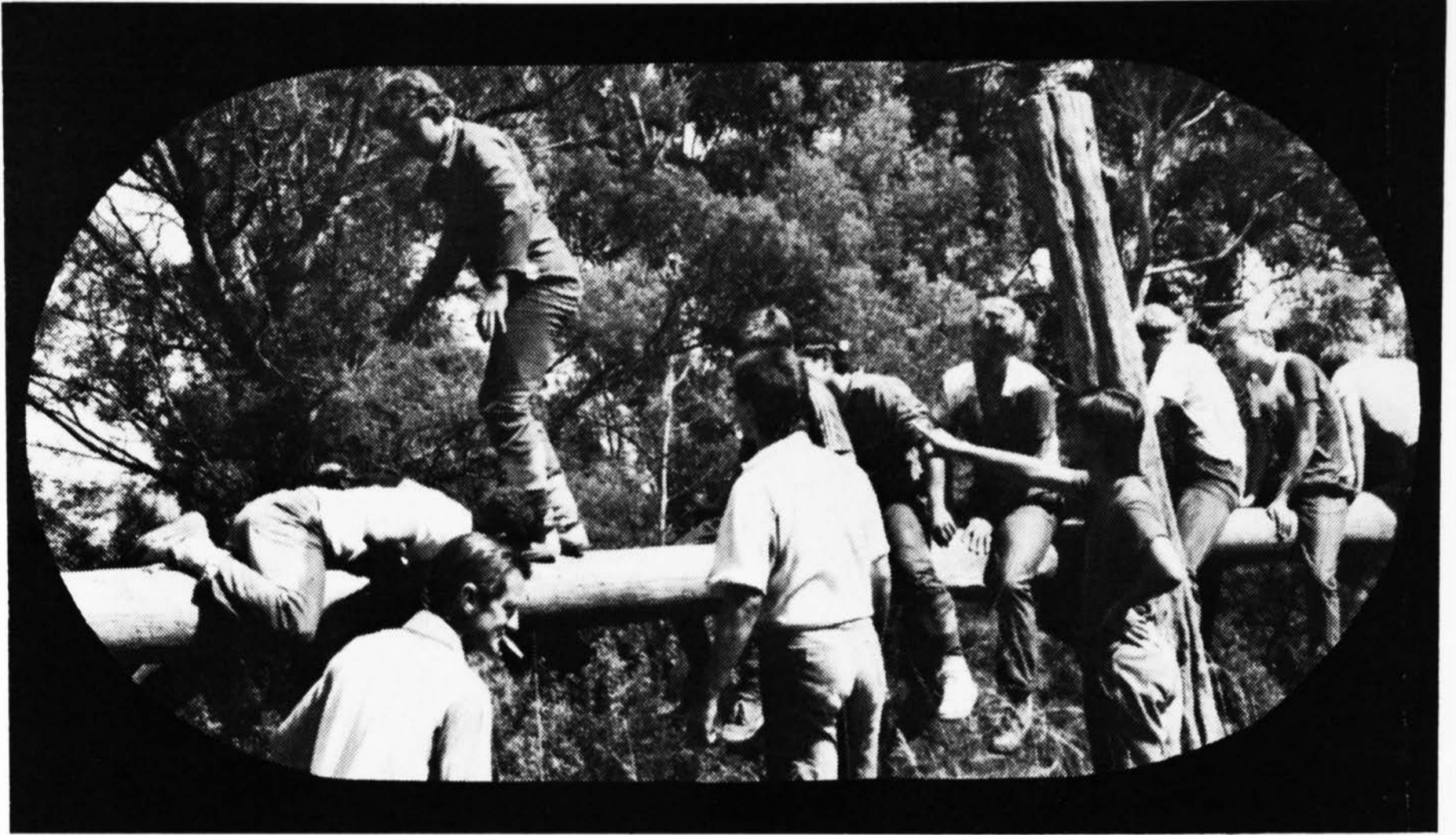


# Hot Off The Press





# Prefects' Camp



During the first weekend of the First Term, all the prefects left for Greystones to complete a prefects' course. After arriving for dinner at 19h00 two groups were formed and the programme for the weekend was outlined. The Friday evening included a brainstorming session, groupwork and a night hike.

The following Saturday morning involved a workout on the ropes and obstacle course. Rain then set in for most of the afternoon and evening, putting paid to an

orientation exercise, a solitaire experience and camping out under the stars. Sunday, after Mass, saw the completion of a set of initiative activities.

Lunch was taken at about 12h00. After lunch preparation was made to return to Johannesburg. Our thanks go to Father Brewer and Mrs M de Souza who accompanied us.

A de Souza





# Rotary Youth Exchangee Report



G'Day . . . or perhaps I should say "Goeiedag!" I have just been asked by your editor to write a report on my year in South Africa as an exchangee at St Davids. It would, however, be impossible for me to express to you, all that I have seen, learnt, felt and done in S.A. The following is but a fraction of my experiences.

I have been lucky this year to have travelled just about everywhere in your "bonza" (translation — "lekker") country. I have been from the far North of the Kruger and Kalahari Gemsbok Parks to Cape Town and Port Elizabeth in the South, from Upington and the West Coast to Swaziland and the East Coast. In all my travels in 1988 I was reminded of how geographically similar our two countries really are, and yet every place I visited seemed unique in it's own special way.

Just how much one learns on Youth Exchange can never properly be gauged. The responsibilities and situations that I have been placed in this year have forced me to grow and mature at an incredible rate — and they said it could never be done. South Africa, believe it or not, is a country of great controversy overseas but I do not believe that any person can comment on another country unless they have lived in that country for a period such as an exchange term. As an exchangee returning from South Africa, I see it as one of my duties to correct Australia's misconceptions of S.A.

After an action-packed year in the Republic, I will always feel as though it is my second home and St Davids my second school. I have made so many great friends, both in the St Davids community and outside . . . people that I will never forget. I hope to see most of you again, either in Oz or when I return to Africa.

I did so many different and fascinating things this year — from attempting to ride an ostrich to climbing up Table Mountain via Africa Face. Like my friendships, all that I involved myself in this year was both valuable and unforgettable.

In conclusion I would like to thank most sincerely all at St David's, especially my Headmaster Mr Boswell, for your generous hospitality and interest shown in my exchange.

Good luck, Brian Steele, in Oz next year. We will teach you to play the real sports of Rugby League and "Aussie Rules" next year.

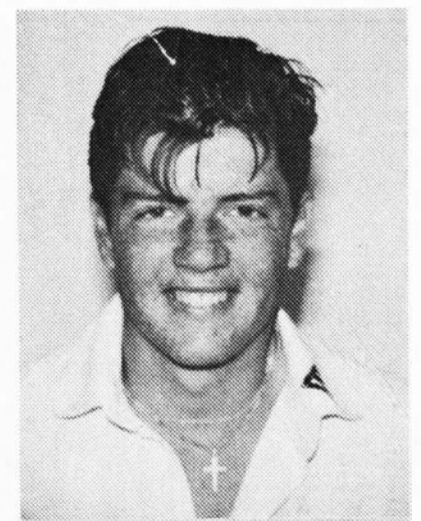
Good luck also to Kelvin Adams (Oz) at St Davids next. You're probably not going to need it!

P.S.: Any chance of having my year over again?

David McManus

## Brian Steele Youth Exchange Student . . . for 1989

I have been selected as a Rotary Youth Exchange Student for 1989. I will be representing my last club, Sandton, as well as district 930 of South Africa, in Australia, next year. I will be living in Taree, in New South Wales. Taree is a small town approximately 150 miles north of Sydney. Although it is quite small it is situated on a large river and is very near to some of the best surf along the coast. I am really looking forward to my trip and the experiences that lie ahead of me. I think it is a great opportunity to see another part of the world and to enjoy myself before I make my way to university. I would like to thank David Marblum for his help concerning Rotary and wish him the best of luck for the times to come.



Brian Steele



# Excursions

## The Capetown, Knysna Tour

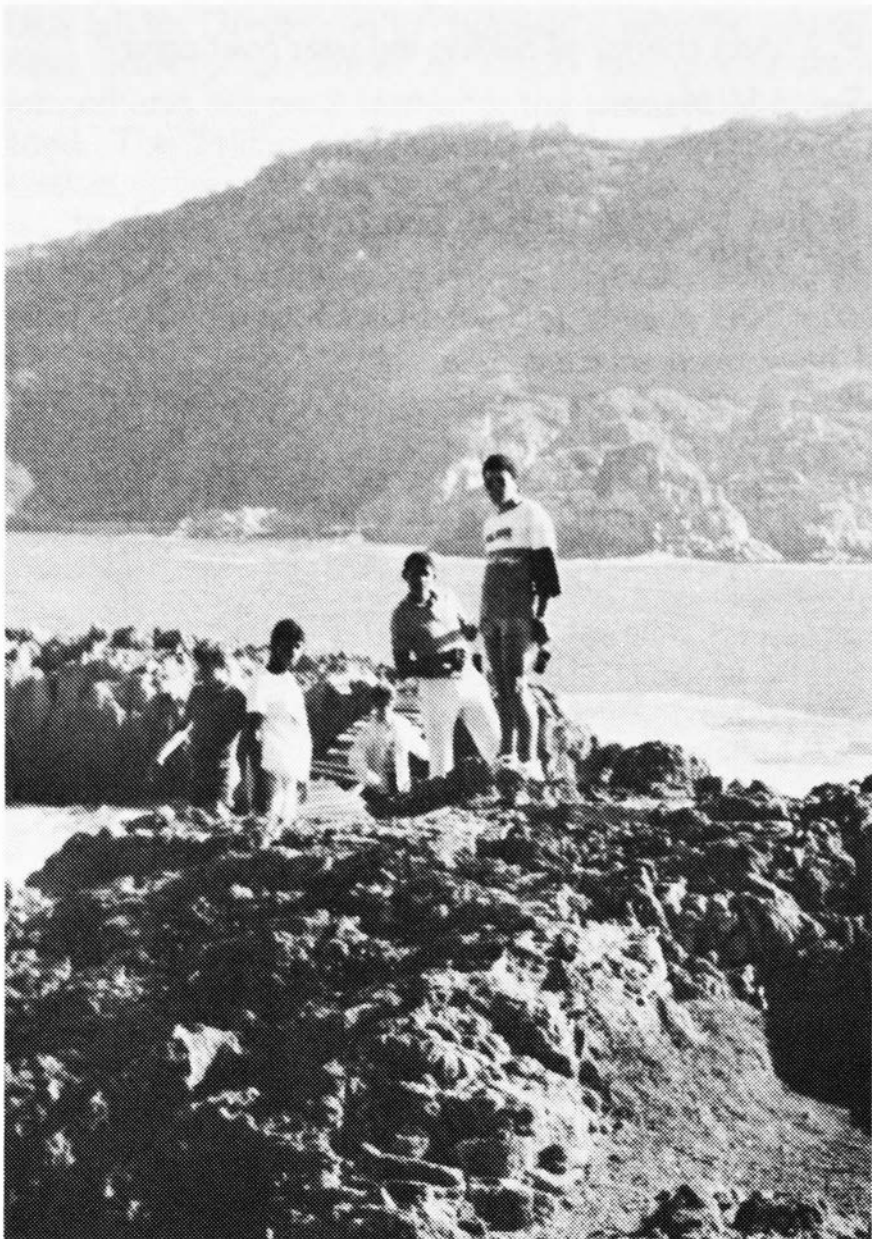
Weary from the night before, the party was great. We all centred on the school, reached the microbusses and made ready to leave. 9:00 am we're off. We arrived at Hendrik Verwoerd Dam at about 6:00 pm. We unpacked, cooked and ate by the fire because the wind was so cold.

After lights out, out come the shaving cream and toothpaste, but Mr De Souza acted quickly to stamp out this pouring white display and all that was left of the evening's fun and games, was the tickle of shaving cream bubbles exploding in my ears.

8:00 am and we were packed and ready to move again: To Plettenberg Bay. The time we spent on the beach was enjoyable and I'm sure the De Souza's enjoyed being alone and relaxing in the Beacon Isle Hotel, and so did Father Brewer.

We spent a comfortable evening in a farmhouse at Harterville.

The first stage of the hike was easy; the paths were wide and dry and the scenery was beautiful. By this time we had all noticed that Eddie and Mickie were getting on very well and it was this relationship, not unlike that Tarzan and Jane, which was to add the spice of romance to our adventure into the unknown.



The bungalows we slept in during the hike were comfortable, especially the one we slept in on the last day. Here we had a slight problem with the fire extinguisher and our room was covered in a layer of white powder, because of the hard work, and esprit de corps and the two hour lead we had on the teachers we were able to sweep the room clean and avoid any problems that we may otherwise have encountered.

The next day was spent in Knysna where we enjoyed relative freedom and a good night's rest.

On our way to Cape Town the minibuses stopped off at Oudtshoorn and we were taken on a tour of one at the ostrich farms which was very interesting, especially when Renato rode one of the ostriches.

That evening we arrived in Cape Town and stayed at the Woodstock Holiday Inn.

Luckily the weather was good during our two day stay in Cape Town. I enjoyed the wine-tasting and our trip to Cape-point on the last day, where Mr De Souza explained that there was a mid-latitude — cyclone approaching.

The long journey home was not too bad; it was great to be home again. All the guys and I would like to thank Mr and Mrs De Souza and Father Brewer for giving so much and demanding so little.

C Reid — Standard 10



R Laing — Standard 4



# THE EDU-TRAIN

Four of us were chosen to go on the Edu-Train. None realised the impact it would have on us. Our expectations were that of work and facts; how mistaken we were. The Edu-Train was more than just learning about South Africa and its environment; it went to the very source of South Africa — its people.

Our analysis of the situation in South Africa was divided into three categories; the economic, the political and the social situation of the people of South Africa.

As far as the economic situation was concerned, we visited many of the homelands and industries operating in these areas. It was really an eye opener to be exposed to something of which we were unaware. We saw how homelands such as Kwandebele and Lebogowa operated and how they relied heavily on industries like Ekandustria for survival. It was also interesting to note the views and opinions of the worker and his employer (and how contrasting they were — **whom do you believe?**)

As far as politics was concerned, everyone was given the opportunity to express his feelings and ideals. Because the train consisted of different races, it was very interesting as well as disturbing to hear the views and experiences of the black people. Due to the "limited rights of speech", one is seldom exposed to the realities of this country which is a very sad situation indeed. It makes one realise how self centred, ambitious and greedy man is. As long as he himself is satisfied, **who cares about anyone else?**

Linked closely to politics, is the social situation in South Africa. Many peoples knowledge of the social life is very limited to the urban areas and perhaps the townships. We were also exposed to the situation in the rural areas. One cannot believe the poverty and ill health which exists here. One of the most fascinating, but very depressing parts of the trip, was a visit to the Shongwe Mission Hospital (about 8 km from Swaziland). It was a disgrace to see the conditions in this place. Although the doctors and their staff did their best to try and make it as hygienic and hospitable as possible, with their very limited funds, the consequences were clear. There was crowding, the result being that they were forced to turn away many people. This was sickening especially when we have huge hospitals like the General which are almost empty; what a waste, when there are people who are in desperate need of hospital and medical services. Because they have different backgrounds and cultures, do we just cast them aside, like some form of inferior beings? Remember, it takes all kinds to make up a world; but, unity and more important, faith and respect are needed. These are, however, things which modern day man often forgets and ignores.

Thus, on a personal note, Edu-Train must have been one of the most fulfilling experiences we have ever had. Along with the greater knowledge we acquired in the economic, political and social fields, we also experienced something which very few South Africans have experienced — that of total unity. It was something really amazing and wonderful. We proved, al-

though on a small scale, that black and white could very easily live in harmony. The bond that was formed between the 60 of us over 9 days was incredible.

**It was as though we were one big family — a goal South Africa** should put at the top of her list of goals; for it is only unity and a common nationalism, amongst the different cultures in South Africa; that can bring this beautiful country of ours together.

Thus, many thanks to Sean Johnstone and to Mr Boswell, for giving us the opportunity to be a part of, and experience the fulfilling impact of such a trip.

The following verse describes in a few words the meaning of Edu-Train to us:

## *We are the World*

*There comes a time when we need a certain call  
When the world must come together as one  
There are people dying and it's time to lend a hand  
To life, the greatest gift of all  
We can't go on, pretending day by day  
That someone, somewhere will soon make a change  
We are all a part of God's great big family  
And the truth, you know love is all we need.*

P Garrioch



Sifiso, Paul, Pascal and Wayne — Representing St. David's on the Edu-Train.



# The Standard Nine Retreat

Both of the Standard 9 classes left St David's at 08h00 on September 1, nobody quite sure of what to expect but everyone cheerful and looking forward to the next two days on Retreat. We arrived at the Wilgespruit Retreat Centre and were directed to a Conference Room where we would all share out lessons with Brother Michael, Miss Jenks and Father Brewer. These lessons were mainly directed towards leadership, communion and life in general. At each lesson we were given a particular aspect to examine as to how to make decisions, what type of people make good leaders and other ways of enforcing discipline which all linked up with leadership. We always referred back to the Bible to try and find our answers.

On Retreat we were taught different methods of prayer which were most interesting and relaxing. Our

accommodation was more than adequate and the food was edible. After an interesting supper we participated in a beautiful Mass said by Father Brewer. That evening we watched a film called "The Twelve Angry Men" which cast some light on leadership, and showed how even a weak person could become a strong and bold leader. After a good night's sleep everyone was refreshed and ready to tackle the challenges of the new day. After breakfast we met in the Conference Room where we would attend our last few lessons. After attending a Mass said by Father Brewer we slowly made our way back to the bus to head for home.

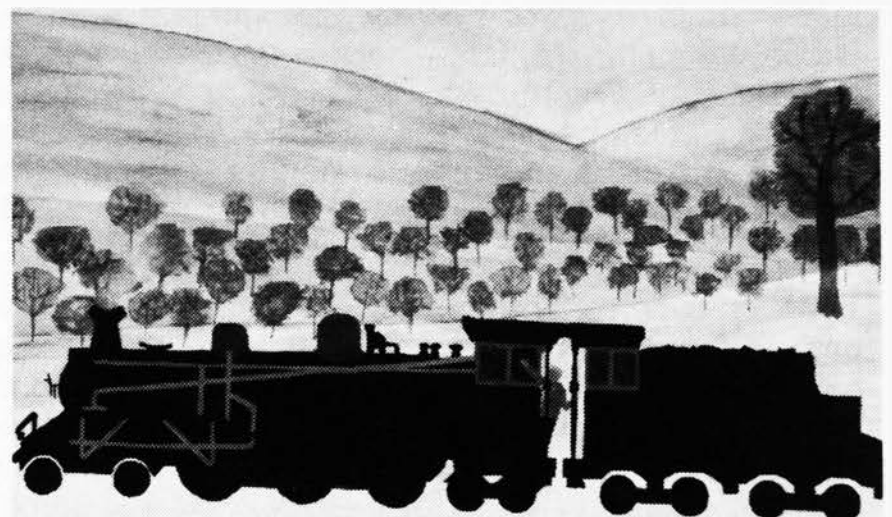
The Retreat was most enjoyable and I am sure that everyone will agree that we learnt a great deal.

F Barnard – Standard 9

# Nancy — Our Beloved Matron



Our dear matron, Nancy Buckley-Jones, retired last year after 35 years of faithful and loving service at St David's. Her farewell party, given by the Board of Governors, was attended by the parents of many old boys spanning over the years during which matron had lovingly looked after their sons. The pupils of St David's will miss their dear matron and so will all of us at the College. We wish Matron a long and happy retirement.



P Hessewood — Standard 8



# Class Photographs



## STANDARD 9A

*Back Row (left to right):* D Homan; W Müller; T Halliday; C du Trevou; W de Pontes; B Bradbury; A van den Heever; R Magni; P Mikula; D Bietrix  
*Middle Row:* M Cathrall; I Cordano; D Layden; N Nader; G Boltman; Mr C Finlayson; R Berado; A Fortesque; A Parsons; B Spindler; I Timol  
*Seated:* R Peri; N Berolsky; L Brebnor; L Pagan; Q Loo; P Egan; J Cowan; R Odayar; W Elephant



## STANDARD 9

*Back Row (left to right):* R Moy; F Barnard; R Nunes; C Morais; A Travis  
*Middle Row:* S Ngwenya; S Hackner; H Geddes; C Ashby; P Vidas; S O'Regan; G Garcia  
*Seated:* S Wageng; J Mabaso; T Mooi; Miss A Glyn-Thomas; W Goxo; D Lukhele; M Reidy  
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**STANDARD 8**

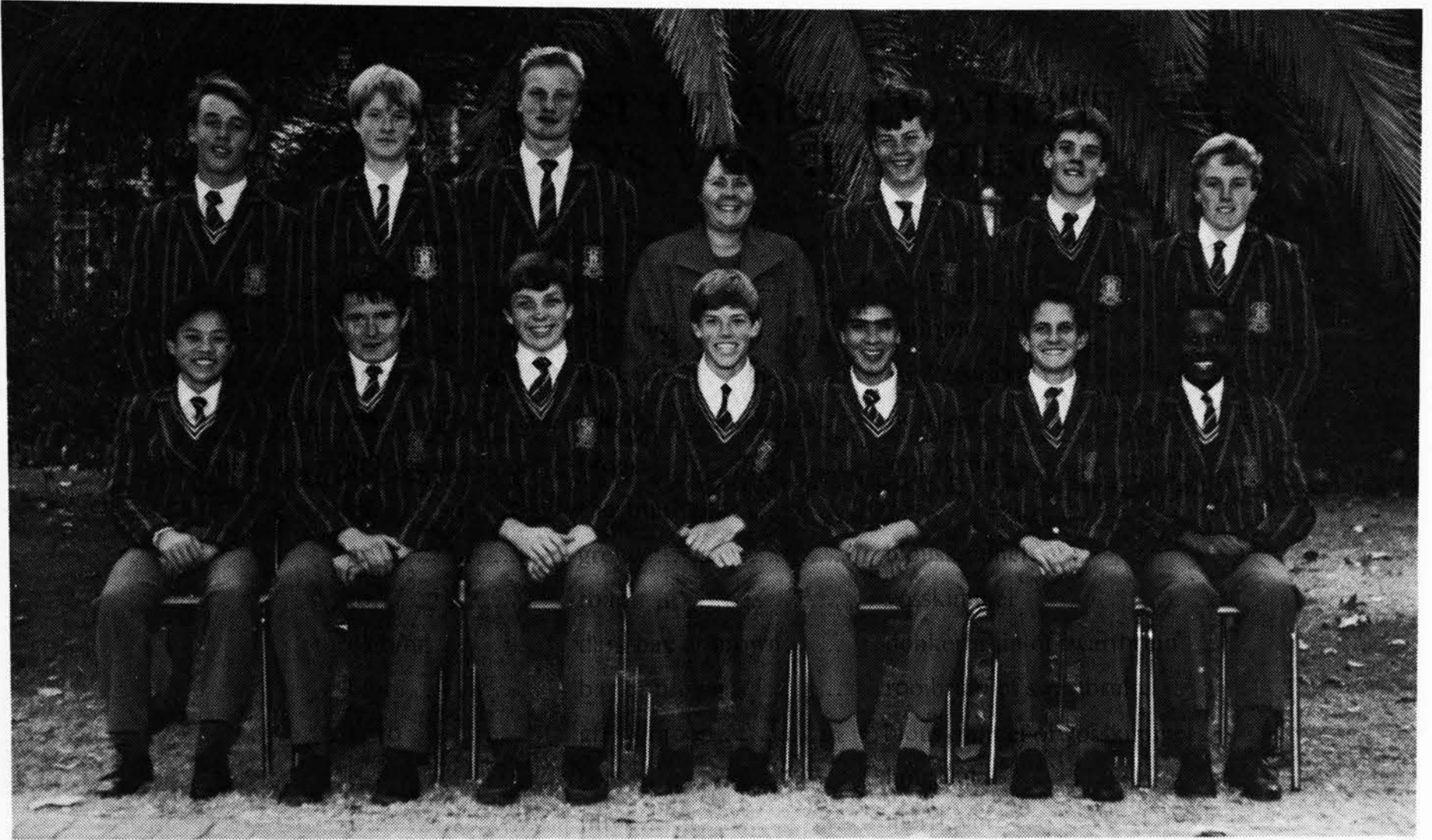
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*Seated:* A Fivaz; M Ndlovu; V Gore; Mr B Webster; T von Guillaume; C Blignaut; M Palmer



**STANDARD 8 'A'**

*Back Row (left to right):* P Hesselwood; M Germishuys; O Hesketh-Maré; Mrs B Szewczuk; C Wharton-Hood; A Suleman; G Taylor  
*Seated:* C Madhu; J Apostolellis; R van Rooyen; J Hallatt; S Wach; G Simms; M Slattery





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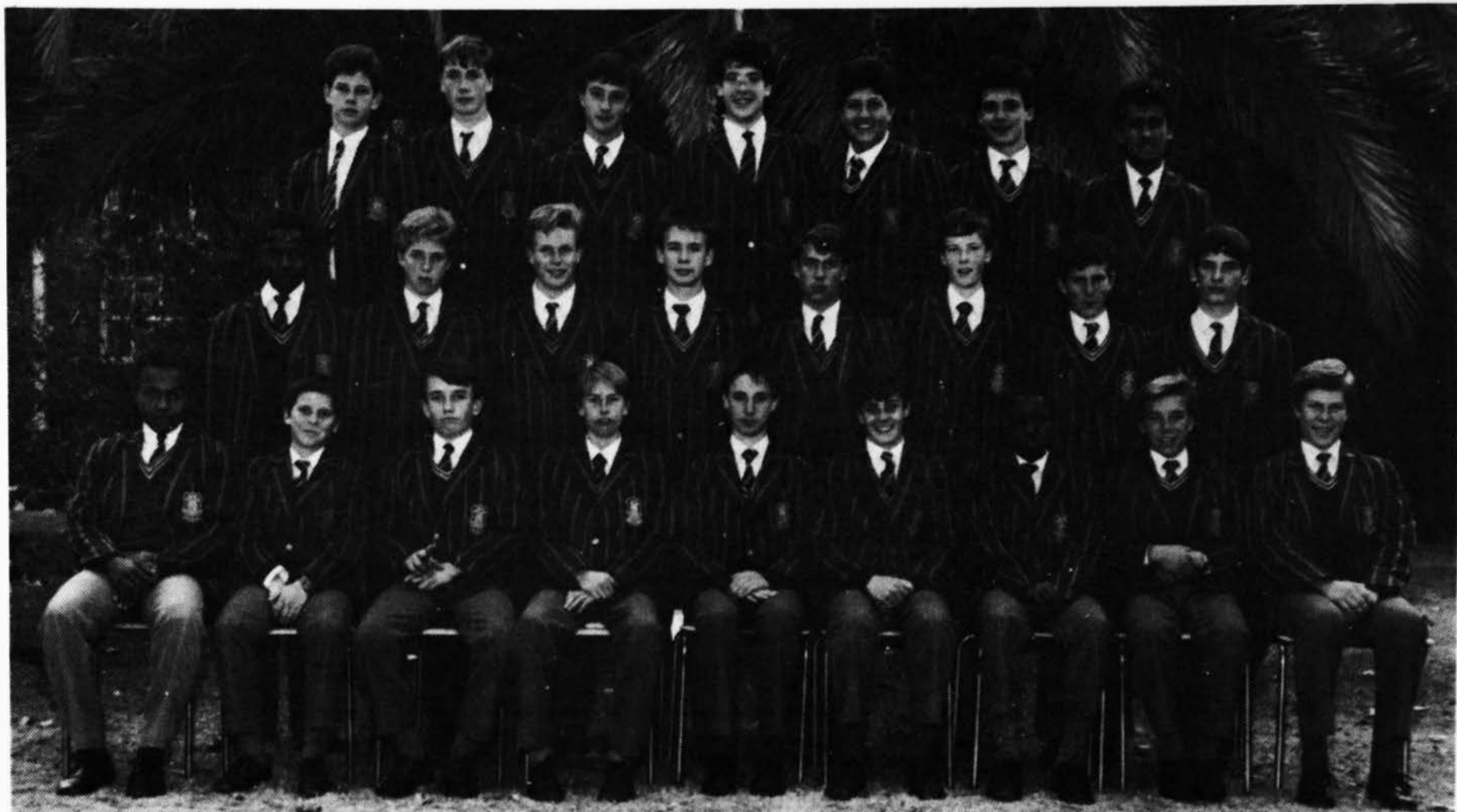
*Back Row (left to right):* R Hackner; G Allen; L Wilgen; Mrs Y Gore; B Muirhead; G Wickins; B O'Brien  
*Seated:* D Nean; R Roseveare; J Swinburn; T Fiore; F Elliott; J P Renouprez; Q Ndlulwa



**STANDARD 7**

*Back Row (left to right):* J Lamb; A Batistich; G German; A Campouroglou; N Dods; C Lewis-Enright; B Rains  
*Middle Row:* M Maritzen; I Ganchi; D Mc Aleenan; C Arlow; J Cornelson; L Jackson; M Elsbury  
*Seated:* C Schmitt; K Stirling; R Smith; E Rothbauer; M Morrison; P Gore; S Zimelka; G Nader; C Herr  
*Inset:* Miss H Joseph.





**STANDARD 7 'A'**

*Back Row (left to right):* L Benater; S Walker; C Green; J Mantovan; A Stavrinides; R Letowt-Vorbek; I Mongratie

*Middle Row:* S Nkosi; E Massey; M Trumble; T Cruickshank; G Carlisle; B Levick; F Slattery; M Swanson

*Seated:* W Shuenyane; B Smart; C McFadden; J Geils; R Russell; M Ballantine; P Monaise; A Fivaz; V Müller



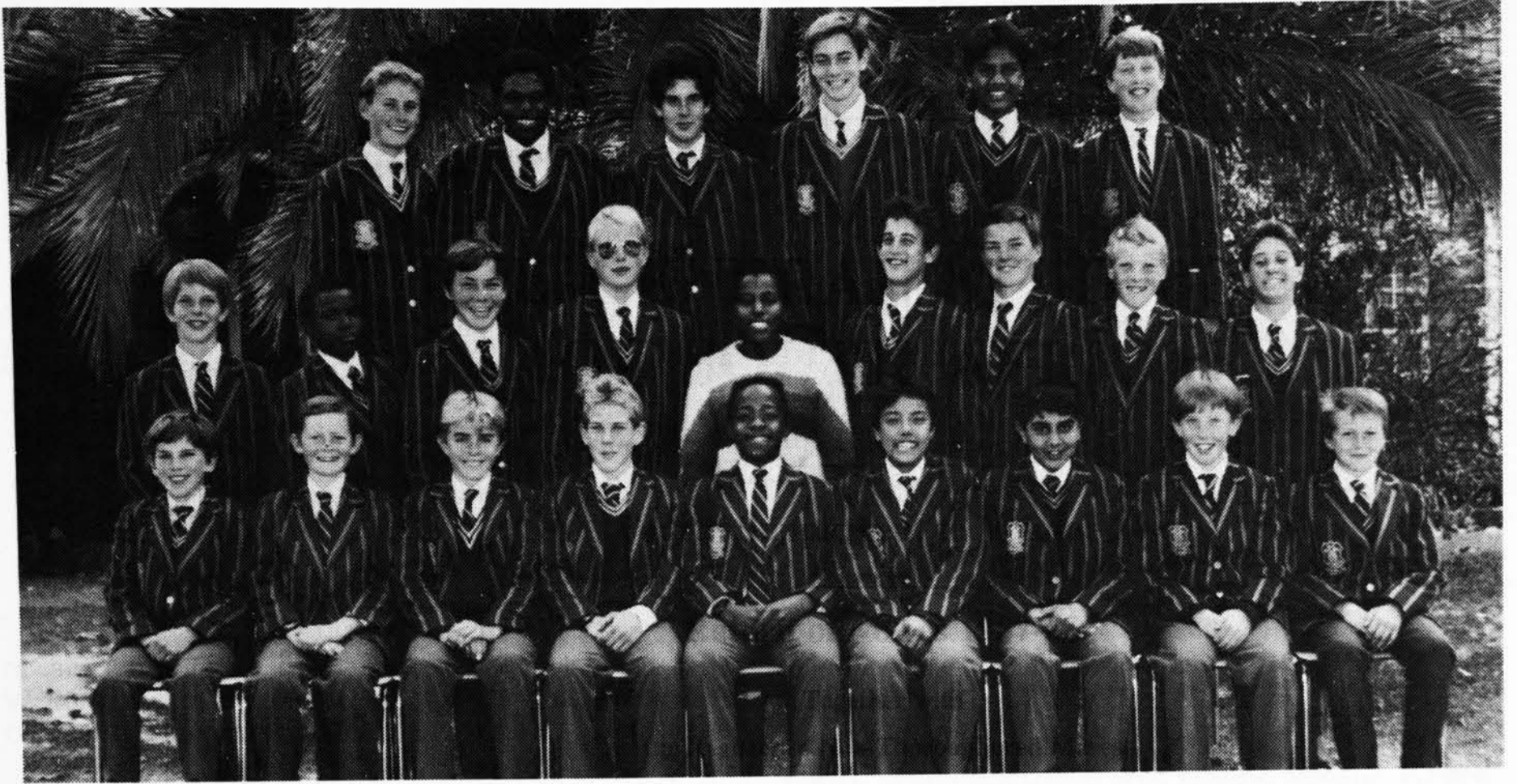
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*Back Row (left to right):* A Rose; J Jacobs; P Batistich; R Lambert; B Ford; T Hermanus; A Moffat; C Barnard

*Middle Row:* J Kathawaroo; M Egan; M Gonsalves; J van Lienden; Miss Cook; F Maraschin; G Ramsey; R Bulbulia; M Pardini

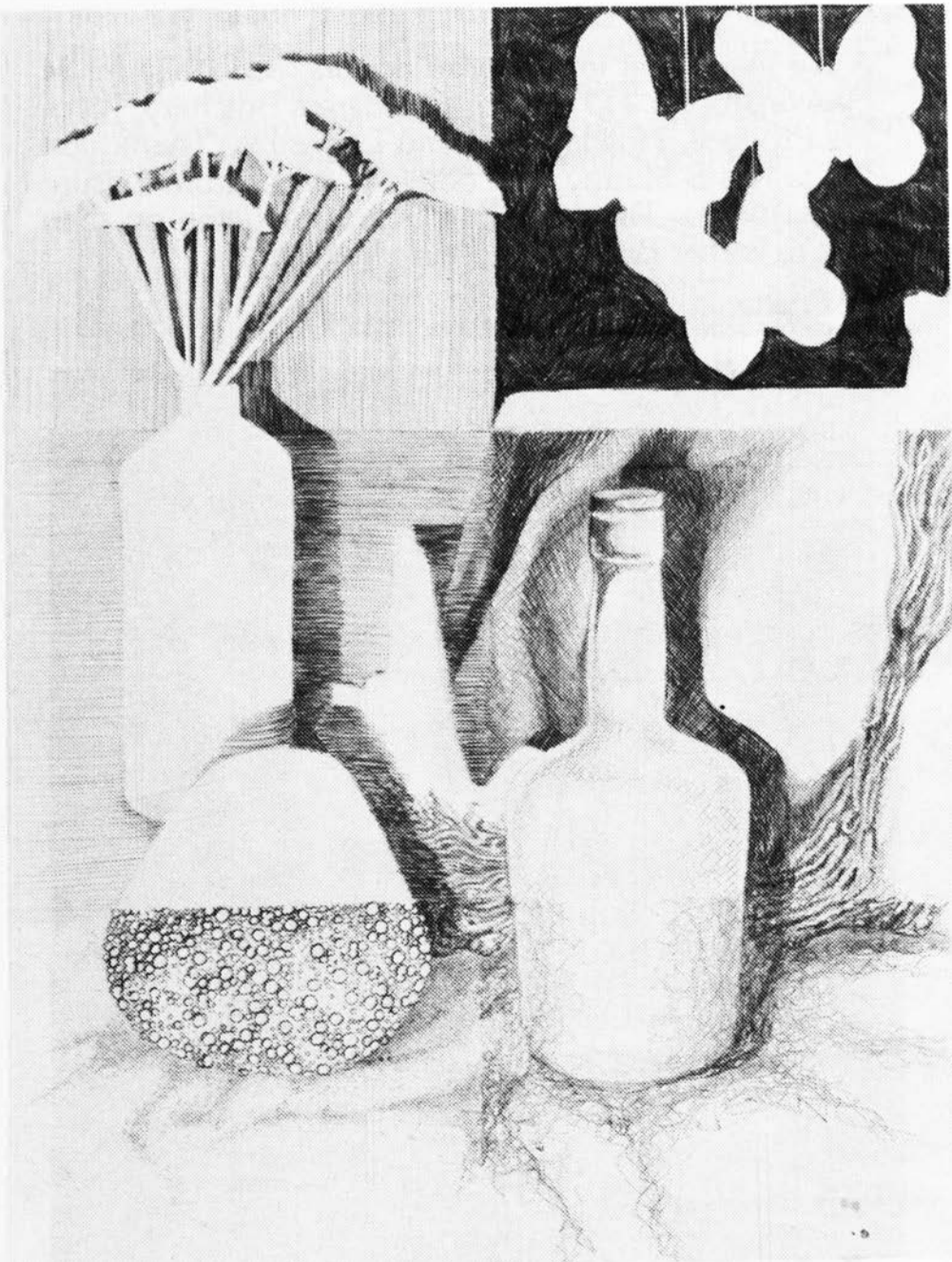
*Seated:* M Ahmed; S Larsen; B French; C Hodgson; U Wilgen; G Spindler; J Loo; D Steele





**STANDARD 6 'A'**

*Back Row (left to right):* R Hudson; R Farisani; A Basilico; A Zanella; F Patel; B Hardy  
*Middle Row:* P Kahle; J Sebati; G Swinburn; N Wilgen; F Mahlangu (Miss); A Faber; B Odendaal; R Owens; O Gallizio  
*Seated:* G Austin; K Wilson; C Sullivan; B Arlow; G Tsatsane; G Pin; E Varachia; K Roane; J Taylor



**L Notman — Matric**



**C Ashby — Standard 9**



# Talent Show



HEAR YE, HEAR YE, HEAR YE!!!!

Let it be known that on the twenty-third day of March, in the year of our lord nineteen eighty-eight, St. Davids College Inanda did hold its annual "Talent Show".

On that momentous night an awestruck audience did experience acts ranging from galumping gumboot dances to beautiful (?) ballets, from pounding pub songs to soft violin solos and of course plenty of plays from both the senior and junior schools.

"Talent", my lords and ladies, is not an apt description of every act but to be sure every person involved in the evening entered into a spirit of fun-loving enthusiasm that more than made up for any lack of talent.

How canst one ever forget the Fabulous Fivaz Brothers' rendition of "Set On You" or the standard five lament: "It's Tough at the Top"!

Will Swan Lake ever seem the same to St. Davids parents and pupils after Standard 8's tiptoed and turned on our stage?

Does study really cause brain damage? One wonders after Std 3's skit, "Exam Time Again".

A splendid night was had by all at this year's talent quest and many thanks must go to Miss H Joseph for having organized this night.

David McManus – (Youth Exchangee)

## Sports Fun Day

This event was held for the second time, and proved once again to be a great success. Participants had to compete in 12 different events: volleyball, soccer, stacking cans, quiz, darts, athletics, golf, pellet gun shooting, gym, eating, basketball, table-tennis. This year the competition was divided into five categories: family teams; Junior and Senior; Senior Boys; Junior Boys; Girls.

A very enjoyable day was had by all and the winners were the Geldenhuys and Gore families.

This day would not have been the success it was with-

out the help of some very hard working helpers, in particular Mr P van Lienden, Mr P Batistich and Mr W van der Merwe as well as all the staff who helped to judge the different events.

A special word of thanks must go to Mr T Oliver who helped provide the braai packs and chicken and calamari for lunch; Mrs P Germishuys, Mrs M von Guillaume and Mrs V Brand as well as all the other mothers who provided the tea and helped with the lunches.

A big thank you to our prize donors, especially Mr M Fiasconaro, Mr J O'Regan, Wanderers Butchery, Rivonia Produce, Holiday Inns and Loopstras. Thank you too to Mrs S Murray who obtained prizes from Leisure International. Thanks to Mrs Ryan for being on duty and to Father Brewer for saying Mass.

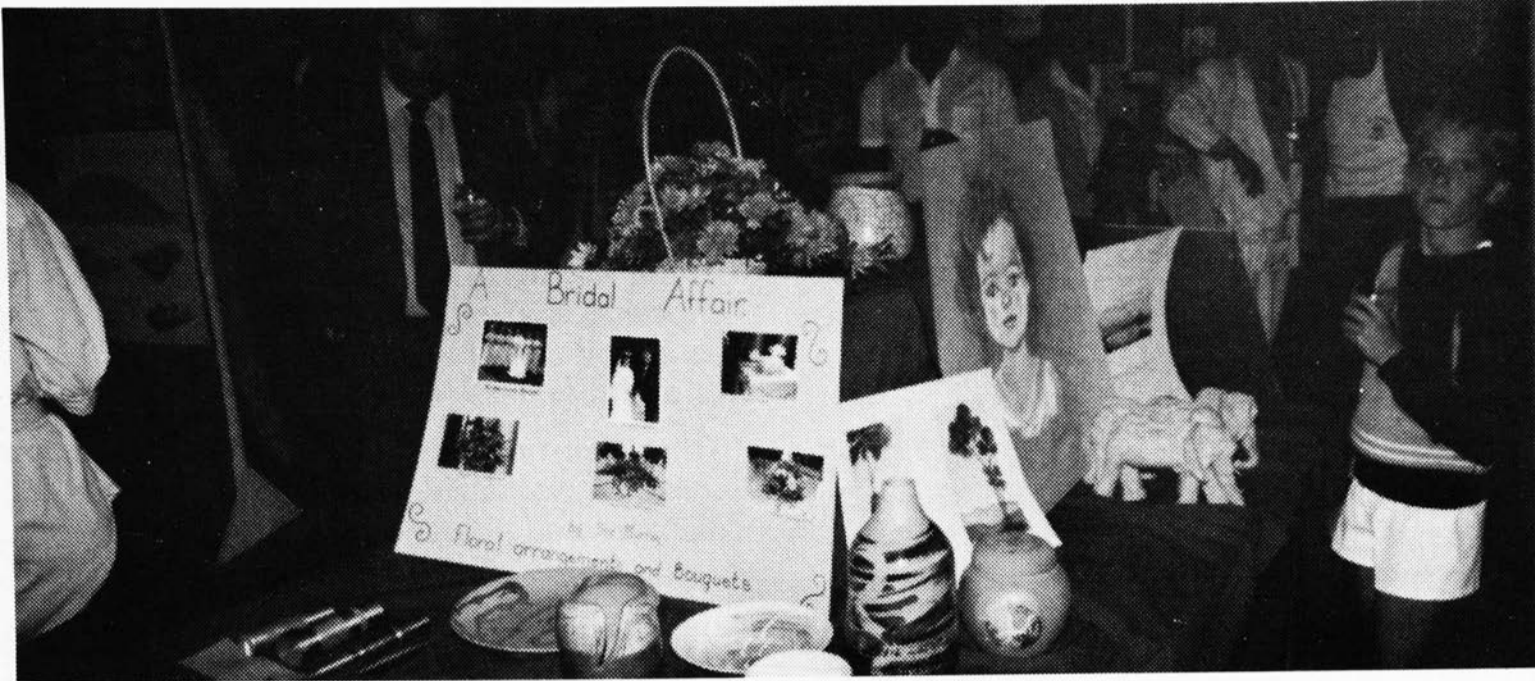
W Castle



The Geldenhuys Family — A Great Team



# Art Exhibition



“Like all forms of Art the creator never dies, his works linger on. This is applicable to the annual art exhibition held at school. The works never fade they simply improve year by year under the able guidance of Miss Heather Joseph and Anneke Carter.

Once again this year the exhibition was one of the highlights of our calendar year. The work displayed by both junior and senior school was of high standard, showing great depth and maturity in the works we saw. However the senior school dominated the awards, with first prize going to Stephen Klein, whose work undoubtedly deserved it. Second prize again taken by a senior art pupil, Lawrence Notman.

It must have been an arduous task for Mrs Gail Van Lingen to select from the many varied “works” — the winner and runner up — Our grateful thanks go to her for her able assistance. The entire scope of the Exhibition this year showed not only Art in the paper form, there was also the pottery display, metal work display and many other forms of Art to “please the eye”.

In conclusion our sincere thanks go to Mrs P Germishuis, her catering ladies and “Bo lends” for the refreshments. They so ably assisted in making the 1988 Art Exhibition one that all will remember.

Kevin T Stirling



Matric Work



S Green — Matric



# Best Speaker Competitions

The Junior and Senior Best Speaker Competition was held on Wednesday 16 March in the Auditorium. There were so many entrants from the Standards 6, 7 and 8 that we had to have elimination heats. Although they were not so many entrants from Standards 9 and 10, these pupils showed their experience in public speaking and all performed very well indeed. The topics were varied — some serious, some amusing — and all entertaining.

Sifiso Ngwenya very aptly spoke on 'Education'. 'The eating person' was the amusing titled of Geoffrey Crowe's speech. Brendan Smart chose the very poignant subject of 'Famine in Africa' and Andrew Fivaz told us about 'The effect of television on our lives'. Jason Geils delivered a knowledgeable speech about 'Diabetes and Lance Bredbor made us wonder about 'The eyes that saw the future'. Andrew Moffat had obviously done a great deal of research on 'The spitfire'. Brian Steele made us realise the effect that 'Advertising' has on us in the present day. Lester Jackson revealed to us the wonders of 'King Tutankhamen's tomb' and Jeetesh Kathawaroo spoke very sincerely

on 'Mahatma, the great soul. "Sun signs' was the title of Frederick Barnard's absorbing speech. Our Australian student showed his experience as a speaker when he delivered his speech about 'Television' and Adrian Fivaz entertained us with his topic, 'Disturbing odours in the classroom'. Vincent Gore gave us warning by choosing the proverb, 'Marry in haste, repent in leisure' and Jason Forssman, our last speaker, informed us about Fitness mania.

The impromptu speeches were varied and amusing — some contestants doing better in these than they did in the prepared speeches.

The result of the competition was:

Junior Best Speakers: 1 Jason Forssman: 2 Andrew Moffat: 3 Adrian Fivaz

Senior Best Speakers: 1 David MacManus: 2 Frederick Barnard: 3 Brian Steele.

Our thanks to our adjudicators, Mrs A Kourie, Mrs E Hughes and Mr K Shuenyane.

Our thanks also to the catering ladies who provided refreshments.

## SENIOR INTER-HOUSE PLAY FESTIVAL

Once again the participants in this festival must be congratulated on their enthusiasm, initiative and creativity. The producers are beginning to show real professionalism in their handling of the production, the casting, the imaginative sets and their competence.

The plays were well attended by a very appreciative audience and provided a very enjoyable evening.

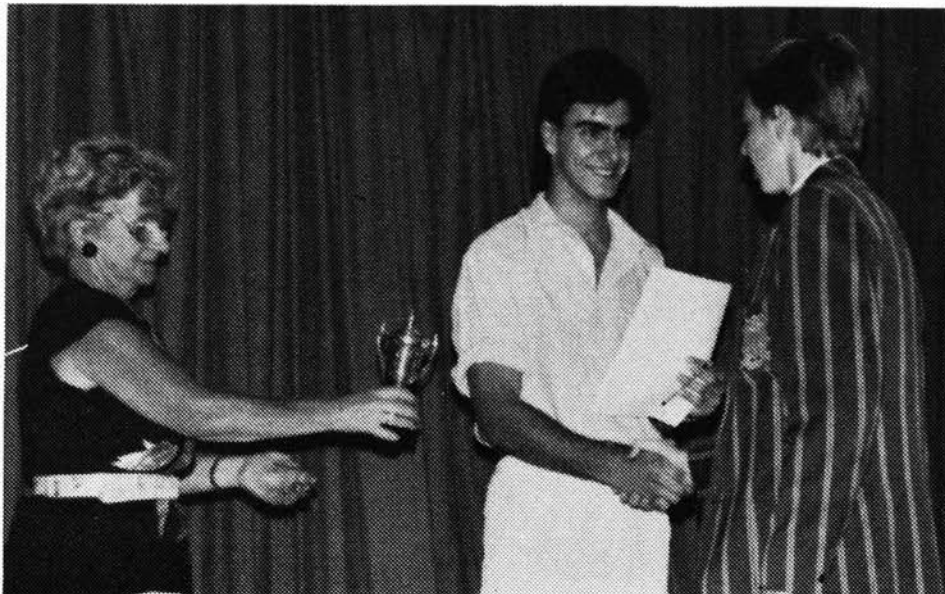
Osmond play was entitled 'Hidden Moonlight', produced by Roderick Stirling. Jamie Pegg and Wanda Shuenyane were specially mentioned by the adjudicators for their acting. Benedict presented 'Make Your Play', a very amusing production and Wayne Muller received special mention for his performance. College presented the evergreen 'The Monkey's Paw' and here Siphiso Ngwenya received praise from the adju-

dicators. The final play 'Politics and Terror' was presented by Bishops and produced by Craig Cox. Sean Johnstone produced Benedict's play and Fabio Taddei produced the play presented by College.

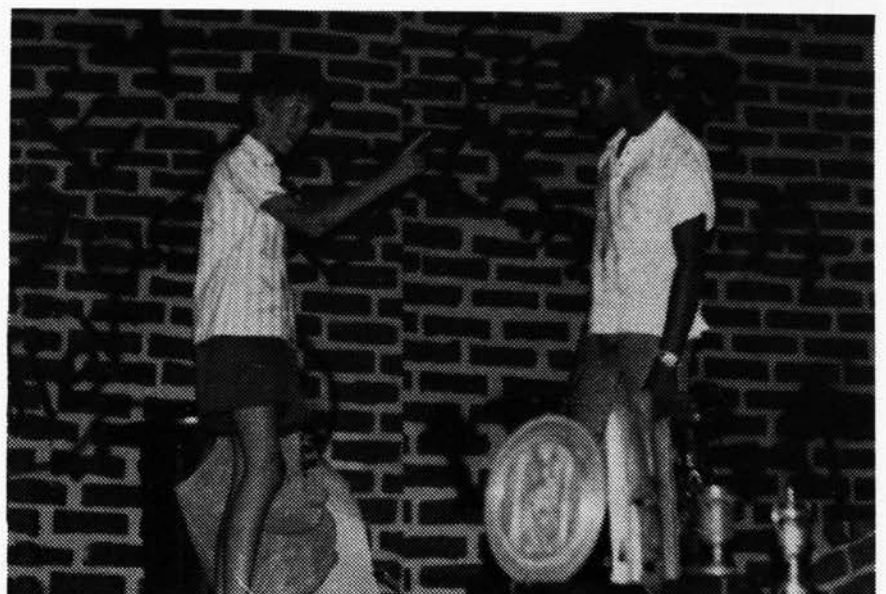
After much deliberation the adjudicators awarded The Brother Philip Plater for the winning play to Craig Cox of The Bishops.

The cup for the best producer: Craig Cox  
The Mask: Best Costumes-Benedict  
The Goblet: The Best Set — The Bishops  
The Tree of Life: Best Actor— Paul Gerard (The Bishops)

Our sincere thanks to our adjudicators and to the ladies of the catering committee.



C Cox receiving the trophy for the best producer.



A scene from the play Politics and Terror.

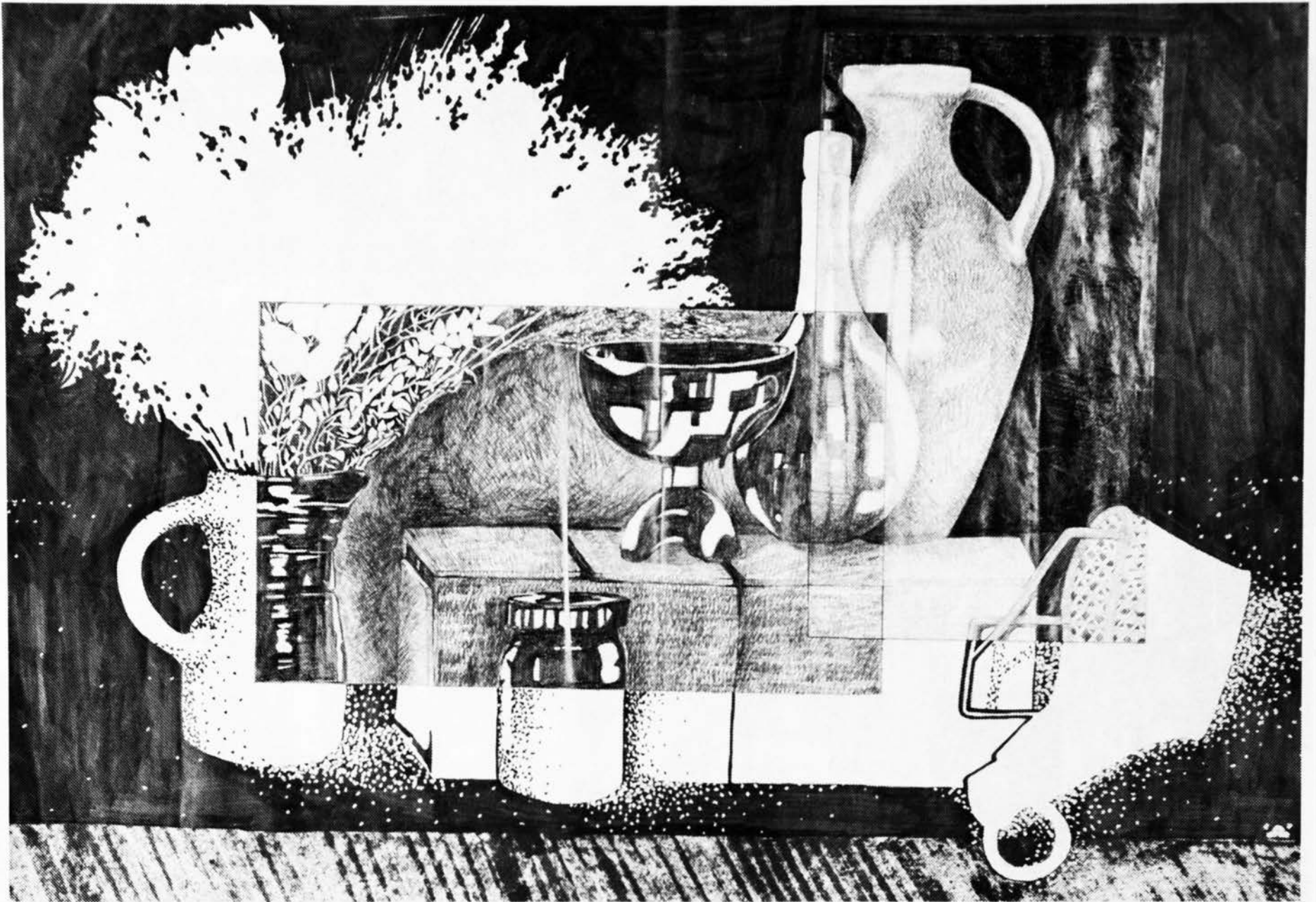


# The Rogues Gallery





# Literary and Art Contributions



L Notman — Matic

## A ticket to fantasy

Escape from that blunder of city life,  
People ordering me about,  
Loading me with fifty tasks at once,  
Until my blood-pressure reaches an all-time high,  
Until my limbs are on the verge of crumbling!

To be able to escape from all of this,  
If only I could take yet another trip alone to a fantasy world,

Not with the aid of aerosol cans and needles,  
But by stepping into a cinema!  
And let yet another movie sweep me off my feet,  
A relaxation of the mind,  
May it be a love story;  
A Super-Star;

A Horror  
or a plain old country-boy story  
Relaxation is the goal you've achieved!

An escape from the family life,  
No mother screaming at you,  
Or father punishing you for some misdeed,  
No little brother intruding on your privacy,  
Or the slog of homework!!

Thand-God for the screen!

Jamie Pegg — Standard 8

## Africa — Land of Perpetual Sunset

The young girl leans against the wall, tormented by the flies, and gazes across the land — the hot red acres smoulder in the evening sun. The "curbed ferocity of beaten tribes and the sullen dignity of the defeat" is reflected in her eyes. Such is Africa, the primitive land of hunger and pride; innocent and cruel.

She sees her land; mother continent. Isolated, flat-topped acacia trees are silhouetted against the blood red sky — her land of thorns and heat and pain. The discomfort of the land is apparent; the dust, the heat, the flies — but there is something else: a wild untamed beauty and a union with nature. Dust swirls, round, thick and red and hot. The orchestra of Africa rings in her ears — crickets are the strings, the elephants the brass, the birds provide the vocals and the ever present flies are like a buzzing audience. The dry and acrid smell of evening fires burns her nostrils and the dust itches her skin, but the girl's love for Africa, the rough land of her suffering, is intense and she would never leave her untamed land of perpetual sunset.

Roy Cambell: The Zulu Girl.

Michael Palmer — Standard 8



## The Interior of Loneliness

The mottled creeper clings lamely to the evergreen. A smell of burning oak leaves pervades the autumn air. Lined in a row outside my open window, some bottles emerge from a cardboard box like negatives, leaving brown streaks reflected across the garage wall. In front of the garage wall a tee-shirt and a pair of jeans drip upon the sagging washing line. Rust eats its way up the beige poles and drops from murky puddles in dust between the irregular slate paving below. Crumbling pots lie to the left, spilling soil and leathery tendrils. Trees which once sent their small blind roots through the soils of these containers, now stand withered and sparse. Clouds stretch in fine clusters across the crystal sky, intermittently hiding the beams that pierce the creeper's suspended shoots, which can be seen through the uppermost square of my windowsill. Some birds flit past in clumsy flight, like cumbersome butterflies, edging along the rooftops, trailing under the telephone lines and gradually sweeping out of view. The lemon tree is wedged between two moss draped walls in the furthest corner of this miniature quadrangle. It bears a bitter fruit.

Inside, a shaft of sunlight breaches the criss-cross matrix of the frayed creeper, revealed by the tiny dust particles swirling about the room. Uncomfortable alongside the numerous prints, it dazzles like visible electricity, firmly imprinted on my wall. The curtains hang recoiled waiting for evening's dapple-grey kiss to smudge and unwind their colour, revealing moth-like wings through a cruel metamorphosis. Outside the washing line droops under a new load. The tee-shirt and jeans have been removed, giving way to a heavier weight, whose flow of droplets form rivulets in the gaps between the water-blackened slate.

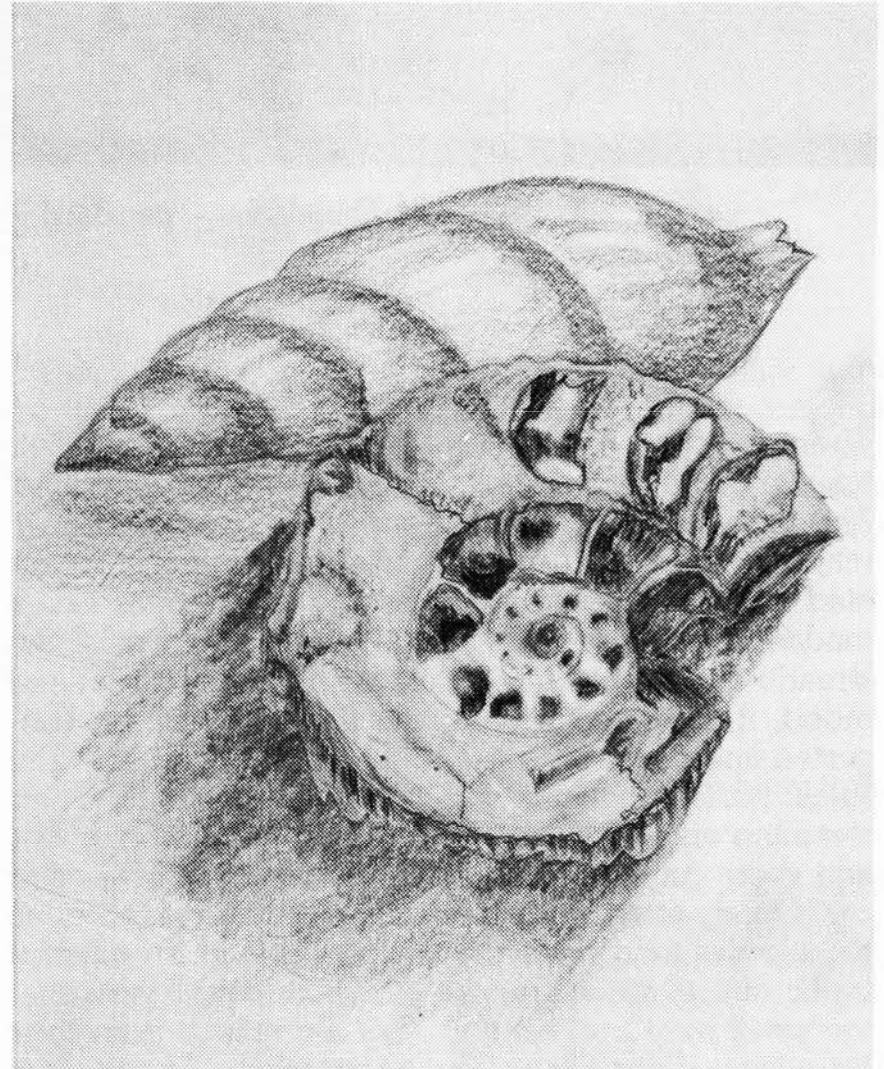
I savour these scenes, trying to grasp hold of them by creating extra details and configurations from the cupboards and the clouds. Certain changes have occurred, but the images remain unchanged in nature. The rooms lie like those of the deceased, desolate, outlined by faint shadows and a sense of misery; cursed and bare. As I walk, the house stretches out like an avenue by petrified trees, having a finite path, but lacking the soul to sustain it. This avenue leads me past withered roses, black at the edges all hope of prosperity gone, no pungent fumes set free to purge the stifling air.

Gold frames hang transfixed upon the diningroom walls, and the cabinet, half filled with old, leaning volumes, transmits from its brown-black surface a soulless sheen. I walk outside with a drink in my hand. The threadlike thinness of sunset's departure, follows the sun across the heavens and dusty horizon. Rustling, frail branches send yellowed leaves sprawling in altered flight across the garden. Some leaves collect with others, on the bottom of the pale swimming pool, and a few collect with birds at the side of the algae-brimming bird bath. Like an ageing limestone statue, plastered erratically by moss and lichen, its intertwined column supports the weight of water, stone and frolicking birds.

Azure becomes mauve; mauve deep purple and finally blackness settles in. Twilight endures for only a few minutes. Eventually relenting, I leave the evening-star to map a course for its siblings.

Cold and dark and devoid of life; each angle of the house hides something. Bygone bottle on a shelf stares through frosted glass. After solitude, loneliness settles in, its cold touch unavoidable, its bleak fires extinguished only by companionship. Resounding through the house, the second hand of an alarm clock can be heard, an adequate soundtrack to a lonely day.

Michael Reidy — Standard 9



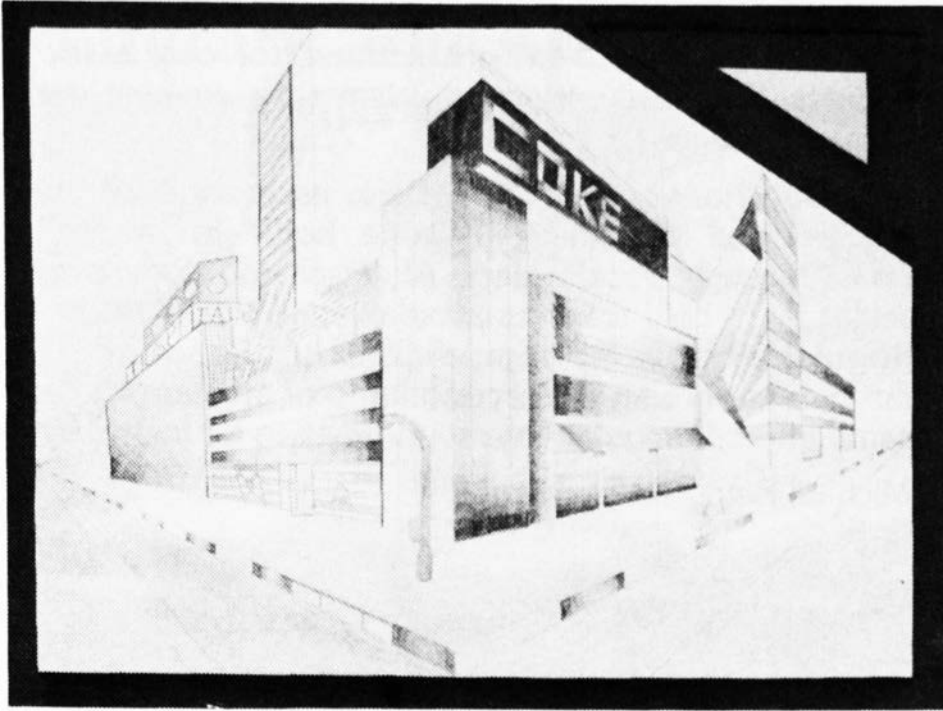
A Murdoch — Matric

## Escape this life

Up! Up and escape this life!  
Or surely you will die.  
Up! Up! and escape! You are not too old.  
Break away!  
Be free!  
Don't ever come back to this place  
It was never meant for you  
You belong to the wild, wild Africa.  
Up! Up! and escape this life!  
Or surely you will die.  
Up! Up! and escape. Your land awaits you!  
Land of green, green grass  
Land of life.  
Go tell stories to your children;  
Of this dirty, lifeless city  
And warn them: never to come here.

Vincent Gore — Standard 8





M Thrasher — Standard 7

### Monday Morning Rush Hour

The usual herd of vehicles slowly crawled along, their tyres eroding the surface of the brand new tarmac. This never ending trail boasted all sorts of transport: majestic cars, trucks, buzzing bikes and the odd elongated bus. Suddenly this creeping crawl becomes a maddening stop! The sudden halt aggravates the already impatient drivers. Showing their ill natured mood, they blast their hooters. Far ahead in the congested line of traffic, a humble Mini sits dead-still. The small motorist stares with a puzzled face into his steaming engine. Selfish drivers lift their clustered fists and shout rudely as they manage to pass the stranded car. Others stare, with sympathy in their eyes, but fail to help the man. Five or six minutes later an efficient traffic officer arrives on the scene. It is only now that the small man and his tiny Mini are relieve from their blameless predicament. The traffic moves on. Another Monday morning rush hour is over.

Terry von Guilleaume – Standard 8

### I saw all this . . .

I saw all this . . .

It was absolutely lovely! I gazed continuously at this breath-taking sight. Watching the sun set is by far the most beautiful, satisfying natural occurrence. With my eyes glued on the sun, I noticed two bizarre stages. The sun seemed to bleed all the colours of the spectrum. These colours formed an incredible background to the sun, much like the tail feathers of a peacock fully extended. Then quite suddenly it seems to seep into the horizon. The sun is then drowned in the deep red horizon. At the same time it illuminates a bright orangey background across the sky. The final most breathtaking addition is the silhouette of the majestic eagles behind this awesome colourful background. One fine, glorious evening. I saw all this.

Wanda Shuenyane – Standard 7(a)

### The Humungus Sneeze

It began as almost nothing. Just a slight tickling sensation in the back of my nose, but soon the sensation increased, making my whole nose itch uncontrollably and I knew I was going to sneeze. My breath came in tortured gasps, as I fought to hold it down; but no will-power on earth could stop it from coming. Then out of the blue it came. An almost instantaneous explosion of all the air in my lungs. A retching heave that nearly lifted me off my already shaky feet. For that second my heart stopped pumping; my brain stopped thinking as if all was concentrating on the sneeze. Then it ended. Thank goodness, but what's that? My nose is itching! Here we go again!

Jason Mantovan – Standard 7(a)

### Grandad

He sat uncomfortably in the ancient rocking chair, soundlessly moving his lips as though he was talking to a forgotten friend. The grey-brown shoes were loosely tied to his small feet which twitched with every movement of his old, shrivelled hands, which, though riddled with arthritis, were still capable of rolling those home-made cigarettes that he loved so much. He slowly placed the cigarette between his pale, uncared-for lips but was unable to light the nicotine stained lighter. He blinked his wrinkled eyelids which covered his blue, pitiful eyes. Beginning to sob, he drew his hand through the two remaining tufts of hair that protruded from his bald scalp. This was my grandad, whom I loved so much, yet who seemed miles away from reality.

L Jackson – Standard 7



S Klein — Matric



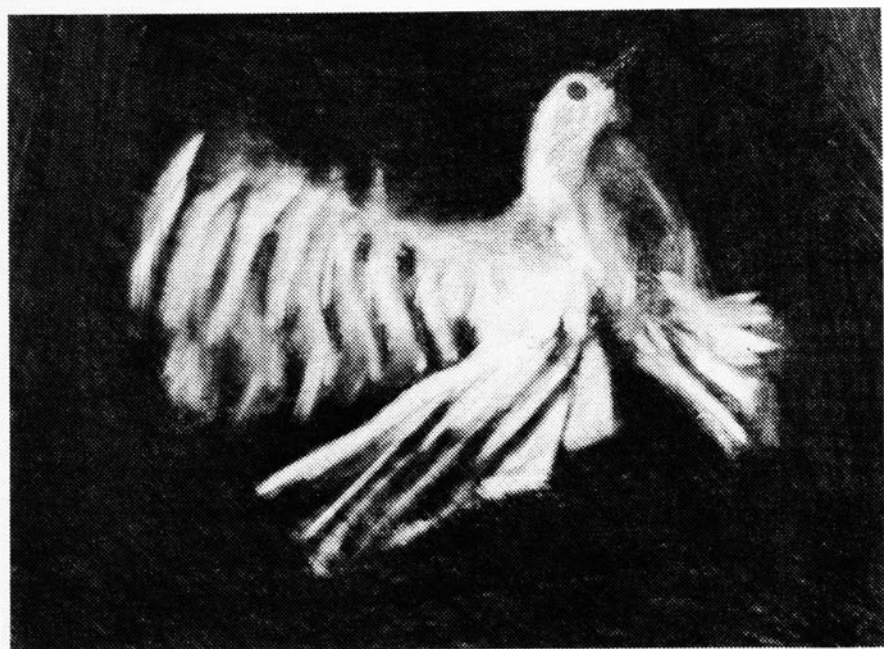
## Escape

The alarm of piercing voices slowly fades away  
I shut the bathroom door.  
I have escaped  
Relaxing my body,  
I sink into the invigorating water.  
Endless waves of steam rise towards the ceiling  
Carrying with them my frowns and worries.

No more phone calls  
the urgency of homework is put to one side.  
As the sound of dripping water echoes against the wall,  
I picture myself in a crystallised cave.  
With my eyes closed nothing can disturb this peacefulness  
Smugly, I smile thinking of the torment my brother is still  
going through  
As time still ticks on,  
I enjoy this period of careless being.

A sharp knock rings out.  
But it will not disturb me.  
As my nagging brother's voice sounds in the background,  
I vaguely make out his words,  
"Open the door!"  
Then I realise,  
My escape is not one of gaining freedom,  
But one of locking myself away.

Adrian Fivaz – Standard 8



S Klein — Matric

## Doomed

The mangled mass, a sad reminder, a graveyard;  
Once a flying machine;  
Destined to seal its passengers' doom,  
A human error never to be forgotten.

The unnecessary occurrence,  
Death for no cause,  
The ambulances remove the corpses,  
While men strive to find reason,  
To put their minds to rest.

Mark Egan – Standard 6

## Meteor Attack

Darkness  
The world asleep  
A loud explosion shatters  
The peace, waking me  
With a start  
I turn to the window  
Looking up, filled with  
Terror and awe  
As millions of glowing splinters  
Fall from the sky  
Like sparks from a blacksmith's anvil  
The house begins to shake  
And tremble  
Plaster falling, stone crumbling  
Pots and pans clanging  
Then stillness  
A giant returning to sleep  
J Jacobs – Standard 6

## Ngisiza Ubaba Engadini

Ngisiza ubaba engadini ngeSonto. Sisika imithi futhi nginisela izimbali nezimbewu. Ubaba umbu umgodi ngesipedi futhi ngisika uthango ngesikele. Umama ukwenza unamenedi, Siwuphuza. Ntambama ngihula utshani futhi usisi ulungisa ilantshi. Sigqoka izigqoko ngoba kuyashisa phandle.

Guiseppa Jerman – Standard 7

## Ekhaya Ngomgqibelo

Ekuseni ngivuka ngophasi-7. Ngiya ekhishini futhi ngidla ibhulakufesi.

Ngo-8 ngisiza ubaba engadini nginisela izimbali futhi ngimba umgodi ukutshala izimbewu. Ngo-10 ngiya ukugeza futhi ngiphuza itiyi. Ngo-11 ngisiza umama ekhishini ngigeza amabhodwe nezinkomishi.

Ngo-1 Sidla ilantshi, futhi sidlala imidlalo. Ntambama ngiyafunda, ngibukela umdlalo e-tv futhi ngilalela irediyo.

Nog-6 sidla idina, bese sibukela itv.

Ngiyolala ngo-9.

Chad Schmitt – Standard 7

## Ekhaya Ntambama

Ngiya ekhaya ntambama. Ngibhala futhi ngifunda amabhuku. Ngidla isendiwishi. Ngidlala ibhola engadini. Ehlobo ngibhukuda ekhaya. Uma ubaba uya ekhaya, umdeni udla inhlanzi nevegi. Ngibukela iT.V. Umdeni uyalala.

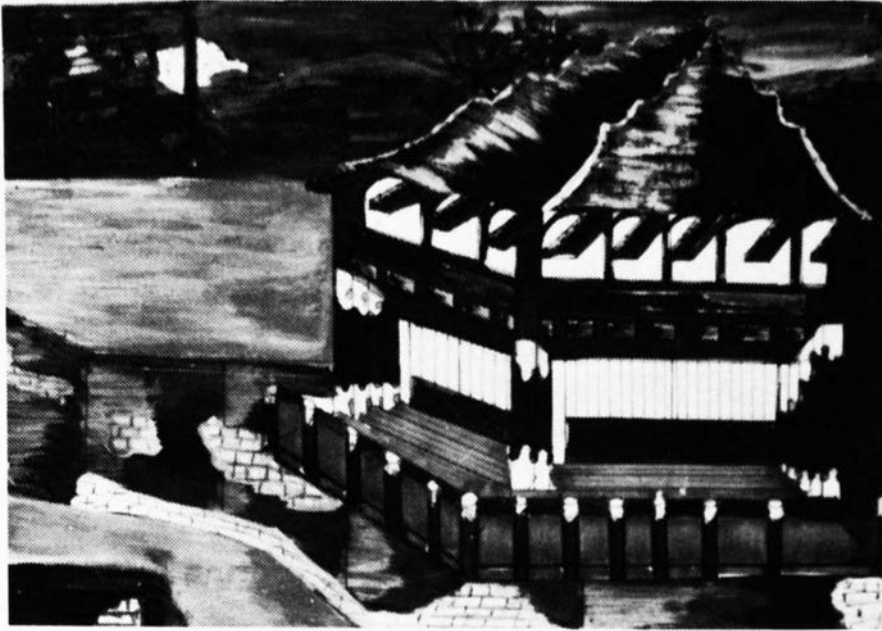
Justin van Lienden – Standard 6

## Ekhaya Ntambama

Ngihlala eFordsburg. Ekhaya ngidlala ntambama. Ngiphuza itiyi. Ngidla isinkwa. Ngifunda ibhuku, nesizulu. Ngithanda ukudlala ibhola. Angithandi ukudlala ihoki ekhaya. Ngibukela i-tv.

Jeetesh Kathawaroo – Standard 6





A Battistich — Standard 8

### Fifteen

At the edge of the railing  
in a shopping centre I saw  
a beautiful girl with blonde hair flowing  
as she stood there in blue jeans, passive beauty  
paused in motion. I was fifteen.

I gaped at the sleek elegance, the  
streamlined body, the sparkling eyes  
pondering in thought, she returned my  
gaze as we locked sight, I saw  
how I longed for a companion. I was fifteen.

We could cross the horizon, find  
joy in one another's company. I thought  
of other liasons, and smiling hopefully  
regained my confidence. Across the gap  
we felt a knowing feeling, a compatability.  
I was fifteen.

Hesitating, around the corner came her  
boyfriend, only now seeing her, after waiting  
elsewhere. He had a gift in his hand, was  
strong — I watched him walk to his girl. He put  
his arm around her, glanced at me, turned and left.

I stood there fifteen.

Grant Nader — Standard 7

### Fifteen

Towards the willow tree in the backyard  
I walked  
I whistled slowly for my life long friend;  
A man's best friend.  
No response. I was fifteen.

I peeped behind this willow  
and sure enough,  
there was my friend.  
I whistled yet again.  
No response. I was fifteen.

Kneeling beside my best friend,  
I stroked him gently.  
He was cold.  
I shook him in desperation.  
No response. I was fifteen.

Hugging him, a tear of bitterness rolled down  
our of my eye.

I gazed at the heavens in despair;  
A momentary lapse of reason.

Wanda Shuenyane — Standard 7

### The Car

It was my first time  
and I was nervous,  
as anybody would have been.  
I sat in the luxurious seat and waited, I was fifteen.

Admiring the shiny steering-wheel.  
I started the car smartly and drove.  
It was a wonderful feeling,  
it made me feel like a man  
who steered a powerful machine. I was fifteen.

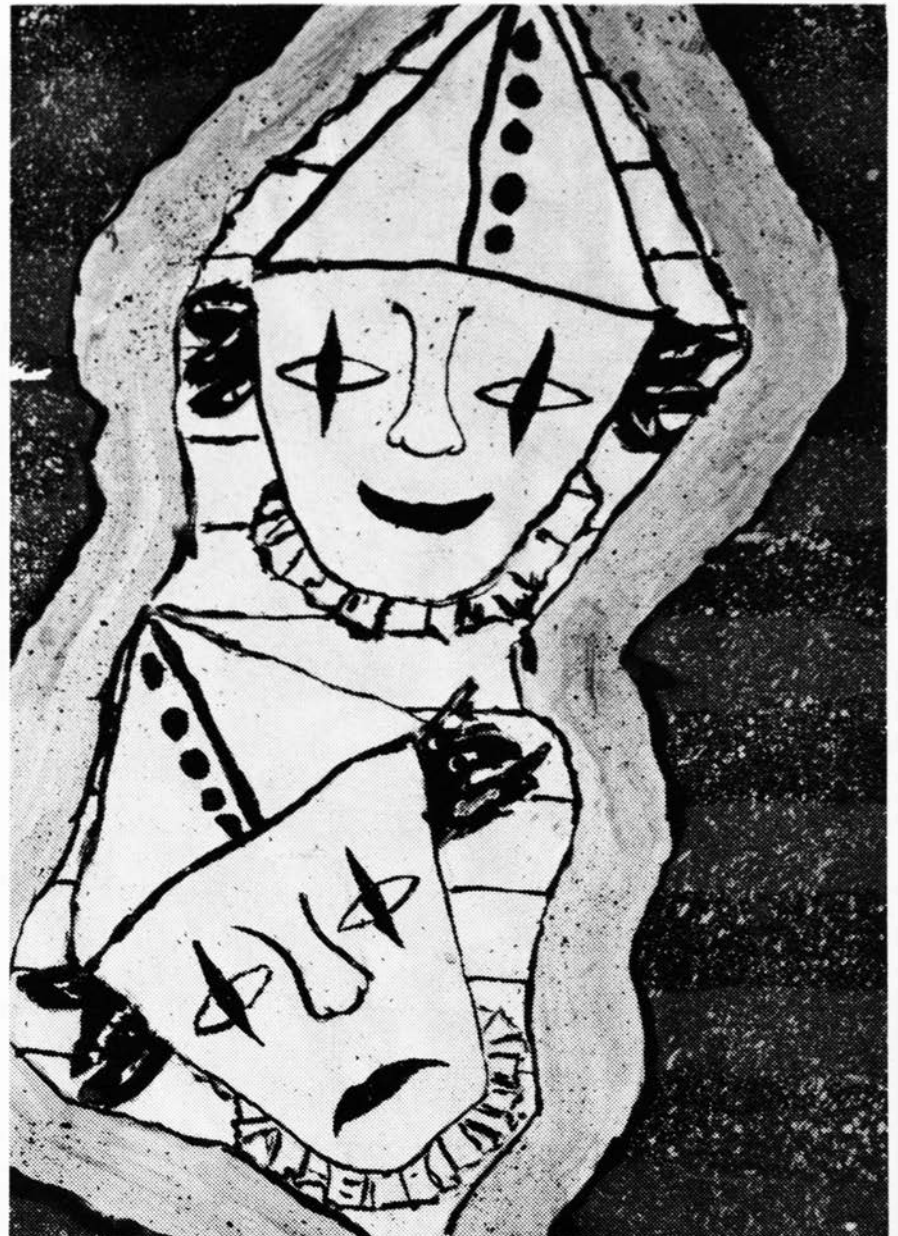
I eventually grew bolder and accelerated  
the road whizzed past as I accelerated even more.  
I rode and rode for I don't know how long,  
until we were back. I was fifteen.

"No more driving for you son till you are sixteen",  
said my dad.

I looked at the car,  
which I would only be driving again,  
in a years time.

I was fifteen.

Robert Kalebka — Standard 7



B Elphick — Standard 4



## EZRA POUND, COUPLETS – Standard 6

A slow, consistent, rising office structure  
A growing human being

Andrew Moffat

Teacher's cane ready to strike  
A mousetrap waiting patiently

Mark Egan

Two countries fighting for some reason,  
A couple going to be divorced.

Jeetesh Kathawaroo

## DYLAN THOMAS COUPLETS – Standard 6

Did you ever see a rugby player?  
Ground-stamping, sweat-masked, torn-eared, strong.

Justin van Lienden

Have you ever seen a tank?  
Town-destroying, metal-bodied, mechanically-minded,  
awesome.

Jonathan Jacobs

Did you ever see a burger?  
Meat-sizzling, lettuce-hanging, bun-rounded, delicious.

Ryan Lambert

Have you ever seen silver?  
Bright-shining, sun-glinting, expensive-looking, wealth.

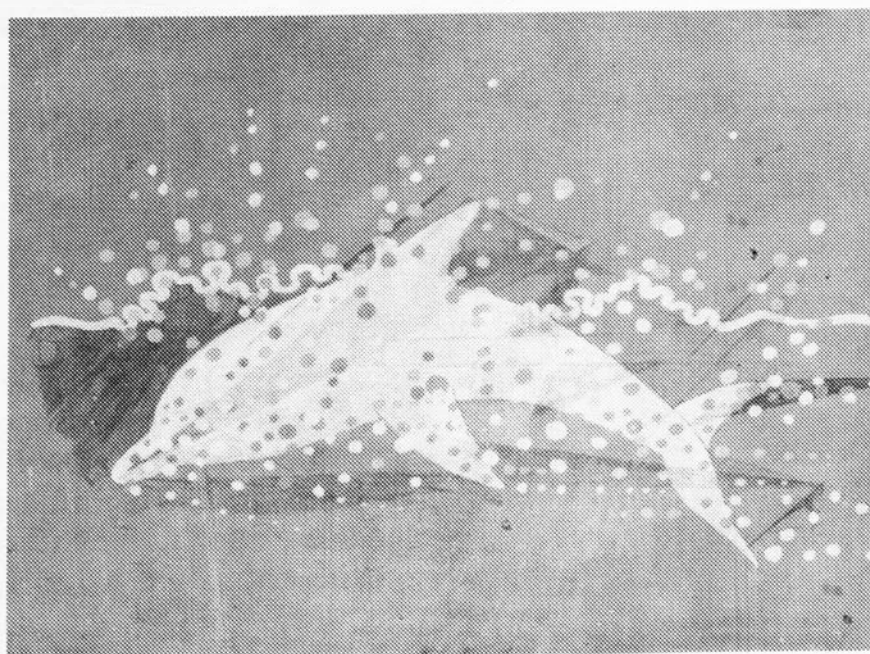
Christiaan Barnard

Did you ever see a space man?  
Planet-jumping, machine-building, flag-planting, quiet.

Peter Batistich

Did you ever see a golfer?  
Divot-making, balls-slicing, clubs-flying, crazy.

Christopher Hodgson



L Notman — Matric

## The Intruder

Bouncing and beating,  
In the thick, tensed atmosphere,  
Which says, Cut me!"

The atmosphere frowns,  
As this intruder  
Buzzes, whizzes and zooms through.

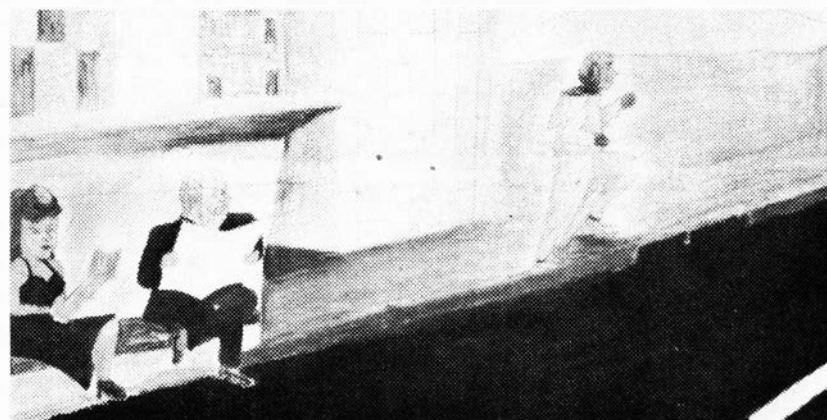
Then a tight and taught muscular movement  
Of years, of tears and training,  
Of fears and pain,  
This mere mortal spits and speeds,  
And with an infuriated instrument,  
He widly whacks this intruder.

Then a second spurt of speed, strain and strength,  
Runs rudely for a whack of his own,  
But misses by miles.

Snip, snip, snip,  
The atmosphere sighs,  
As it is at last scissored.

The relieved atmosphere,  
The two mortals—  
One thrilled,  
The other disappointed,  
Realize the tennis tournament is finally over!

Yusuf Mayet — Standard 8



S Nkosi — Standard 7

## The Iron Bird

Blades swishing just inches above my head  
Body gleaming in full armour  
displaying the awesome splendour of its power  
Its engines hiss, hiss.

It releases its fumes  
in soft sighing secretions.  
It awaits its master's command  
It stands there  
ready

With ruby-red eyes  
it shows no mercy  
but rogue-like aggression

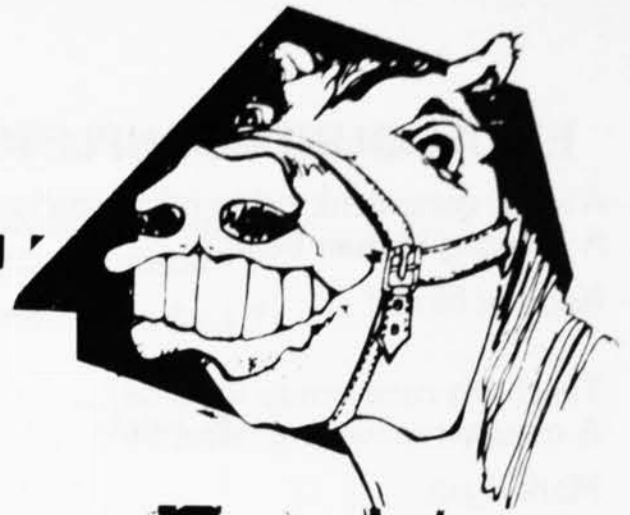
I cannot hear what it says  
but I understand its body-language

It stands there  
a supernatural invention  
of man's imagination  
an Iron Bird, behold.

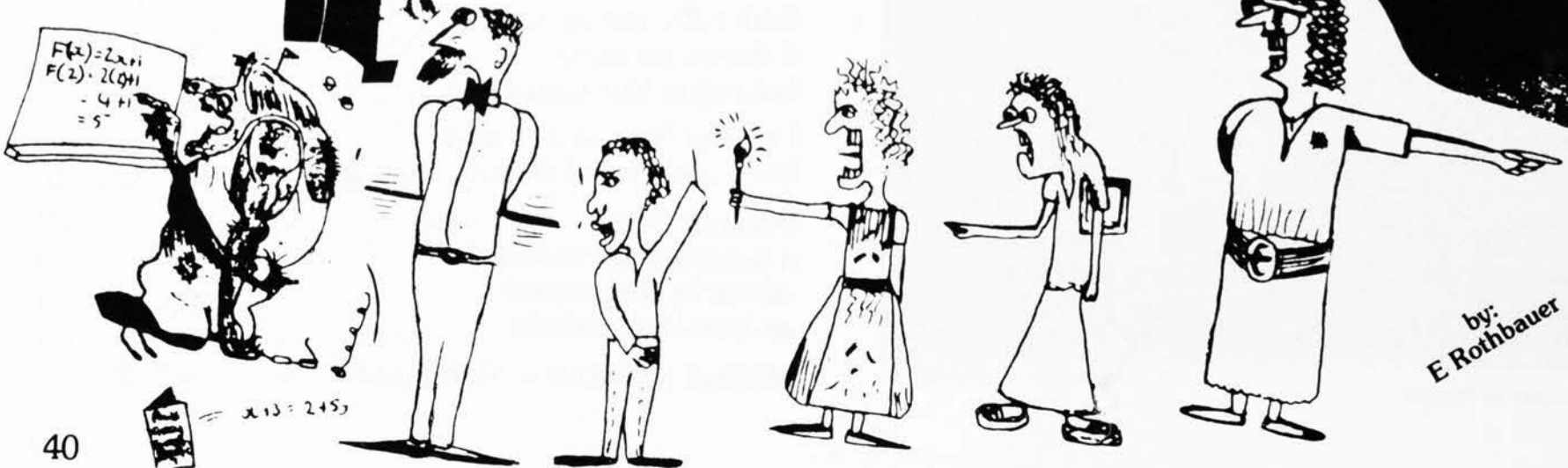
Michael X Ndlovu — Standard 8



# Straight from the Horses mouth ■ ■ ■



MR FINLAYSON — Teacher leave them kids alone!  
 MR WEBSTER — You can leave your hat on  
 MISS COOK — Sweet sixteen  
 MR HEALE — When will I be famous?  
 MRS ELLIOT — Leader of the pack  
 MRS SLATTERY — Shout! Shout! Let it all out.  
 MISS MAHLANGU — Fast car  
 MR SCHAFFERS — Don't worry, be happy  
 MR DE SOUZA — Here comes the man  
 MRS DE SOUZA — My hart verlang na die Boland  
 MR OLIVER — Missionary man  
 MISS JENKS — Honeymoon in Beirut  
 MRS RYAN (MATRON) — Like a surgeon  
 MRS JOHNSON — Run around Prue!  
 MRS POVALL — Dancing Shoes  
 MRS GORE — What a wonderful world  
 FATHER BREWER — Sunday! Sunday!  
 MISS JOSEPH — You're the one that I want.  
 MRS McKEOWN — Nommer Asseblief  
 MRS SZEWCZUK — Lets get Physical  
 MRS CARTER — Starry, starry night  
 MR BOSWELL — its got to be perfect  
 MRS DOWN — I'm fat!  
 MISS GLYN-THOMAS — I still haven't found what  
 I'm looking for . . .  
 MRS HUGHES — Underneath the radar



by:  
E Rothbauer



# Business Game

Glen Ford (Managing Director), Warren Flemmer (Financial Director), Mark Allen (Marketing Director), Brian Steele and Sean Johnstone (Research and development consultants) were the five members of the ICL business game which began with a briefing at the King Edwards High School. A Chartered Accountant outlined the rules and regulations of the business game.

Our objective was to make as much accumulated profit as possible in one year. The year was divided into four periods. After each period, we received a quarterly report which had to be carefully analysed before the decisions of the following period could be made.

Six companies with their own research, development and marketing division were formed. Each company had an imaginary product to sell in the preliminary round, the companies had to sell a water purifier. The main complications which arose, were the rate of production and amounts allocated to marketing.

We came first out of the six companies in the preliminary round and were promoted to the quarter finals. Here we encountered tougher competition and were unable to devote the necessary time to the competition due to the fact that we were writing our mid-year examinations. We were thus, beaten to second place and not promoted to the semi-finals.



## ICL BUSINESS GAME

*Back Row (left to right): S Johnstone; B Steele; G Ford (M D); W Flemmer; M Allen*

## Debating 1988

This year's debating season, although short, was regarded as a great success by all participants; even though we only won one out of the three debates. It was regarded as such, in view of the fact that it was only the College's second season in which we participated in the Helen Suzman Debating League.

In our first debate against King David Victory Park (which we narrowly lost) we opposed the motion:

"Love seeketh only self to please". Our speakers (David MacManus, Roderick Stirling and Brian Steele) spoke exceptionally well but an inexperienced and somewhat nervous "Floor" were incapable of containing the opposing floor.

Our second debate against La Salle College was a onesided affair with our speakers (Roderick Stirling, Brian Steele and Mark Allen) clearly outclassing the opposing side and a more confident floor dominating the open discussion. We won this debate hands down. Our motion was "Mortality consists of accepting the standards of one's age". We proposed.

In our third and final debate against Redhill in which the new format "court room" debate was introduced, our Standard 9 speakers (Frederick Barnard, Wayne Müller and Sifiso Ngwenya) performed exceptionally well and the now experienced "floor" proved their worth. The new format resulted in the debate being judged along legal instead of standard debating lines and it was here that the College lost points. Consequently the debate was narrowly won by Redhill, who were somewhat surprised at the outcome! They are regarded as one of the best sides in the League.

One of the most pleasing aspects of the season was the number of Standard Sixes who showed such an active interest and this holds great promise for the future. The teams would like to thank Mrs Elliot and Mr and Mrs De Souza for their time and interest. We would like to take this opportunity to wish next year's team the very best of luck!

Mark Allen  
Roderick Stirling



## DEBATING

*Back Row (left to right): S Ngwenya; F Barnard; W Müller; S Johnstone; R Stirling; B Steele; M Allen*



## CHESS

This year, the chess team, captained by Glen Ford of the A-team and Mark Germishuys of the B-team, took part in two competitions. The 5-a-side knockout competition and the school's Chess League.

Both teams entered the 5-a-side knockout. Although the B-team was knocked out in the first round, the A-team played on and managed to reach the quarter finals. Special mention must be made to Mark Walsh and Sifiso Ngwenya who played extremely well, winning all their games.

For the first time St David's entered two teams in School's Chess League. The B-team was filled with unexperienced players but what lacked in strength, they made up in perseverance and determination. Although their results were not as well as it could have been, it gave a good indication of their potential. On the whole, the members of the B-team enjoyed a good game of sociable chess.

The A-team was placed in the First Division being the top of the League, the opponent's took the game

more seriously and were very much dedicated to their game. We faced a number of difficult games. We fared satisfactory considering that we ran into difficulties with the availability of certain key players \*see end.

Lastly, I would like to thank Mr and Mrs de Souza for so kindly offering their support and to Mrs Germishuys who organised all the refreshments.

I encourage the boys to practice and possibly be more successful the following year.

### Results — Knock out Competition

"A" Team	vs KES "B"	won 8-2
	vs Observatory "A"	won 6-4
	vs King David	lost 7-3

### League Competition

"A" Team	vs Highlands	won 6-4
	vs King David's	lost 9-1
	vs Observatory	lost 6-4
	vs Sandringham	drew 5-5
	vs Bryanston	won 6-4
	vs KES	lost 7-3



**'A' TEAM CHESS**

Back Row (left to right): G Carera; A Parsons; S Ngwenya  
 Back Row (left to right): K Wilson; Q Loo; G Ford; W Flemmer;  
 B Odendaal



**'B' TEAM CHESS**

Back Row (left to right): G Taylor; O Hesketh-Maré; S Wach  
 Seated: J Loo; C McLuckie; M Germishuys; D McAleenan; K Wilson

## The Black Cat, 702 Schools Relay

The Relay was open to boys and girls aged 12 – 19 years. St David's entered three teams, two in the 16 – 19 years groups and one in 12 – 15 years group. The A team — called themselves Team St David's and consisted of:

Dennis O'Regan, Sean O'Regan, Terry von Guillaume, Vincent Gore, David Wood, Sean Wageng.

The B team called themselves Road Runners and consisted of:

Michael Ndlovu, Simon Johnson, Michael Trumble, Trevor Fioré, Wilfred Goxo and Craig Bailey from the Junior School who stood in (at the last minute) for one of the boys who didn't pitch up. He ran like a star with no long distance training.

The Junior team called themselves Mini Marist and consisted of:

Robin O'Regan, Darko Vidas, Lee Visser, Stephan Barrow, Harold Penberthy and Ricardo Nani.

The race was run over a distance of 25 kms, from Megawatt Park to Wendywood Primary to Sandown High to Redhill School to Bryneven to Rivonia Primary and back to Megawatt Park where the whole team met for Prizegiving and live entertainment by 702 Disc Jockeys. Mr van der Merwe rode his cycle around the course encouraging the front runners and then went back to school to light fires for the boys and parents for a braai. A good time was had by all. The boys ran very well and finished within a good time.

Good Luck for next year boys.





## Athletics

### Inter House

A concentrated 1988 season was highlighted by some outstanding performances which resulted in the establishment of nine new records. One pleasing feature was the breaking of the longstanding record by Philip Wrightson, Ivo Rugani and Gavin Behr. St David's have a number of excellent athletes backed up by a core of enthusiastic Juniors, forming the basis for useful individual and team performances in future. For the fourth year in succession Benedict House comfortably emerged as the winners. In the Inter House competition the final points position was as follows:

Benedict: 495 points	College: 332 points
Osmond: 376 points	Bishops: 317 points

#### New records:

U/13: R Lambert:	High Jump
U/14: J Lamb:	Hurdles
U/15: G Behr:	100m, 400m, 800m, 1500m: previously established in 1972
U/16: I Rugani:	Javelin: previously established in 1971
Open: D Wood:	3000m
P Wrightson:	100m: previously established in 1967

#### Age Group Winners:

U/13 R Lambert	U/15 G Behr
U/14 M Morrison	U/16 G Garcia and I Rugani
	Open D Wood

### Inter School Meetings

**Captain:** Mark Allen

**Vice Captain:** Clive Reid

The College team participated in only two meetings this year — our re-entry into the Inter-Catholic league unfortunately having been rained out. A comfortable victory over Saheti and taking second place to St John's in the Triangular against St John's/St Martin's brought the season to an end.

#### Awards:

The success of an individual athlete lies in hard training, confidence and the ambition to succeed. At the end of the season the following age group scrolls were awarded:

U/13:	O Gallizio, R Lambert, F Maraschin and C Sullivan
U/14:	J Lamb, M Morrison and M Maritzen
U/15:	I Batistich, G Behr, V Gore, D O'Regan, T von Guillaume, S Wach
U/16:	G Garcia, I Rugani, L Wilgen
Open:	M Allen, W Goxo, E Ralph, P Wrightson, D Wood (re-awarded)

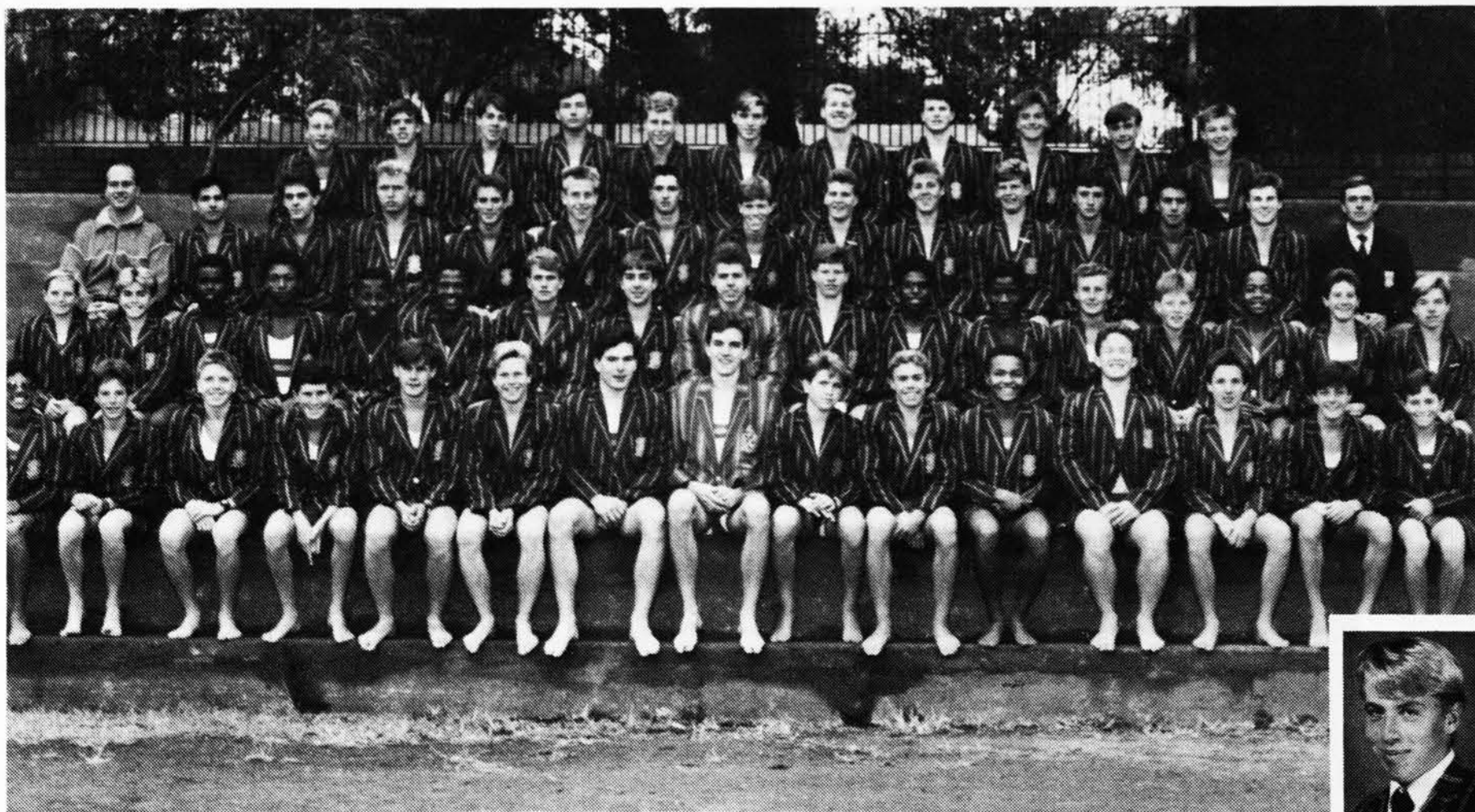
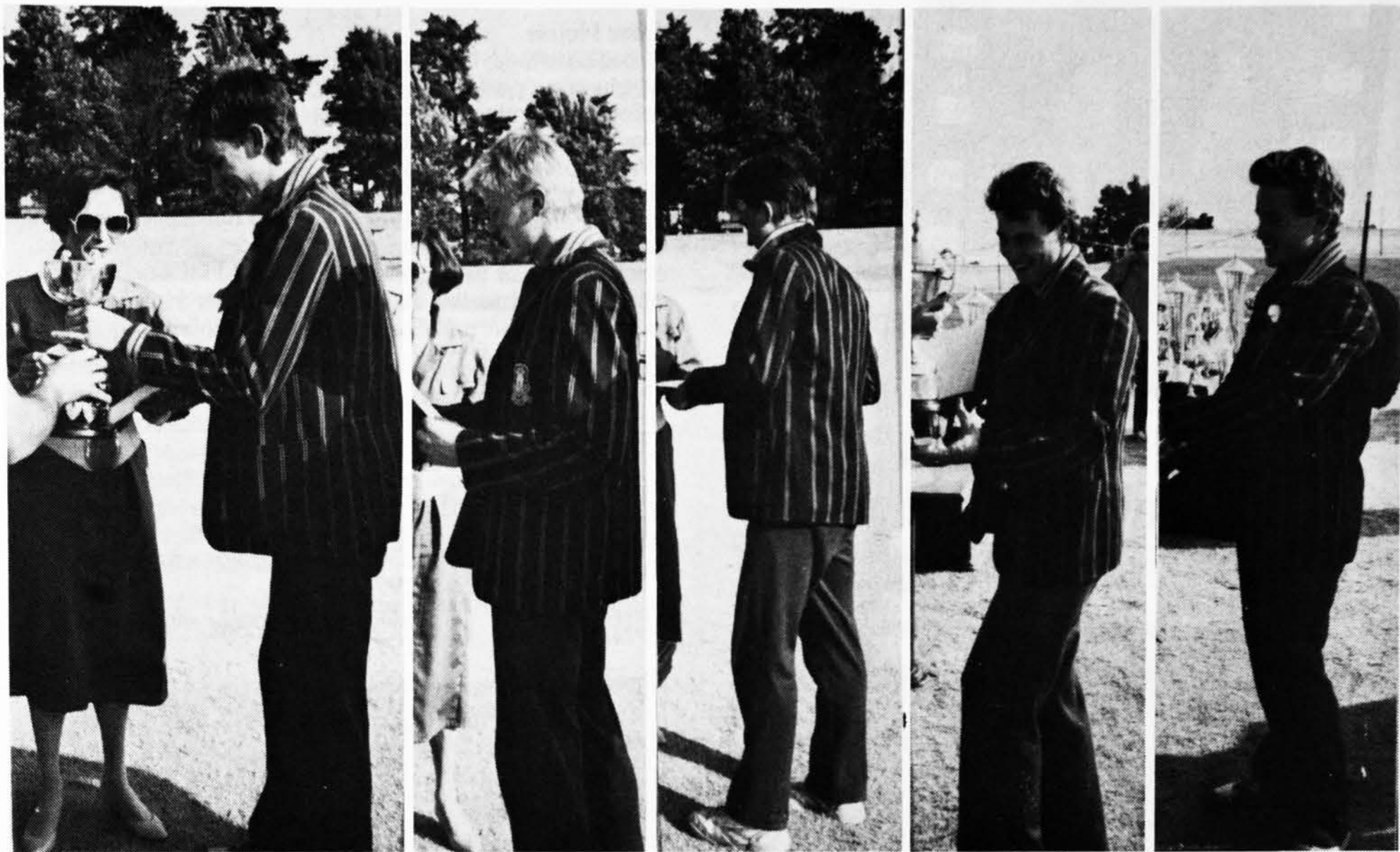
Clive Reid was awarded his athletics' tie.

Sean Wageng was awarded the Sandton Mayoral Trophy for the hardest trier.

A special word of thanks to all the athletes who contributed towards making 1988 an enjoyable and successful season: to Mark Allen and Clive Reid for their organization and leadership and to the parents who gave their support. To conclude, my sincere thanks in particular to Mr Webster and Fr Brewer both of whom unselfishly gave up their time to assist in the coaching and organization during the athletics' season.

C Finlayson

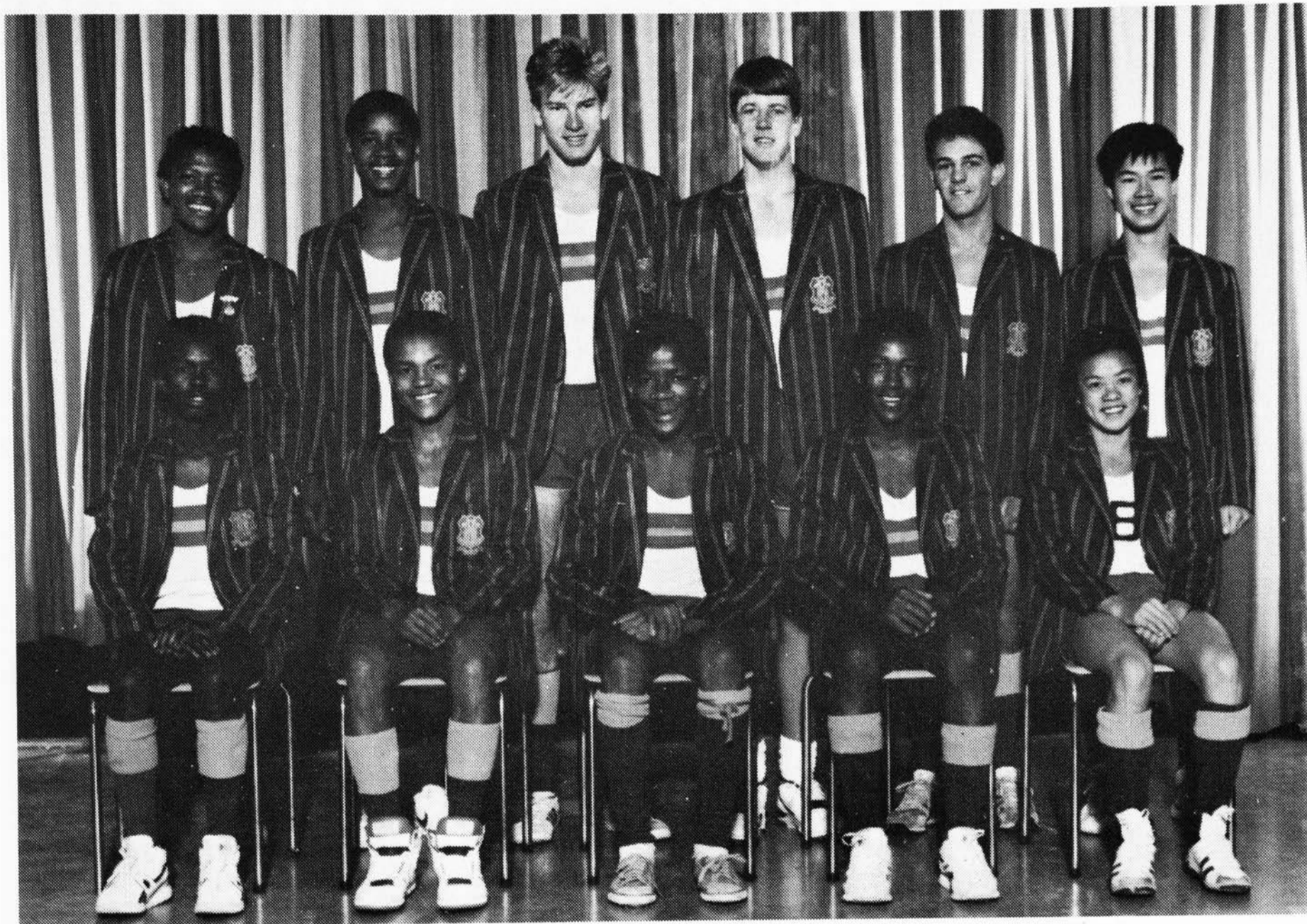




**ATHLETICS**

*4th Row:* P Vidas; G Wickins; I Batistich; I Rugani; M Green; D Wood; A Van den Heever; S Green; D Bietrix; G Behr; R Lambert  
*3rd Row:* B Webster (coach); G Garcia; F Tommasi; E Ralph; S O'Regan; J Lamb; S Wach; T Fiore; M Germishuys; A Batistich; L Brebnor;  
 L Green; S Hackner; P Wrightson; C Finlayson (coach)  
*2nd Row:* D Steele, C Sullivan; S Wageng; M Ndlovo; T Hermanus; W Goxo; D O'Regan; J van Lienden; R Murabito; M Maritzen; R Farisani;  
 W Elephant; R Hudson; A Rose; G Tsatsane; O Gallizio; A Fivaz  
*1st Row:* M Allen (capt); S Zimelka; T von Guillaume; W Shuenyane; M Morrison; R Russell; M Ballantine; M Pardini  
*Inset:* P Garrioch.





## SENIOR BASKETBALL

*Back Row (left to right): S Ngwenya; E Morais; A Murdoch; M Visinsky; F Tommasi; Q Loo  
Seated: S Wageng; W Shuenyane; W Elephant; J Mabaso; D Nean*

## Basketball

Over the past year basketball has really grown at the College. The two coaches Marco Pardine and Carlos Mender put in a tremendous effort and both Senior and Junior teams showed a marked improvement. The Senior team played an extremely exciting game against KES at the end of the season. The final score was 34-33. This clearly illustrates the improvement as KES had beaten us comprehensively the time before.

A number of boys were sent to the Southern Transvaal trials. Two boys were selected for the Southern Transvaal Colts side. Congratulations to Joseph Mabaso and Sifiso Ngwenya on their selection.

They travelled to Cape Town for the Inter-Provincial Tournament.

With the encouraging results shown by the teams in the 87-88 season we can expect even better results in 88/89.

Dea Slattery — Teacher in charge



*Joseph Mabaso and Sifiso Ngwenya were chosen as the Transvaal Colt Basketball Representatives.*





**JUNIOR BASKETBALL**

*Back Row (left to right): T Hermanus; F Tommasi; M Visinsky; D McAleenan; B Ford  
Seated: J Loo; C Magni; T Peta; W Shuenyane; D Nean*



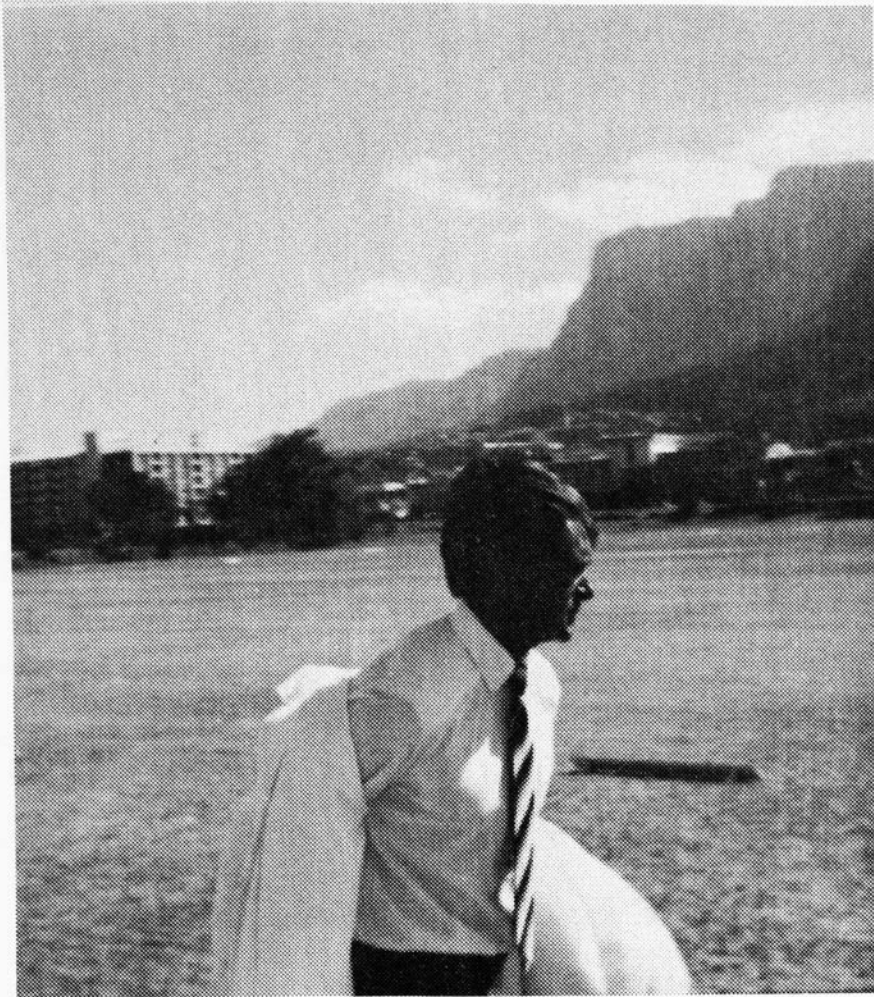
**N Wilgen — Standard 6**



**BUSINESS GAME**

*Back Row (left to right): W Müller; F Taddei  
Middle Row: J Khoury; S Ngwenya; G Ford; N Nader; W Flemmer*





## First XI Cricket Report

The policy of improving the standard of cricket was maintained and a number of new fixtures were introduced. Despite fielding only two matrics the youthful 1988 side under the leadership of Brian Steele and Mark Allen acquitted themselves well.

There were several keenly fought contests, the team coming out on the credit side with particularly notable victories over Bryanston and the experienced Wanderers Nomads XI. Generally the players worked hard at their game and more than held their own against the opposition. Due to the inexperience of the side, much of their play was immature resulting in the unnecessary loss of wickets and fielding lapses.

Players who have improved this year are Pascal Garrioch and Ivo Rugani who have both bowled consistently and economically with notable success. Nuno Berolsky is an extremely promising wicket keeper from whom a lot can be expected. In the batting department Ivo Rugani and Graham Evans made useful contributions.

It must be noted that there are a number of players in the wings with potential and who are expected to come to the fore in the future. With the valuable experience gained by the younger players, coupled with the necessary dedication, the side can look forward to further progress.

### Awards:

Scrolls: Brian Steele and Mark Allen

Ties: Nuno Berolsky and Pascal Garrioch

To conclude, my thanks to all the student coaches, catering personnel and groundstaff for their contribution to an enjoyable and successful term's cricket. My sincere thanks to Trevor Fiore for his enthusiasm in undertaking the onerous task of scoring for the First XI.

C Finlayson – Master in Charge

### Results of First Team games played in Third Term 1987

#### First XI

Beat St Henry's by 21 runs (Steele 70 NO; Sapseid 6-52; Rugani 3-24)

Beat Randburg for 4 wickets (Sapseid 3-41)

Beat Edenglen by 114 runs (Rugani 40; Sapseid 3-14)

Lost to Sandringham by 8 wickets

Drew with Sandown (Allen 34)

Drew with CBC Boksburg (Turner 5-40; Evans 63)

Beat De La Salle by 69 runs (Steele 87 NO; Evans 101 NO; Rugani 6-23)

Beat St Martins by 6 wickets (Steel 40; Evans 35; Rugani 4-36; Ashby 3-6)

Beat Hyde Park by 7 wickets (Steele 64; Allen 47 NO; Evans 30; Rugani 4-64)

### Results of First XI games played in First Term 1988

#### First XI

Lost to Highlands North by 8 wickets (Rugani 22)

Beat Bryanston by 3 wickets (Evans 35; Rugani 6-16; Behr 3-37)

Beat Florida Park by 87 runs (Evans 52 NO; Rugani 68 NO; Rugani 4-6)

Drew with Randburg (Green 39; Evans 50)

Beat Wanderers Nomads by 5 wickets (Rugani 36; Rugani 5-56)

Beat St Stithians B by 7 wickets (Rugani 61 NO; Evans 36 NO; Evans 3-19)





**1st 'XI' CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): G Garcia; C Ashby; I Rugani; M Green; G Wickins; G Behr  
Seated: M Palmer; B Steele (capt), C Finlayson (coach); M Allen (vice-capt); N Berolsky  
Inset: P Garrioch.*

- Lost to CBC Boksburg by 6 wickets (Evans 62 NO)
- Lost to CBC Pretoria by 5 runs (Garrioch 7-20; Rugani 3-28)
- Beat Northview by 22 runs (Evans 32, Rugani 35, Rugani 3-6, Green 3-24)
- Drew with Hyde Park (Evans 40, Rugani 4-34, Garrioch 4-45)
- Lost to Ixopo by 3 wickets (Garrioch 6-22)
- Beat St Henry's by 40 runs (Steele 34, Garrioch 7-25)

In addition to the First XI, the College fielded seven other sides who produced satisfactory overall results. The Seconds, Colts and Nomad teams had their ups and their downs but the players showed a keen interest and were happy sides. In particular the U/13A and U/14A sides recorded some fine victories and it is encouraging to note the number of promising players in their age groups. The dress of the sides was commendable and they all played in the true spirit of the game collectively contributing to a pleasing term of cricket. Well done to the following who were awarded their cricket scrolls at the end of the First Term:

**Under 13** O Gallizio  
R Lambert  
D Steele  
C Sullivan

**Under 14** P Rennie  
R Russell

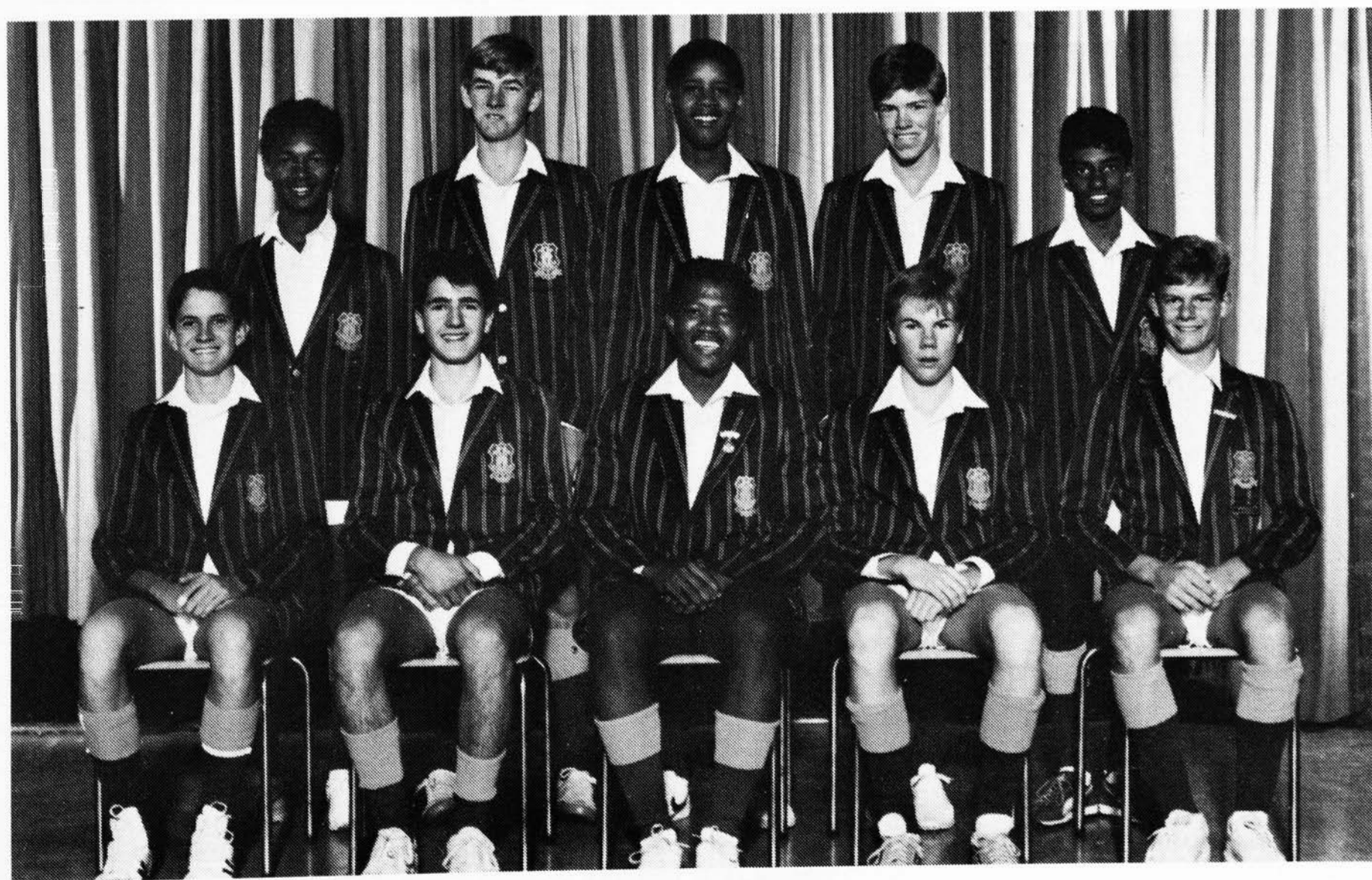






**2nd CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): R Moy; R Berardo; C Moraitis; D Wood; G Taylor; G Boltman  
Seated: S Hackner; E Ralph; H Geddes; S Green (capt); R Murabito; J Pegg; M Reidy*



**NOMADS CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): M Ndlovu; D Homan; E Morais; T Fiore; R Odayar  
Seated: J P Renouprez; N Nader; S Ngwenya; A Parsons; L Brebnor*





**UNDER 14 'A' CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): N Dods; A Campouroglou  
 Middle Row: P Monaise; E Massey; M Maritzen; G Nader  
 Seated: G Tsatsani; C Herr; R Russell (capt); S Zimelka; C McFadden*



**UNDER 14 'B' CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): M Elsbury; C Arlow; B Levick  
 Middle Row: Q Mdlulwa; G Carlisle; R Kalebka; M Swanson  
 Seated: C Schmitt; M Ballantine; N Coles (capt); D Nkosi; K Stirling*





**UNDER 13 'A' CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): A Farber; R Lambert; R Hudson  
 Middle Row: C Hodgson; G Pin; D Gallizio; M Pardini  
 Seated: M Patterson; C Sullivan; B Steele (capt); J Sebati; K Wilson*

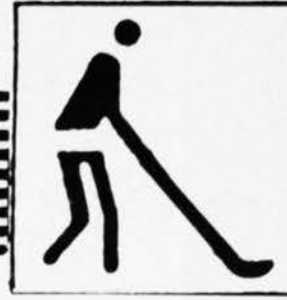


**UNDER 13 'B' CRICKET**

*Back Row (left to right): P Gerard; M Gonsalves; R Farisani; F Maraschin; G Ramsey; M Egan  
 Seated: G Austin; J Kathawaroo; B French (capt); R Bulbulia; B Arlow*



# Hockey



## SENIOR HOCKEY REPORT

The third hockey season came to a successful close this year. This has been by far the best season since the introduction of the sport at the school. This year saw four teams in operation: Two junior and two senior teams. The first team proved to be stable and consistent throughout the season. The second team began to get and enjoyed more fixtures that were arranged for the season. The first team once again participated in the Aitken trophy. This tournament has provided excellent exposure, for the relatively uninitiated. Our rating out of twenty six schools has risen from 24th position last year to 19th — well done. The first team captain, Vincent Gore, was once again selected to play for the Southern Transvaal U/15. The season ended with an inter-house competition that was enjoyed by all. (May we thank the Ashby family for introducing the first hockey trophy for the winners of this competition.) Our thanks go to our two coaches Mrs B Szewczuk and Rob Craig, Mrs Ashby for arranging the refreshments and Mrs de Souza for her help with transport and support. The results of the seasons matches are as follows:

### 1st Team:

vs St Johns:	lost	5-2
vs Greenside:	lost	3-0
vs Queens:	won	4-2
vs Sandown:	lost	6-3
vs Dawnview:	won	7-0
vs Highlands North:	lost	5-1
vs Mondeor:	won	2-0
vs Hyde Park:	lost	3-2
vs Bryanston High:	lost	5-1
vs CBC Pretoria:	lost	2-0

### 2nd Team:

vs St Johns:	lost	4-1
vs Greenside:	lost	4-0
vs Queens:	won	2-0
vs Sandown:	lost	3-1
vs Highlands North:	lost	5-1
vs Mondeor:	lost	1-0
vs Hyde Park:	won	2-1
vs CBC Pretoria:	lost	5-2

A de Souza





**1st TEAM HOCKEY**

*Back Row (left to right): A Halliday; B Bradbury  
 Middle Row: L Brebner; A Parsons; Mr A de Souza; B Bietrix; D Layden  
 Seated: L Mossa (vice captain); V Gore (captain); C Ashby; I Timol; S O'Regan*



**2nd TEAM HOCKEY**

*Back Row (left to right): A Travis; R Moy; A Fortesque; N Nader; Q Loo  
 Middle Row: P Gore; C Blignaut; Mr A de Souza; P Jackson; S O'Regan*



## Junior Hockey Report

The Junior Hockey teams consisted of an U/13 and and U/15 side. The U/15 side was a combination of U/15 and U14 players. Both teams played a fair number of games, and although we did not always win, the spirit in which these games were played did the College proud.

We have many talented hockey players at the College and the quality of the game will improved from year to year if our players stay motivated.

We played in three tournaments this season, none of which were competitive. The aim was to improve the skills of the players and for enjoyment. The first tournament was held at Bryanston High School at the start of the season and is known as the U/15 Festival. Our very inexperienced U/13 and some U/14 players did very well and came back with much more experience!

The second U/15 Tournament was held at KES. At this tournament Provincial selections were made. Vincent Gore was selected for the second year in succession to represent his province — congratulations!

Our U/13 tournament was also held at KES and our Standard 6's won all their matches and scored many goals!

I would like to thank Patrick Gore (U/15 captain) and Alan Farber (U/13 captain) who led by example and who made my task so much easier.

The 1989 season is a few months from now and I am looking forward to an even more successful season and hope to field four junior sides!

### Results of games played

	U/15	U13
Greenside	lost: 2-1	drew: 1-1
St John's	lost: 9-1	—
Queens	—	won: 1-8
Sandown	lost: 1-3	—
Highlands North	lost: 3-0	lost: 3-0
Mondeor High	won: 7-0	—
Hyde Park	won: 2-1	won: 4-0
Bryanston High	won: 3-0	lost: 1-0
St Martins	won: 4-0	won: 1-0
King David	won: 3-0	won: 1-0

B Szewczuk



### UNDER 15 HOCKEY

*Back Row (left to right):* S Wach; A Suleman; L Mocci

*Middle Row:* A Farber; H Wadee; Mrs B Szewczuk; L Jackson; I Mongratie

*Seated:* E Rothbauer; A Fivaz; P Gore (captain); J Mantovan; G Pin; C Madhu; M Slattery

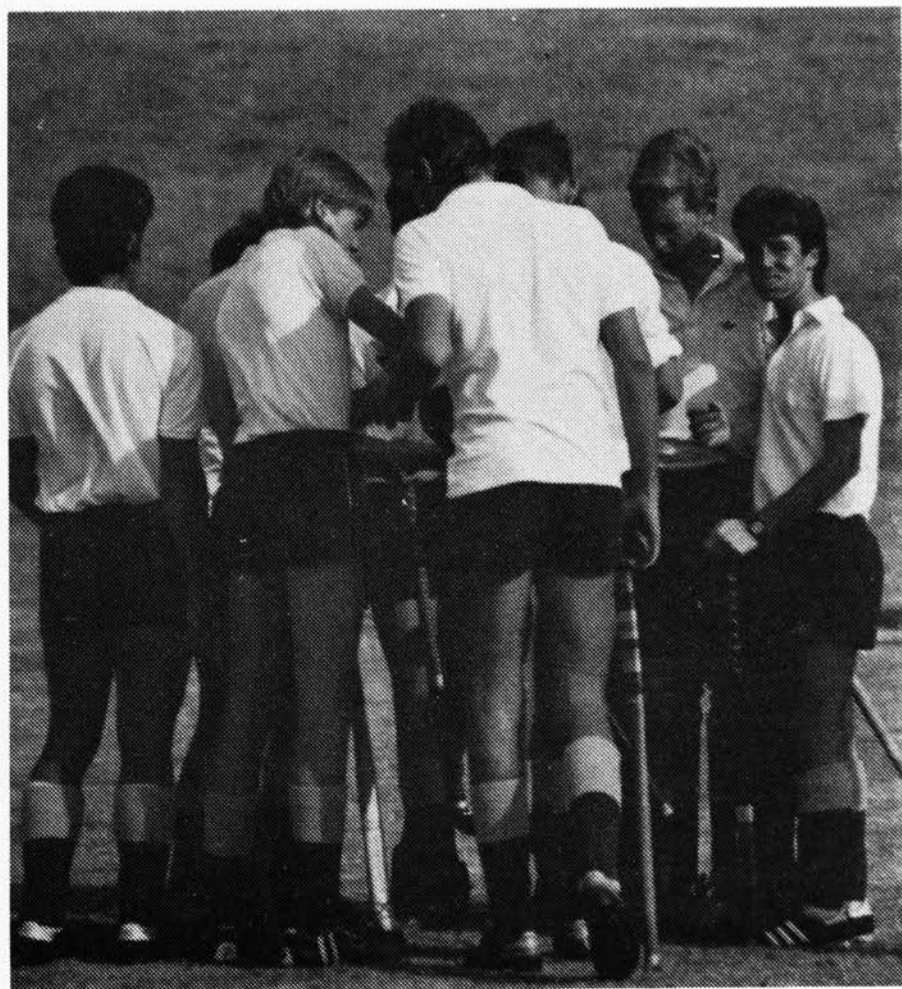
*Absent:* R Smith; C McLuckie





**UNDER 13 HOCKEY**

*Back Row (left to right): F Patel; A Zanella; N Wilgen  
 Middle Row: G Pin; A Rose; Mrs B Szewczuk; P Kahle; J Kathawaroo  
 Seated: M Ahmed; A Farber (captain); U Wilgen; K Wilson; J Loo  
 Absent: B Odendaal; A Basilico; E Varachia*





# Rugby

## Rugby Report

The College fielded two sides in each of the age groups and at times an additional Junior side during the 1988 season. A look at the record of results reflects that the standard of rugby at the College is in a healthy state at this stage. A number of new fixtures were introduced against the larger schools which might be construed as bad strategy, but it is better to confront teams from which we might learn something.

Mention must be made of Mary Ryan (Matron) and Father Brewer for their continuous support and encouragement, and my sincere thanks to all the ladies concerned with the catering for their unselfish efforts. My sincere appreciation to the staff coaches as well as the outside student coaches who all contributed to a successful season of rugby. Lastly, a word of appreciation to the players themselves who played the game in the true spirit of sportsmanship.

C Finlayson – Master in Charge

## First XV

The First XV came through a long and tough season and the players can certainly be proud of their overall performance. The side, ably led by Phillip Hayward and Mark Allen, demonstrated the spirit expected of a First Team and generally provided spectators with good entertainment.

1988 was a season characterised by some outstanding performances as well as some indifferent displays where the side went down by narrow margins which perhaps should have gone in our favour. In their defence we must take into account the lack of depth as well as the physical disadvantage in most matches. On Occasion U/15 players stood in and performed with courage and determination. One should remember the games that the team were expected to win and did, as well as the deserved and notable victories against strong sides like Athlone, Roosevelt and Sandown.

The following incident is, I think, a fine example of the spirit of the side. During one of the games it seemed as if the opposition were home and dry. A terse comment came from their coach to the effect that St David's sides had bounced back in the past after ap-



### 1st 'XV' RUGBY

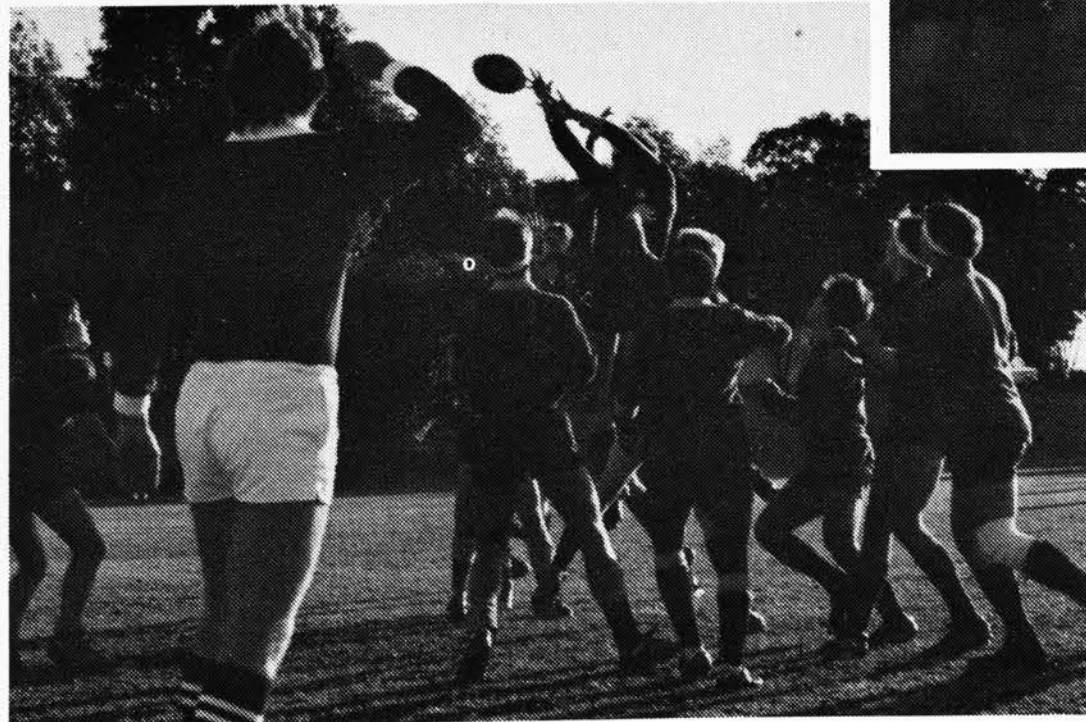
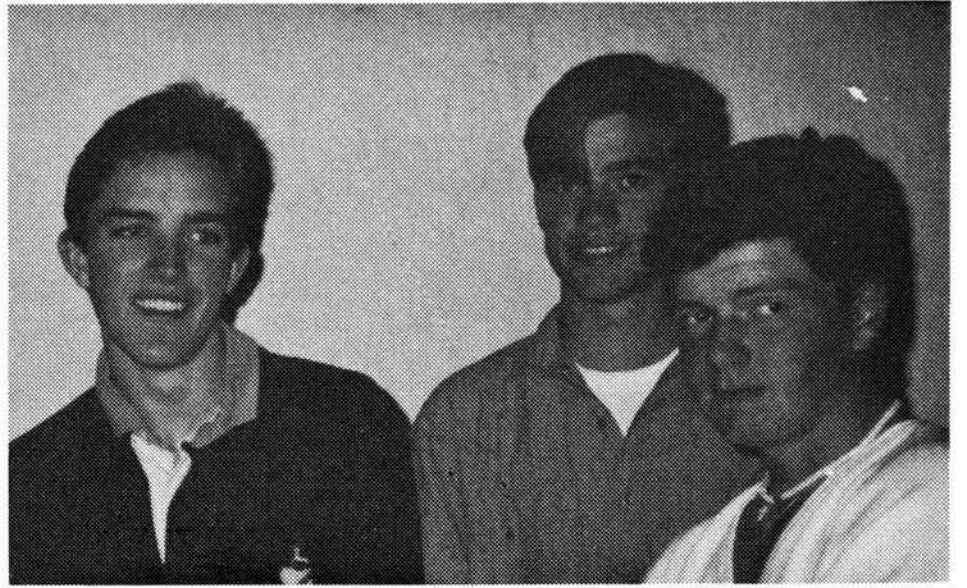
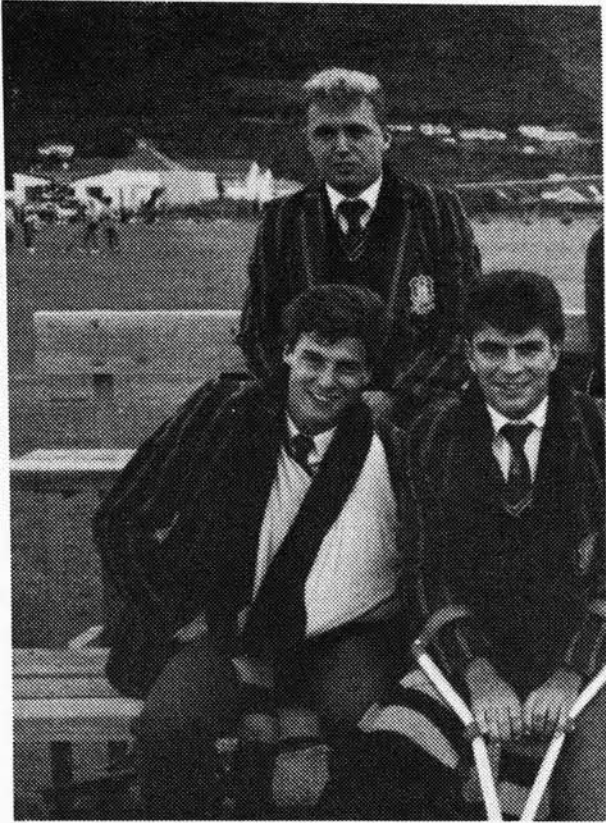
*Back Row (left to right):* D Wood, A Murdoch; S Green

*Middle Row:* D Rees; E Ralph; P Vidas; S Johnstone; I Rugani; H Geddes; R Murabito; R Stirling

*Seated:* J Khoury; P Wrightson; P Hayward (capt); C Finlayson (coach); M Allen; G Garcia; S Ngwenya



# Give us an: I-N-A-N-DA





pearing to be beaten. On reflection, an implied compliment — St David's won the game! In the main we have managed to instil into most of our players that sufficiency of determination and resolution which enables them to "hang in there" when the going gets tough.

St David's sides normally manage to breed a sufficient number of workmanlike forwards and this year was no exception. A pleasing feature was the backline who looked more dangerous on attack than in previous years and whose defence was normally sound.

At the end of the season Phillip Hayward, Remo Murabito, Simon Green, Phillip Wrightson and Paul Vidas were awarded their scrolls. The following players received rugby ties:

Mark Allen, Roderick Stirling, Sean Johnstone, Dean Rees, John Khoury, Pascal Garrioch, Andrew Murdoch, Edmund Ralph, David Wood.

To all the players, your efforts were appreciated. Well done!

C Finlayson — First XV Coach

## Under 15

The U/15A rugby team proved to be a well motivated, disciplined and determined young side. Apart from their two losses, Athlone (0-6) and King David Linksfield (8-12), all games were played in the right spirit, producing hard and entertaining rugby. The side was well captained by Simon Johnson and very few changes occurred during the season.

Of all the games, the first against St Stithians proved to be one of the most exciting, with the score ending at 9-8 in our favour. Well done to all players and good luck for next year.

The U/15B rugby side did very well losing only three of their fourteen matches during the season. They played their games in the correct spirit and as a result enjoyed them to the full. Fitness appeared to play an important part in their success and if they keep this up, they should enjoy the "Open" season next year.

Grant Heale — Master-in-Charge



### 2nd RUGBY

*Back Row (left to right):* R Nunes; A van den Heever; A Bouilliant

*Middle Row:* T Cordano; G Boltman; R Berardo; P Kneubühler; P Mikula; F Taddei; W Muller; B Steele

*Seated:* N Berolsky; W Elephant; G Ford (vice-capt); Mr C Finlayson; C Moraitis (capt); S Hackner; W Goxo





**UNDER 15 'A' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* Oscar Hesketh-Marè; M Green; N Dods  
*Middle Row:* J Forssman; C Lewis Enright; G Behr; J Hallatt; I Batistich; I Nicholl; B Rains  
*Seated:* S Wageng; T von Guillaume; S Johnson; Mr Heale; T Peta; M Trumble; M Palmer



**UNDER 15 'B' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* I Muirhead; F Barnard  
*Middle Row:* R Hackner; G Wickins; D Homan; C Wharton-hood; G Taylor; P Hessewood  
*Seated:* Roseveare; D O'Regan; M Germishuys; Mr G Heale; F Tommasi; J Pegg; G Carreira



## Under 14

The U/14 age group fielded three rugby sides this year — U/14A, U/14B and the Bushwackers. The U/14A Team adapted themselves very quickly to the game and throughout the whole season they played excellent running rugby. As a result we only lost two matches. The side was ably captained by Wanda Shuenyane in the backline and Charles Kyriakakis in the scrum. I feel that if the team keeps up its dedication to the game and to each other they will be a side to be reckoned with in the future.

The U/14B's were a team that played above their expectations. They were always at practice giving of their best, as a result of which they only lost three of their matches during the course of the season. Well done boys and keep it up!

The Bushwackers never had the same fifteen players but in spite of being chopped and changed they tried their best and often played good, solid rugby.

The U/14 age group would like to thank our two assistant coaches for the season, Mr du Plessis and Mr Coetzee both of whom never missed a rugby practice and taught the players many new and different tactics.

A special word of thanks to the ladies' catering committee and last but certainly not least, the boys who gave of their best to make the U/14 sides what they were this season!

Brian Webster  
U/14 Rugby Coach

## Under 13

A look at the results of the U/13 Age group reflects a successful season of rugby — they soon dispelled any doubts about their ability. After a slow start to the season they produced a pleasing pattern of rugby with the forwards effectively combining with an enterprising backline who were always willing to run the ball.

An outstanding feature of this group was their tenacious tackling as well as the commendable ability to come back when all seemed lost. Despite the lack of depth, this age group surprised many with their inspired performances and can look forward to further success in 1989. It would be unfair to single out individuals, rather the team effort and spirit demonstrated by both sides brought an enjoyable and successful season to a close. Well played!

C Finlayson — Rugby Master



### UNDER 14 'A' RUGBY

*Back Row (left to right):* J Lamb; A Batistich; C Green

*Middle Row:* M Ballantine; S Zimelka; V Massey; M Maritzen, M Elsbury, M Swanson, C Schmitt

*Seated:* D Nean; M Ndlovu; W Shuenyane (capt); Mr B Webster; F Slattery; R Russell; M Morrison





**UNDER 14 'B' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* T Fiore; A Campouoglou; C Arlow  
*Middle Row:* B Levick; L Benater; A Stavrinides; F Elliot; R Letowt-Vorbek; J Cornelson  
*Seated:* M Swanson; G Nader; C Herr (capt); Mr B Webster; J Apostollelis; N Coles



**UNDER 14 'C' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* T Fiore; R van Rooyen; D Mclean  
*Middle Row:* A Fivaz; G Carlisle; J P Renouprez; R Letowt-Vorbek; V Müller; L Benater; C Schmitt  
*Seated:* C McFadden; F Slattery; E Massey; Mr B Webster; M Ndlovu; S Nkosi; P Monaise





**UNDER 13 'A' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* P Batistich; R Lambert; J Jacobs  
*Middle Row:* R French; O Gallizio; B Hardy; R Hudson; R Farisani; J van Lienden; B Arlow  
*Seated:* J Sebati; G Ramsey; T Hermanus; D Steele (capt); F Maraschin; G Tsatsane; C Sullivan



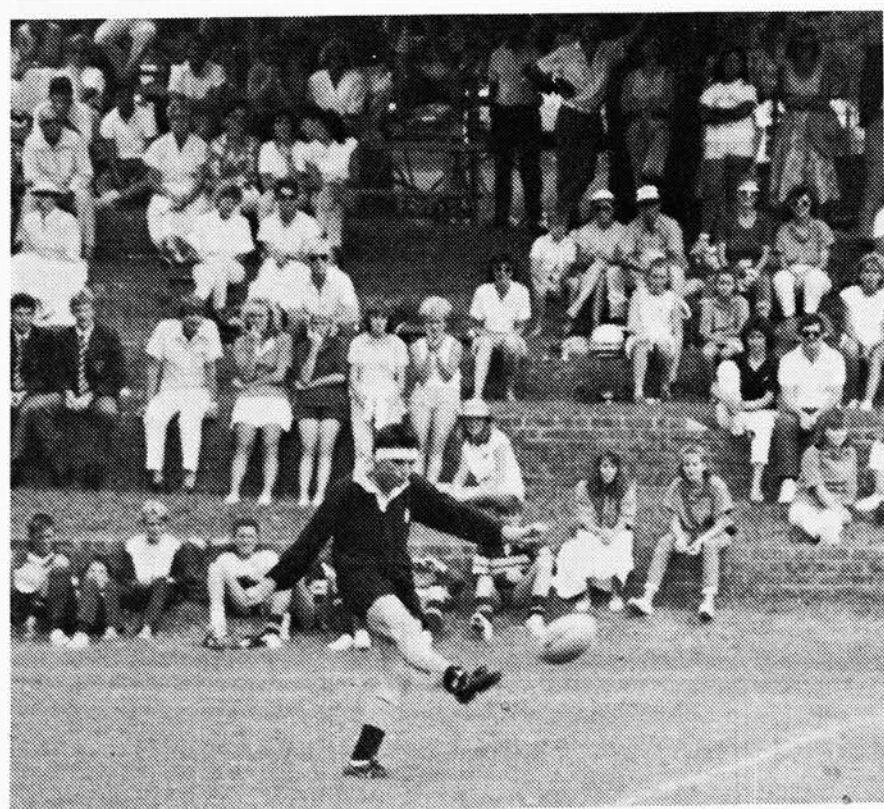
**UNDER 13 'B' RUGBY**

*Back Row (left to right):* V Müller; A Rose; C Barnard  
*Middle Row:* G Spindler; M Egan; A Moffat; M Gonsalves; G Ramsey; C Hodgson  
*Seated:* G Austin; S Larsen; K Roane; P Gerard; M Pardini; M Patterson; B Smart



## RUGBY RESULTS 1988

Opponents	Firsts	Seconds	U/15A	U/15B	U/14A	U/14B	U/13A	U/13B	Junior
St Stithians	12-20	0-40	9-8	4-24	0-28	0-24	0-24	0-20	0-14
CBC Pretoria	13-18	10-16	30-0	24-6	36-6	22-4	0-6	0-6	14-16
Redhill	—	9-12	—	24-0	—	36-6	—	18-0	14-18
Ixopo	15-9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Saheti	24-10	—	—	26-4	24-12	—	7-4	—	—
Athlone	18-16	19-28	0-6	6-8	16-6	14-12	9-24	16-14	52-0
Randpark	6-9	6-23	15-4	14-4	6-8	6-20	4-10	0-24	4-26
St Albans	0-22	0-28	44-0	32-4	22-6	28-4	24-3	29-0	—
King David (Link)	—	—	7-9	8-12	38-7	48-4	16-0	4-4	—
Redhill	—	26-9	—	18-4	—	26-8	—	28-0	—
St Martins	—	—	35-4	—	42-0	—	26-0	—	—
De La Salle	19-9	22-15	—	—	34-9	—	32-4	34-4	—
Hyde Park	10-10	6-11	38-13	12-6	26-0	12-6	6-0	34-0	—
Fourways	—	—	—	—	10-9	—	8-0	16-0	—
CBC Boksburg	16-3	22-10	29-19	—	36-0	26-0	22-0	6-0	—
Linmeyer	27-3	—	—	24-16	52-0	—	—	14-14	—
Edenvale	12-15	6-6	12-0	26-0	28-4	48-0	10-10	0-22	50-0
Roosevelt	21-17	6-16	42-3	26-0	28-8	8-6	0-10	28-0	32-0
St Henry's	9-7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sandown	11-7	0-24	—	16-7	4-0	16-18	—	0-8	8-8
St Joseph's	10-18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Edenglen	—	0-7	13-6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mondeor	—	—	35-4	—	12-10	12-6	16-8	20-0	—
Muizemburg	22-23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rhodes	7-9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



Ivo — doing his "Naas Botha stunt".



Come on Marist come on, come on!



# SWIMMING

**Captain:** P Kneubühler

Although swimming has never been our strongest sport at St David's, we were determined enough on some occasions to beat schools such as KES and Highlands North, in both the A and the B Teams. Most of our strength lies in the U/15 and U/14 age groups, who produced some excellent performances.

**46th Annual Inter House Gala:** Friday 19 February 1988

Osmond House again won this event in style, beating the other Houses quite easily. This year ten records were broken, four by Patrick Kneubühler, three by Geoffrey Crowe and one by Dean Layden — well done boys!

<b>Final Points Position:</b>	1.	Osmond	514
	2.	Benedict	460,5
	3.	Bishops	246
	4.	College	232,5

<b>Age Group Winners:</b>	U/13	Ryan Lambert
	U/14	Jason Lamb
	U/15	Geoffrey Crowe
	U/16	Dean Layden
	Open	Patrick Kneubühler

**The following new records were established:**

<b>Butterfly</b>			
U/15	G Crowe		30,35
Open 1m	P Kneubühler		08,53
<b>Freestyle</b>			
Open 200m	P Kneubühler	2m	14,53
Open 400m	P Kneubühler		
U/15 100m	G Crowe		61,20

<b>Breaststroke</b>		
U/16 100m	D Layden	78,13

<b>Backstroke</b>		
U/15 50m	G Crowe	33,83
Open 100m	P Kneubühler	69,06

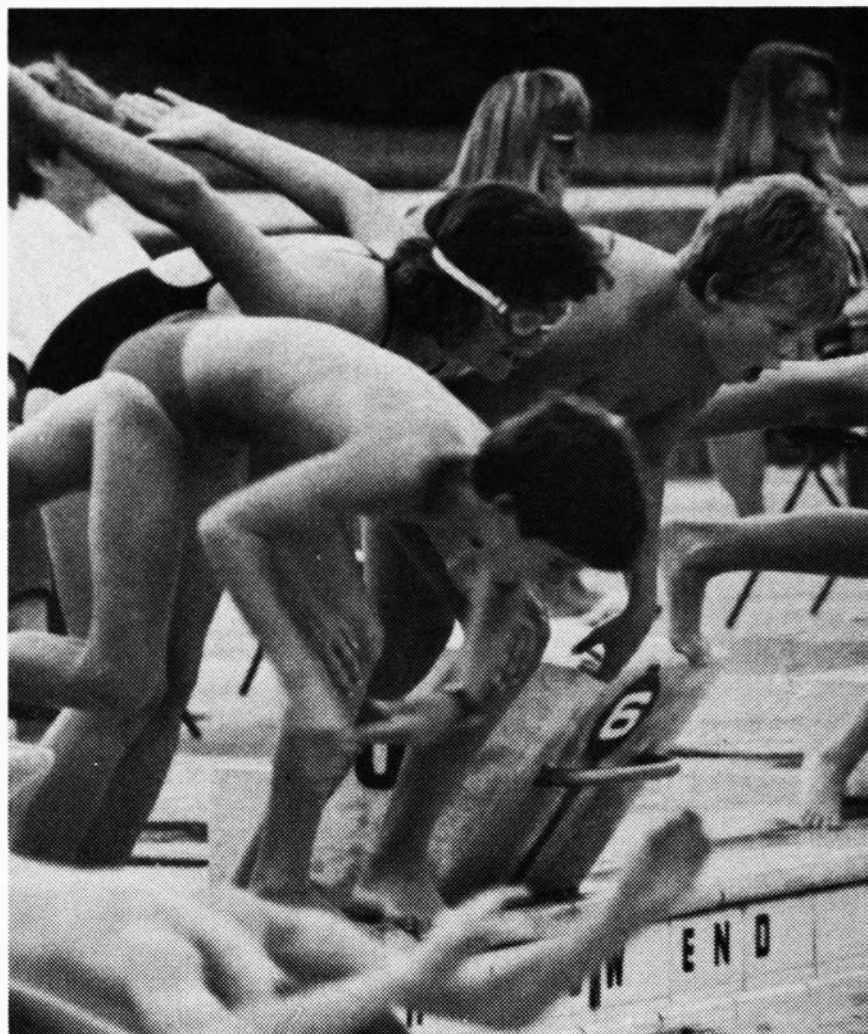
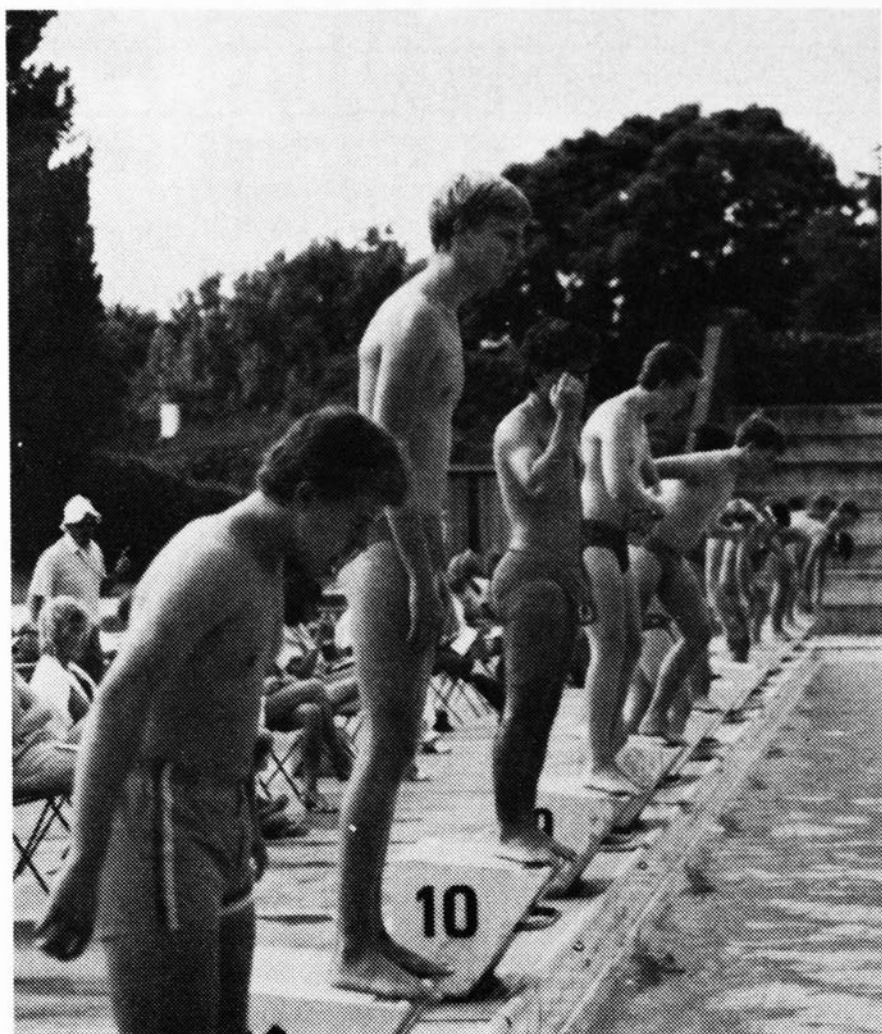
<b>Medley Relay</b>		
U/15	Osmond	59,6

<b>Freestyle Relay</b>		
U/15	Osmond	51,84

**The following trophies were presented:**

<b>Freestyle:</b>	<b>Trophy:</b>	
400m Open	E Mandy	P Kneubühler
200m Open	E Mandy	P Kneubühler
100m Open	Gohdes	P Kneubühler
200m U/16	E Mandy	P Vidas
100m U/16	Muller	P Vidas
200m U/15	E Mandy	G Crowe
100m U/15	Brother Anthony	G Crowe
100m U/14	Brother Raymond	F Slattery
50m U/13	Brother Aquinas	R Lambert

<b>Breaststroke:</b>	<b>Trophy:</b>	
200m Open	E Mandy	P Kneubühler
100m Open	Hope Jones	P Kneubühler
200m U/16	E Mandy	D Layden
100m U/16	Adrian Moni	D Layden
200m U/15	G W Sheffield	J Hallatt
100m U/15	Rudy Rebel	J Hallatt
50m U/14		J Lamb
50m U/13	E Mandy	R Lambert





**Backstroke:**

100m Open  
100m U/16  
50m U/15  
50m U/14  
50m U/13

**Trophy:**

Hutton  
Paul Moni  
Gregory McLeroth  
D Boswell  
Hartmann Bros

P Kneubühler  
A Fortescue  
G Crowe  
M Morrison  
A Rose

**Under 13:**

A Rose

**Under 14:**

J Lamb  
M Morrison  
E Rothbauer  
F Slattery

**Under 15:**

G Crowe  
V Gore  
R Hackner  
C Lewis-Enright  
L Mocci  
M Slattery  
S Wach

**Butterfly:**

100m Open  
50m U/16

**Trophy:**

E Mandy  
E Mandy

P Kneubühler  
A Halliday and  
D Layden

**Under 16:**

D Layden  
P Vidas

**Open:**

P Kneubühler

50m U/15  
50m U/14  
50m U/13

Paul Rebel  
J Moni  
R Hartmann

G Crowe  
M Morrison  
A Rose

**Swimming Ties:**

S Johnstone and C Reid

**Swimmer of the year:** (Reeves Trophy) P Kneubühler

**Individual Medley:**

4 × 50m  
4 × 25m Junior

**Trophy:**

R Bischoff  
Greg Pugh

P Kneubühler  
G Crowe

**Most improved swimmer of the year:**

(Ernest Harper Trophy)

J Hallatt

In conclusion, the swimmers would like to record their sincere thanks to the following: Mr van der Merwe and his ground staff for maintaining what is undoubtedly the best school pool in the Johannesburg and Sandton areas; the staff who assisted with coaching and as officials at the various galas; the catering mothers and in particular Mrs P Hackner for the teas and refreshments and Mrs P Johnson for the typing of programmes, transport arrangements and catering assistance.

**Interhouse:**

Swimming

**Trophy:**

J S Leigh

Osmond

**Awards:** The following swimmers were awarded Age Group Scrolls:

Brian Webster – Master-in-Charge

**'A' SWIMMING TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* D Layden; J Hallatt; C Reid; Bouilliant; O Hesketh-Mare; A Halliday; A Fortescue; P Vidas  
*Middle Row:* E Rothbauer; M Trumble; B Hardy; C Green; L Mocci; L Lewis-Enright; S Wach; J Lamb; J Jacobs; N Wilgen; V Gore  
*Seated:* Mr A de Souza; J v Lienden; A Rose; S Johnstone; P Kneubühler (capt); M Slattery; F Slattery; M Morrison; Mr B Webster





### 'B' SWIMMING TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* G Genovese; W Müller; P Mikula; P Hayward; P Jackson; F Barnard; J Mantovan; A Batistich  
*Middle Row:* P Gore; D O'Regan; J Forssman; S O'Regan; R Hackner; I Cordano; I Batistich; P Batistich; S Johnson; L Jackson; L Cowan;  
 J Khoury  
*Seated:* Mr A de Souza; G Spindler; A Moffat; V Müller; R Stirling (capt); T von Guilleaume; C Barnard; U Wilgen; Mr B Webster

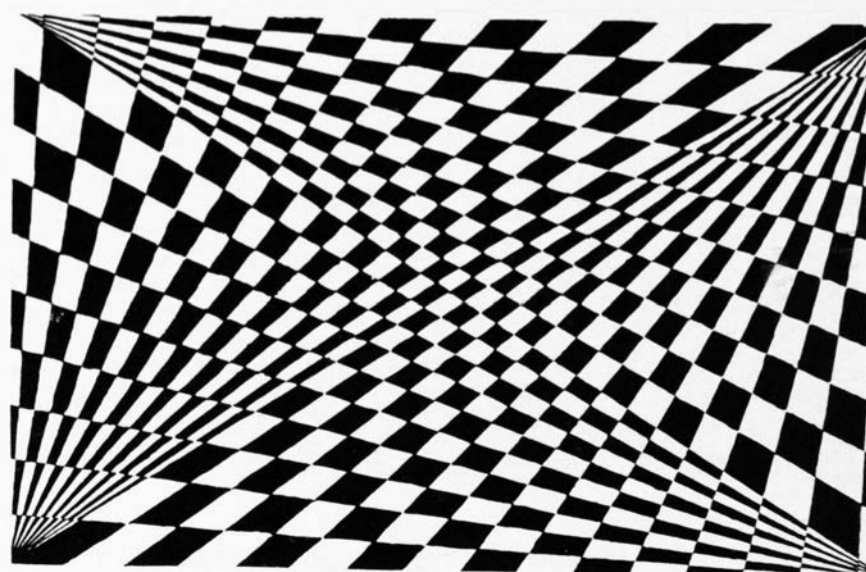
## Cycling

### McLean takes the honours

Springbok Andrew McLean sprinted across the line to claim the victor's glory and Nick Bester stamped his authority on the new Ultraman series in the 160 km Southern Sun Ultra Cycle Challenge, organised by the Veterans Cycling Association, at Megawatt Park yesterday.

McLean (Peaceforce), still red-hot from the Rapport Tour, finished in 3 hrs 57 min 01 sec, getting away on the long uphill drag to the finish to beat Andre Bekker by four seconds. Bruce Reyneke was third by a whisker from Koning Jacobs, both riders clocking 4:02:18.

Andrew is an old boy of the college. We are all extremely proud of him and wish him all the best for the future.



V Müller — Standard 7



# Water Polo



## WATERPOLO REPORT

The season has proved to be exciting and I believe a most successful one for the St David's Waterpolo team. A great deal of hard work for the team was put in by coach Mr Brian Webster which in the end I believe proved to be well worth it. At first we did not play well and suffered a few early season defeats, but the team then combined well as our results indicate. The team's ability to play well together was well illustrated when we won the Plate Competition in the major Waterpolo tournament of the year at K.E.S.

We were then lucky enough to go on tour to Natal. Which was most successful as the team won all but one game. The tour inspired the players to play some of the best waterpolo that has been played by a St David's team. The spirit on tour was high which helped generate great camaraderie. The results were:

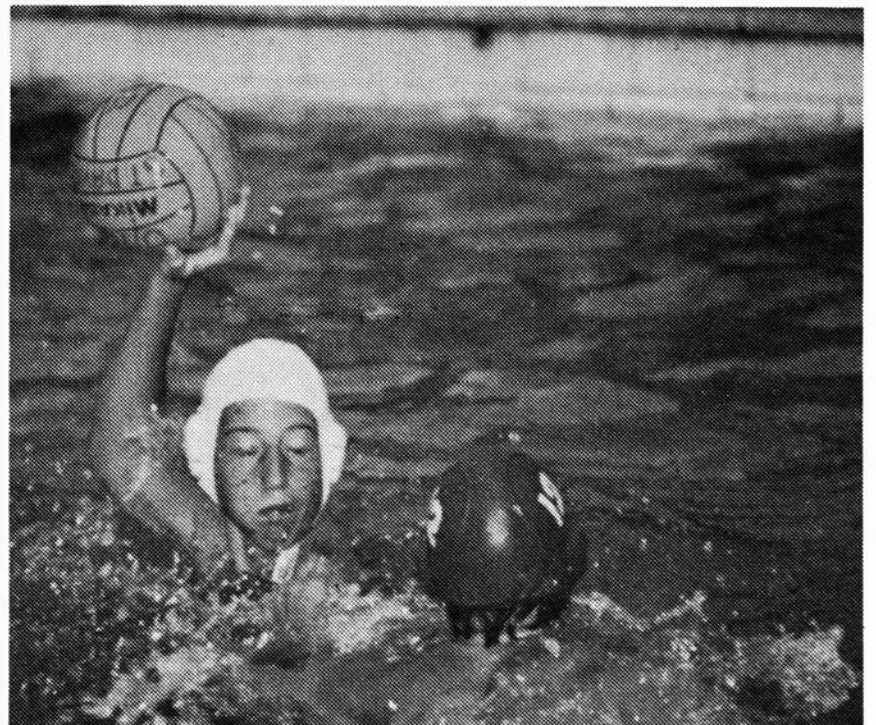
vs St Charles:	won	7-3
vs Kloof:	won	6-4
vs Kloof:	won	7-3
vs Pinetown:	won	8-2
vs Pinetown:	won	7-4
vs Hilton:	lost	2-4

Special mention must be made of the Fathers and Mothers who sold and braaied boerewors and provided sponsorship so that the tour could take place. On behalf of the team I thank them most sincerely. Mention must also be made of the lady who provided us with that most "essential nourishment", do-nuts,

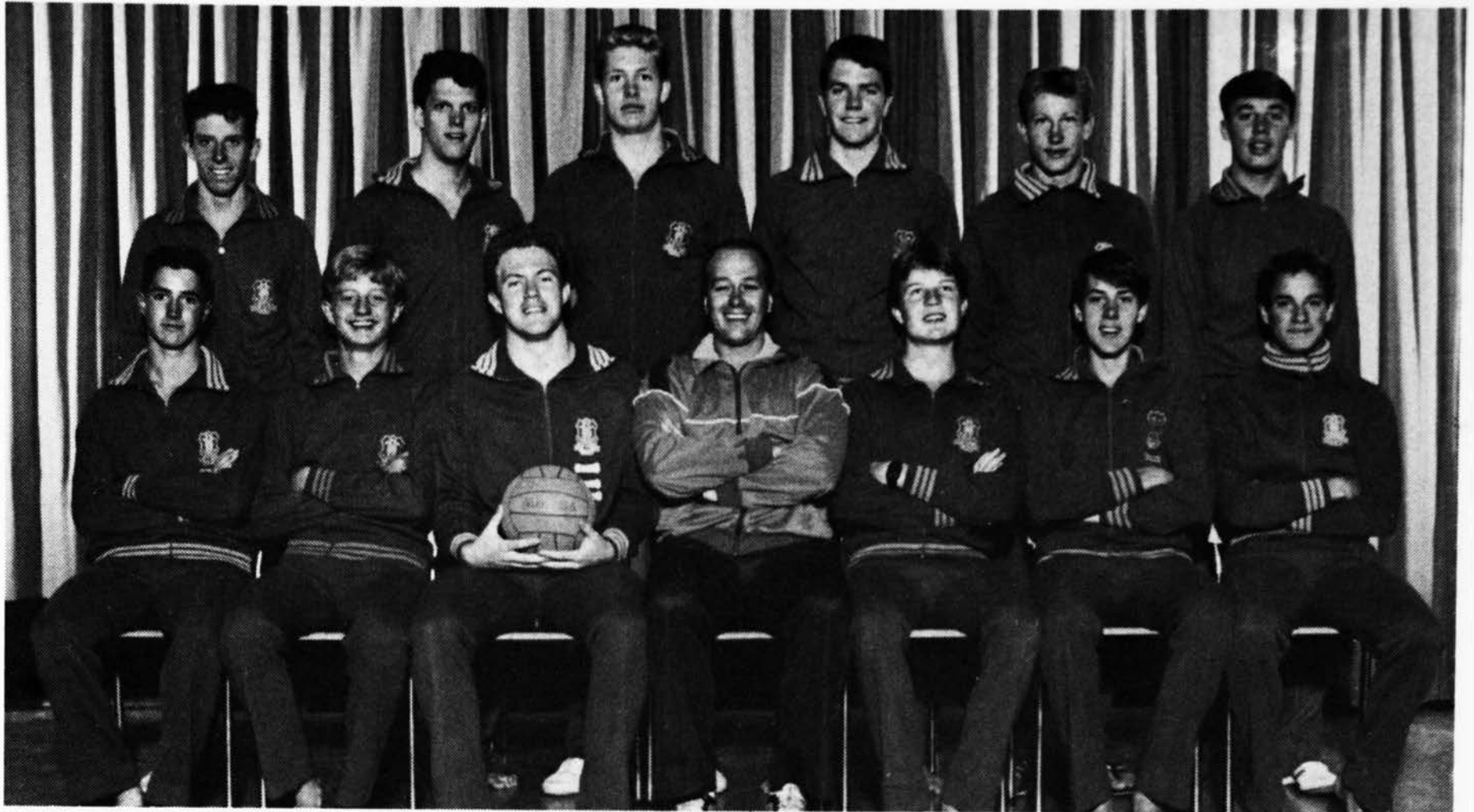
thank you, Mrs Hackner. To Mr Webster, who lost much of his hair during the season while coaching us and to Miss Cook for her great vocal support, we give our special thanks.

The 1988 team is a very young team with only two matric players the others being standard eights and nines. I wish them in their future years of waterpolo the greatest success as they and the junior teams will ensure that St David's waterpolo will rise to the very top.

Sean Johnstone







**1st TEAM WATERPOLO**

*Middle Row:* D Layden; P Kneubühler; A van den Heever; O Hesketh-Marè; P Vidas; R Hackner  
*Seated:* S Wach; J Hallatt; S Johnstone (capt); Mr B Webster; A Fortesque; T Batistich; S O'Regan



**2nd TEAM WATERPOLO**

*Back Row (left to right):* P Haywood; T Halliday  
*Middle Row:* C Blignaut; W Müller; B Bradbury; F Barnard; I Cordano  
*Seated:* J Cowan; G Genovese; Mr B Webster; R Stirling; J Khoury





**UNDER 15 WATERPOLO**

*Back Row (left to right):* J Hallatt; O Hesketh-Marè; I Battistich  
*Middle Row:* G Carreira; S Wach; I Nicholl; C Lewis-Enright; R Hackner; L Mocchi; S Johnson  
*Seated:* M Slattery; B O'Brien; J Forssman (capt); Mr B E Webster; D O'Regan; M Trumble; T von Guilleaume



**UNDER 14 WATERPOLO**

*Back Row (left to right):* Mantovan; A Battistich  
*Middle Row:* E Rothbauer; L Benater; C Green; P Gore; V Müller  
*Seated:* A Fivaz; A Fivaz; J Lamb (capt); Mr B Webster; F Slattery; M Morrison; C Schmitt





**UNDER 13 WATERPOLO**

*Back Row (left to right): P Batistich; J Jacobs  
 Middle Row: C Barnard; B Hardy; N Wilgen; J van Lienden; A Moffat  
 Seated: K Roane; R Owens; A Rose (capt); Mr B Webster; B Smart; U Wilgen; G Spindler*

## Senior School Tennis

Tennis has come a long way in 1988 with the "A" Team winning their league in both the First and the Third Terms. That means that they will have to be promoted twice before 1989. Well done!

The "A" Team also went on a tour of Natal beating both Pinetown Boys and Hillcrest.

Although results are not officially out, the "B" Team have won all their matches and will therefore also be promoted next year — well done!

The "C" Team are a young side and with practice should improve.

Grant Heale – Master-in-Charge



**1st TEAM TENNIS**

*Back Row (left to right): T Halliday; D Bietrix  
 Seated: G Garcia; Mr. G Heale; R Moy; L Brebnor  
 Absent: J Patuel*





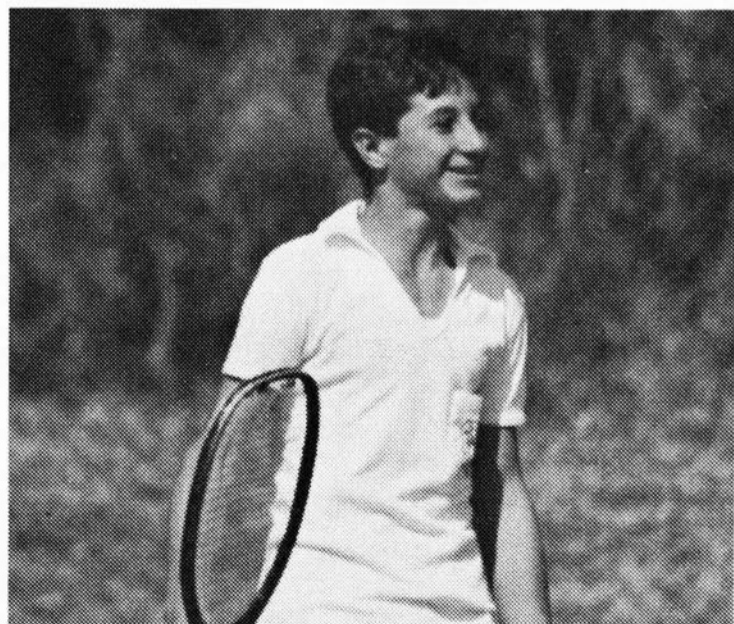
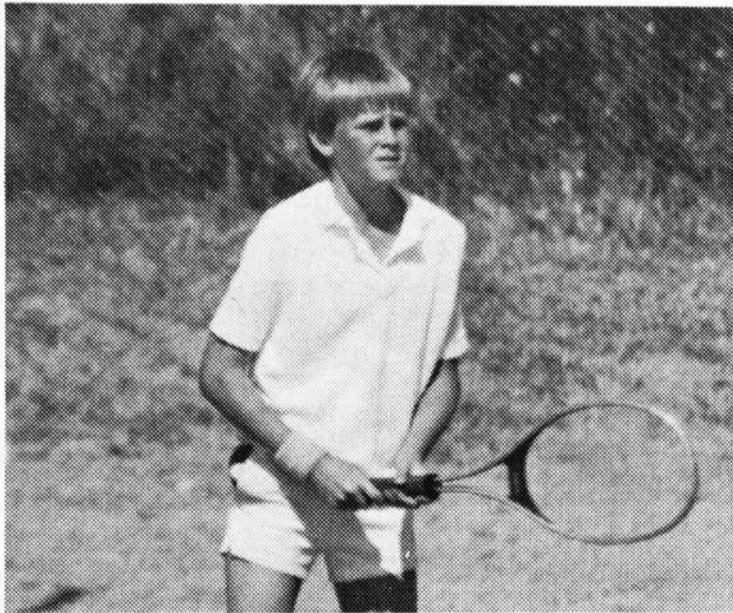
**2nd TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): M Germishuys; B Bradbury;  
C Wharton-Hood*  
*Seated: L Pagan; C Herr; Ms M de Souza; M Reidy; I Timol*



**3rd TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): T von Guilleaume; J Hallatt; L Mossa*  
*Seated: D Steele; G Pin; Mr G Heale; A Farber; C Sullivan*





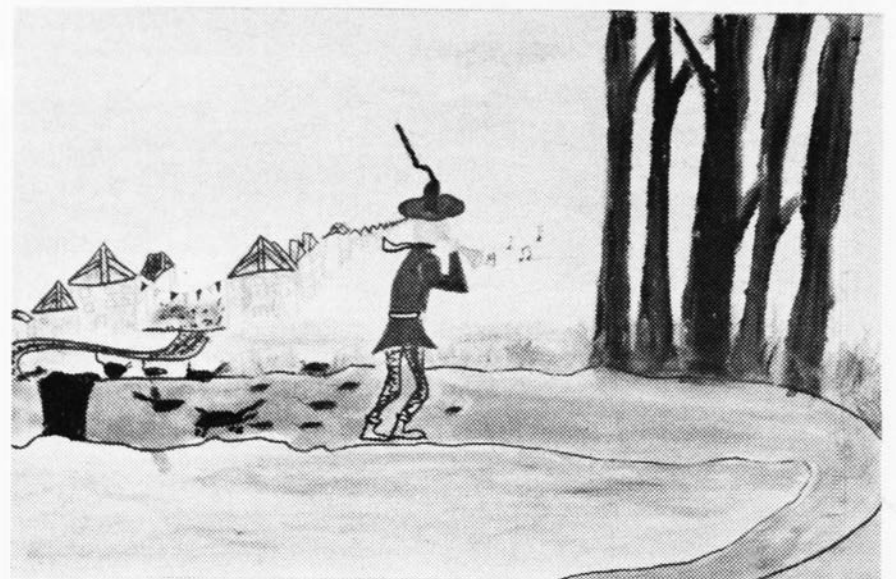
# Mothers Annual Luncheon



We must thank Petra Germishuys for re-introducing the Mothers' Annual Luncheon. It was a tremendous success. This kind of function helps to engender the spirit of the Marist family. The luncheon was well attended by a band of enthusiastic, happy, elegant

mothers who obviously care for St David's and for their sons.

We thank you again Petra and all your committee for the hard work you put in this year.



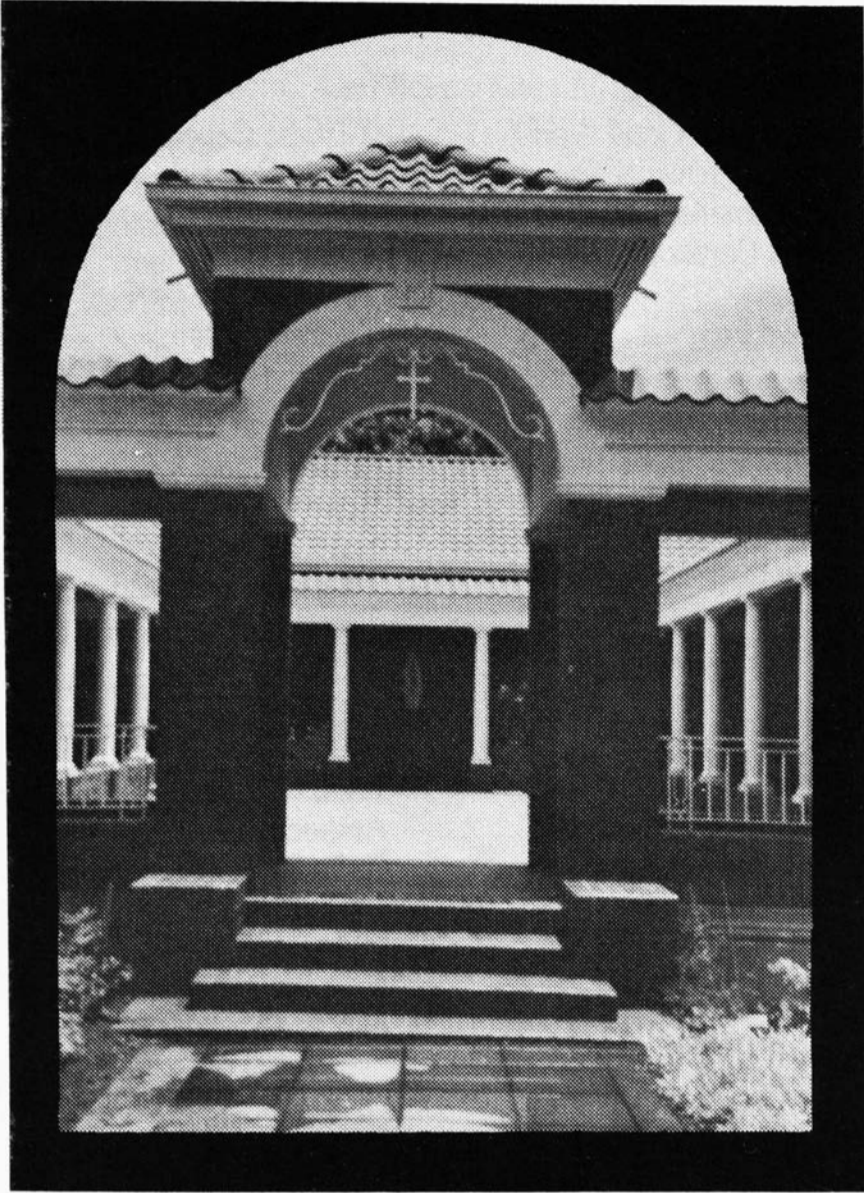
*C Emmanuel — Standard 4*

## 'Sandton Traffic Department Colouring In Competition'

Congratulations to Gary Geldenhuys who won third prize. 555 pupils from 15 schools took part in this competition.



# JUNIOR SCHOOL



## Prize Giving for Achievement in 1987

Our annual Prize Giving took place at the end of our Academic year, on Tuesday evening, 1 December 1987. The venue around our beautiful pool was enhanced by a perfect summer evening.

The Catholic Doctrine and Scripture prizes were presented by our College Chaplain, Father Brewer. Class prizes in the Junior Primary Section were presented by Mr J Kelly, Chairman of the P.T.A. Class prizes in the Senior Primary Section were presented by Mr D Wickins, Vice Chairman of the Board of Governors.

First Prize and the Wendy Schaafsma Academic Floating Trophy for Std. 1 was presented to Rafal Wykurz. Well done, Rafal, and keep up your excellent work.

The Medley Trophy for Good Fellowship for the best all-round pupil in work, leadership and sport in the Under 9 age group went to Zaid Gardner. Well done, Zaid!

First Prize and the Guirich Dux Trophy for Std. 2 was awarded to Andrew Buchanan.

First Prize and the Brother Gerard Dux Trophy for Std. 3 went to Allan Spooler.

First Prize and the Old Boys Association Dux Trophy for Std. 4 went to Vaughan Wickins.

First Prize and the Dux Trophy (presented by the Brothers of the College) for Std. 5 was awarded to David Steele.

The Costa John Memorial Trophy for Sport and Academic achievement in Std. 5 was also awarded to David Steele. A tremendous effort — well done David!

Prizes were awarded at various sporting activities during the year to the following pupils.

The most improved Cricketer of the year was Graham Pin.

The most improved Swimmer of the year was Nicholas Martin.

The Pearson Chess Trophy for the best Chess player of the year was awarded yet again to Kern Wilson. Well done, Kern!

To these prize winners — Congratulations and well done.



## RELIGIOUS PRIZES

### Religious Prizes

- Grade 1 (a) — Luca Fiasconaro  
 Grade 1 (c) — Iain Busschau  
 Grade 1 (r) — John Farrell

### Grade 2

- Catholic Doctrine — Brendan Copestake  
 Scripture — Kyle Johnson

### Standard 1

- Catholic Doctrine — Philipp Nagel  
 Scripture — David Pearson

### Religious Class Prizes

- Standard 2(h) — Jeremy Wickins  
 Standard 2(s) — Batana Vundla  
 Standard 3(b) — Anthony Crane  
 Standard 3(w) — Robert Laing  
 Standard 4(g) — Lawrence Azar  
 Standard 4(o) — Peter Altini  
 Standard 5(e) — Jason Loo  
 Standard 5(k) — Andrew Moffat

### Class Prizes

#### Junior Primary Section

#### Grade 1(a)

- Consistent Good Work — Guy Blanchard  
 English Achievement — Mathew Nagel  
 Mathematical Achievement — Daniel Wright  
 Merit Certificate — Deane O'Haughev  
 Good Progress — Michael Hodgson-Jervis

#### Grade 1(c)

- Consistent Good Work — Gregory Brandtner  
 English Achievement — Matthew Martin  
 Mathematical Achievement — Zayd Laher  
 Merit Certificate — Luke Chandler  
 Good Progress — Vaughan van der Merwe

#### Grade 1(r)

- Consistent Good Work — Paul Shaw  
 English Achievement — Roberto Arico  
 Mathematical Achievement — Stefano Contardo  
 Merit Certificate — Dale Ellis  
 Good Progress — No Award

#### Grade 2(m)

- Consistent Good Work — Claudio Cavedoni  
 English Achievement — Adam Bourke  
 Mathematical Achievement — Kyle Johnson  
 Merit Certificate — Craig Chandler  
 — Anton Müller  
 — Andrew Witten  
 Good Progress

#### Grade 2(s)

- Consistent Good Work — Adriano Iorio  
 English Achievement — Robert Morgan  
 Mathematical Achievement — Sean Tannous  
 Merit Certificate — Matthew Fearnhead  
 — Timothy O'Shea  
 — John Paul Tarry  
 Good Progress

#### Standard 1(a)

- 1st in Class — Rafal Wykurz  
 English Achievement — Anthony French  
 Mathematical Achievement — Rafiq Sarlie  
 Merit Certificate — Philipp Nagel  
 — Nicholas Martin  
 — Gregory Bailey  
 Good Progress

#### Standard 1(o)

- 1st in Class — Geoffrey Lamont  
 English Achievement — David Pierson  
 Mathematical Achievement — James O'Haughey  
 Merit Certificate — Rory Harrison  
 — Geoffrey Metcalf  
 — Riyad Loonat  
 Good Progress



Andile receiving a prize.



## SENIOR PRIMARY SECTIONS

### Standard 2(h)

First Prize	— Andrew Buchanan
Second Prize	— Jeremy Wickins
Third Prize	— Antonello Stella
Good Progress	— Lesego Moraka

### Academic Excellence Certificates (over 80%)

Grant Davis  
Brendon Greeff  
Leonardo Neto  
Adriano Sperotto  
Sven Vrdoljak

### Standard 2(s)

First Prize	— Michael von Guillaume
Second Prize	— Zaid Gardner
Third Prize	— Iain Morgan
Good Progress	— Andile Mgulwa
	— Peter O'Farrell

### Academic Excellence Certificate

Clint Bechus  
Timothy Wright  
Brendan Marsay  
Paul Visser

### Standard 3(b)

First Prize	— Allan Spoolder
Second Prize	— David Kirchhoffer
Third Prize	— Alexis Apostolidis
Good Progress	— Bradley Geldenhuys

### Academic Excellence Certificates

Bradley Geldenhuys  
Steven Giuricich  
Michael Wickins

### Standard 3(w)

First Prize	— Stefan Kutranov
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Second Prize	— Mohammed Mayat
Third Prize	— Mark Witten
Good Progress	— Patrick Busschau
	— Ketan Parboo

### Academic Excellence Certificates

Robert Laing

### Standard 4(g)

First Prize	— Vaughan Wickins
Second Prize	— Gareth Trope
Third Prize	— Craig Bailey
Good Progress	— Nicholas Sternberg
	— Richard Farber

### Academic Excellence Certificates

Lawrence Azar  
Marco Valente

### Standard 4(o)

First Prize	— Harold Penberthy
Second Prize	— Rowan Johnson
Third Prize	— Grant Redman
Good Progress	— Steven Sanders

### Academic Excellence Certificates

Warren Hochreiter

### The Standard five Classes Combined

First Prize	— David Steele
Second Prize	— Jeteesh Kathawaroo
Third Prize	— Mark Pardini
Good Progress	
Standard 5(e)	— Nils Wilgen
Standard 5(k)	— Geoffrey Swinburn

### Academic Excellence Certificates

Standard 5(e)	— Jonathan Jacobs
	— Justin van Lienden
Standard 5(k)	— Andrew Moffat
	— Rory Hudson



*Congratulations to the Standard 4G class for raising the most money in the Swimathon.*



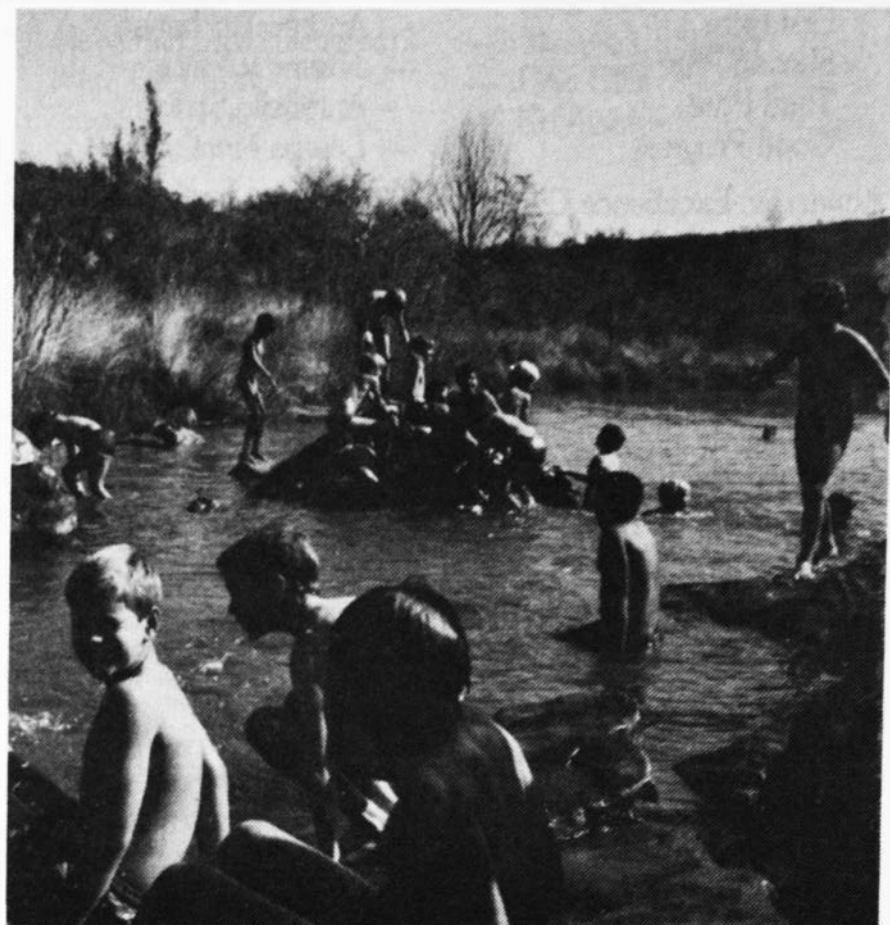


## Lapalala Wilderness School

For all the participants of the Lapalala Wilderness trail, the Std 3 tour was a unique experience. It was an excellent opportunity to escape from the city atmosphere and to enter the vast realm of nature, and learn of its astounding beauty. We pondered and discussed how man, in his greediness and ignorance, is abusing nature. We realised that man in doing this, is acting totally against his own interest. It was fascinating and interesting to watch birds, study dung and spoor, and to see how some plants could be utilised to serve many different purposes.

Throughout the course of the trip a sense of self responsibility was continually encouraged and everybody was responsible for the washing up of their own utensils. Groups also took turns in helping to prepare supper. The food left nothing to be desired. To describe it in five words: "Wonderfully nutritious and totally delicious!"

While on trail we made slow progress, hoping to observe as many "Signs Of The Wild" as possible, such as dung, spoor, rubbing posts, half eaten fruits, skeletons, carcasses etc. We gained much pleasure swimming, hiking and visiting different landmarks in the Lapalala Wilderness. These included Baboon Rock and Daredevil's Rock. As we drew near the former, we sighted baboons watching us. They had never encountered man in their environment before and no doubt sported quizzical looks of surprise. They quickly scampered off in alarm. When we had ascended to the summit of Baboon Rock, we were granted an outstanding view for our troubles. We saw a tortoise in the river below, as well as hippo tracks scattered on the bank and a herd of impala grazing on a plain. Our visit to Daredevil's Rock was thoroughly enjoyed by all



and after a sumptuous lunch we visited some Bushman paintings and learnt how to make strong sisal from a plant with spear shaped leaves. Last but not least we canoed on the river. It was fun steering with a paddle.

Every night we were shown wildlife films in the hall. Everyone looked forward to this.

In conclusion, I would like to say that I was truly appreciative of the help and dedication offered by our guides, Gary, Roland and Hanneke and I would like to visit a wonderful establishment like Lapalala Wilderness School again.

Andrew Buchanan – Standard 3







### Trip to Western Platinum Mine

It was a very excited group of standard fours who left the school at six am one cold June morning. Our destination was the Western Platinum Mine in Rustenburg. From the moment of our arrival we were treated like VIPs. We were supplied with overalls, gumboots, helmets and battery packs. We were taken underground and shown how the platinum was being mined. The boys thoroughly enjoyed the experience. We were treated to a delicious lunch in the recreation centre. The mine personnel went to a great deal of trouble on our behalf. We returned home a great deal wiser about mining and with wonderful memories to cherish all our lives.

Mrs B Geldenhuys



A Zulu Mine Dance performed by the Standard Fours.

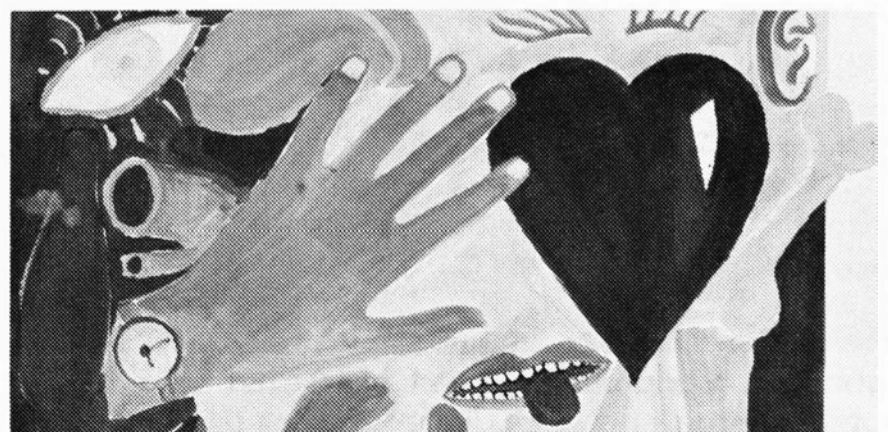
### Retreat

At first I did not know what to expect; were we going to pray all day and be bored? This had puzzled me until we arrived. We climbed out of the combi and walked down a winding road which ended at a sliding door. A man walked outside, he had black hair and a really nice face. Then the teachers left, our day had begun!

We were seated on chairs in a wide circle around a room. We then made a summary of what we would do in the day, then cards were handed out. Our feelings and name had to be written on it and then pinned to our shirts. We were introduced to Father Lionel and Sister Geraldine. After being rounded into two circles one outside the other, we were to walk round and then tell whoever we stopped at, our nickname, family and best subject. Our next duty was to go outside and see what object could draw our attention. After picking it up and going back we were told to sit cross legged back up straight and close our eyes. Then came a wonderful experience meditating and feeling united with God and your object held in your palm. Our food break came next, where we chatted and explored the grounds. It eventually came to an end and we were called inside to play 'The Village Game'. It was divided into the poor, the rich, and the council workers. We had to make a poster about sharing and had to have bought all the equipment necessary. The problem was only the rich could afford all the pens, scissors and glue. The poor had to steal in order to afford all of these. At the discussion of the game afterwards, we saw how much the game actually related to our lives. The poor in our world also had to steal to make a living, and sometimes the rich are selfish not to share or give.

Our second posters were about our relationships with God and our friends. We were divided into groups for these and had to write points about building and losing your friendship. Some people got quite embarrassed when they had to stand up and talk about their poster. The day had now eventually come to an end and we all agreed to end it with a mass given by father Sham. The one thing different from it and an ordinary mass, was that we allowed to receive the eucharist and wine: it was funny watching some faces screw up after having the wine. After the retreat I realized how little time I actually spend praying or talking to God. A retreat is really something very enjoyable and I hope we can maybe again have one sometime in the future.

Vaughan Wickins – Standard 5



S Sanders — Standard 5



## Ons "Bushtrails" Avontuur

### Sondag:

Ons het ongeveer nege-uur die Sondagoggend by Bushtrails aangekom. Nadat ons almal uit die bus geklim het en ons bagasie onder 'n boom gebêre het, het ons sommer sò langs die bus gaan sit terwyl Liz en Billy ons die reëls van Bushtrails vertel het. Hierna is ons in groepe verdeel en na ons verskeie rondawels toe geneem om uit te pak. Gelukkig was daar toe ook 'n bietjie tyd om vir 'n ruk lank te speel voor ons Liz se fluit gehoor het (Liz fluit BAIE hard). Ons het almal voor haar in 'n ry gestaan terwyl sy vir ons elkeen 'n koeldrank oorhandig het tesame met 'n boekie getiteld: "Bushtrails", waarin al ons werkkaarte was. Ons het daarna weer omtrent 15 minute speelyd gehad voordat die klokke gelui het en ons ons boekies moes gaan haal. Ons het toe op die trekker se sleepwa geklim en na Mnr. Diedericks se plaas toe gegaan wat 'n baie aangename rit was met al die mooi kosmos blommetjies langs die pad. Toe ons by die plaas aankom het ons verby 'n yslike swembad gery tot by 'n koppie. Liz het gesê dat ons hierdie koppies moes uitklim maar, toe ek byna bo was, het Bradley Geldenhuys geskreeu "BYE" en ons het almal dadelik ondertoe gehardloop. Daarna het ons na die ou plaashek toe gestap waar Mnr. Castle, Mej. O'Kelly, Liz en Billy vir ons met die trekker ingewag het.

Toe ons weer by Bushtrails aangekom het, het die meeste van ons groep gaan swem terwyl ek werkies het om op die "Tarzan" swaai te speel. Na speelyd moes ons almal gaan rus en sowat 'n halfuur later was dit tyd vir middagete.

In die namiddag het ons weer 'n kans gekry om te speel, waarna ons deelgeneem het aan 'n bofbal spel. Ek was baie opgewonde omdat ek vir die heel eerste keer in my lewe 'n huislopie behaal het en, nog groter blydschap was dat ons span gewen het met 'n telling van 24 teen 22. Na hierdie oorwinning het Liz net die regte ding gedoen om ons sukses te vier, sy het die snoepwinkel oopgesluit! Na ons besoek aan die snoepwinkeltjie was dit speelyd en daarna aandete. Die kos was nogal lekker.

Almal was teen hierdie tyd baie stowwerig en vuil en het dus direk hierna gaan stort en ons nagklere aange-trek. Liz het ons geroep om 'n plakkaart te teken, waarna ons elkeen 'n heerlike koppie Milo gegee is voor ons in ons slaapsakkies gekruip het en Klaasvaakie kom kuier het.

### Maandag:

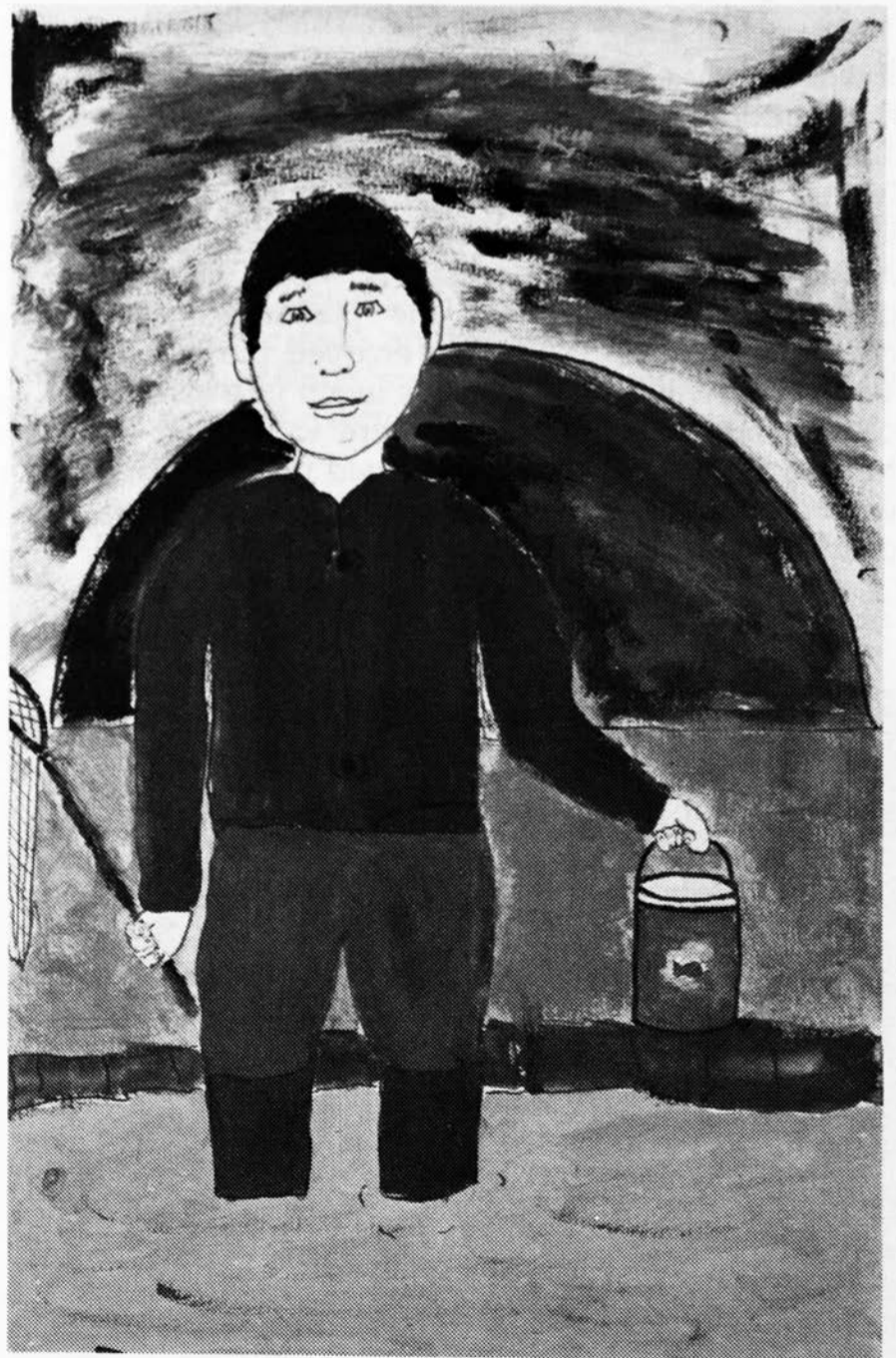
Om sewe-uur die volgende oggend was ons uit die vere uit en het vinnig gewas, tande geborsel en aange-trek. Na 'n lekker ontbyt het ons weer kans gekry om 'n rukkie lank te speel, maar ek moes my storie klaar-maak. 'n Rukkie later het die klokke gelui om ons na Billy toe te roep wat ons gevra het om ons boekies te gaan haal voordat ons gaan stap het in die bos waar ons dan ook 'n baie interessante les gehad het oor grond en gronderosie — wat hierdie les vir ons besonder gemaak het, was die feit dat ons dit daar in die buitelig en na aan Moeder Aarde kon beleef. Weer-

eens het almal 'n kans gekry om te swem, hierdie keer in 'n koel rivier. Met ons terugkeer was ons almal moeg van die buitelig en na ete het ons 'n ruskansie gehad tot omtrent 3 uur, waarna Alan Spooler en ek gevra is om 'n brief aan Mnr. Diedericks te skryf om hom te bedank vir sy vriendelikheid en gasvryheid. Die res van die dag was ons toegelaat om te speel tot dit tyd was vir aandete, waarna Billy vir ons 'n slang gewys het (baie grillerig!) en ons het weereens regge-maak vir slaapenstyd.

### Dinsdag:

Op ons laaste dag het ons so gou moontlik die oggend aangetrek en ontbyt geëet sodat ons 'n rukkie lank kon gaan speel. Daarna het ons 'n les gehad oor insekte, deur Liz, gevolg deur 'n uitstappie in die bos wat ons oor 'n smal bruggie geneem het. Ons moes insekneste soek, soos byvoorbeeld miershope ens. Te vinnig was die tyd om en ons moes terugkeer Bush-trails toe om in te pak, gelukkig was daar darem genoeg tyd om 'n les oor voëls in te kry voordat ons middagete moes nuttig en daarna die heel belangrikste besoek by die snoepwinkel aflê vir "padkos" vir die rit terug Johannesburg toe.

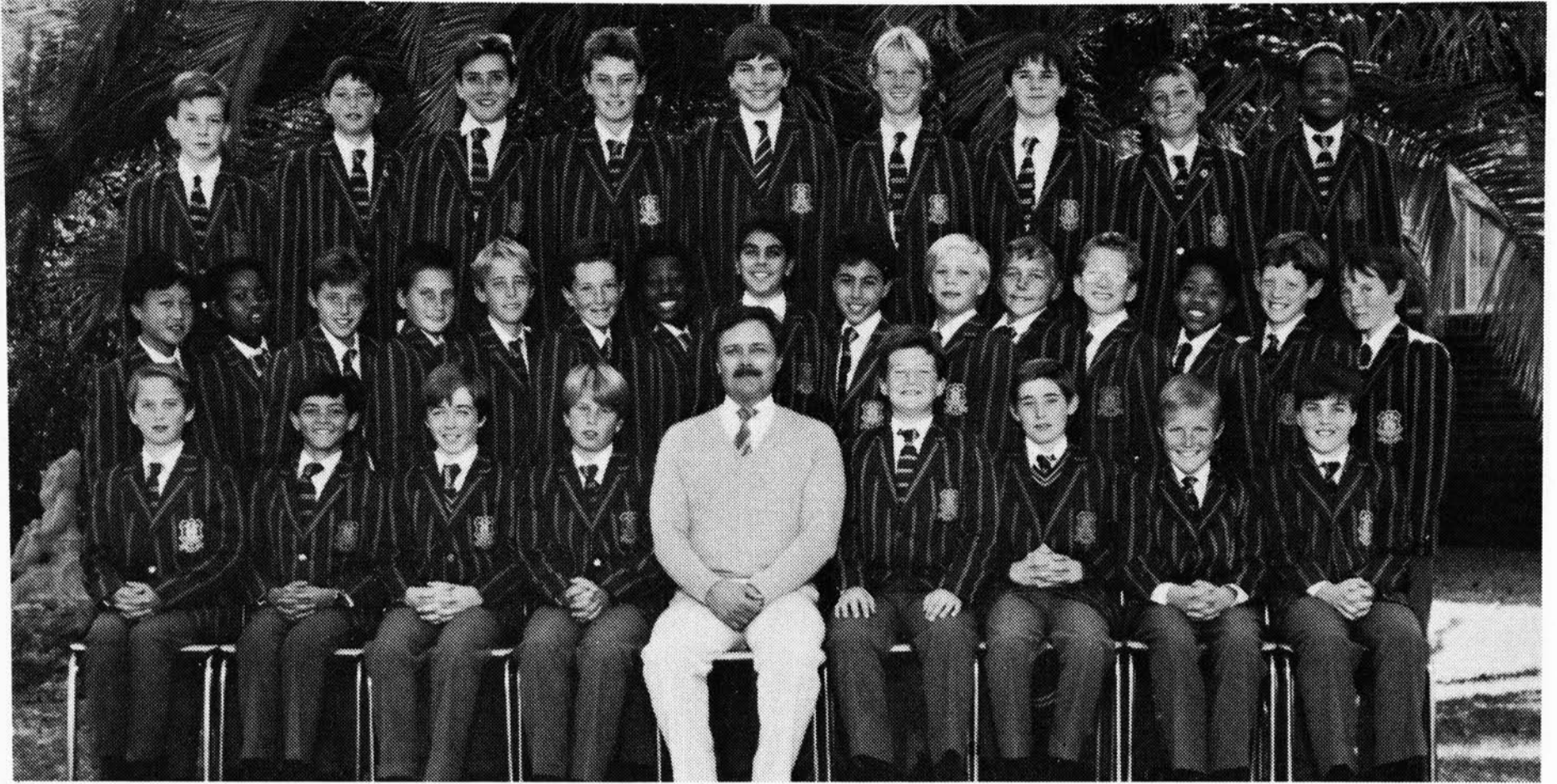
Bobby Bullock – Standard 4(g)



K Roane — Standard 6



# Class Photographs



## STANDARD 5 'K'

*Back Row (left to right):* G Knopf; V Wickins; M Valente; M Delaney; G Garofoli; M Stoner; P Altini; C Bailey; T Makapan  
*Middle Row:* M Sing; K Moiloa; R Johnson; H Penberthy; G Redmond; S Barrow; Z Nkosi; L Azar; C Tarry; B Carisle; A Bevolo; G Elder;  
K Morais; R Farber; W Hochrieter  
*Seated:* P Wilson; S Sanders; R Davern; N Geils; Mr Kotze; M Morrison; R Hellig; N Sternberg; B Ballantine



## STANDARD 4 "E"

*Back Row (left to right):* K Mogai; K McLintock; R Bullock; A Ngwira; D Vidas; R Conway  
*Seated:* R O'Regan; A Brammer; Mr J Egan; D Strever; L Massey





**STANDARD 4 'G'**

*Back Row (left to right): S Giuricich; R Jurgens; R Bullock; M Wickins*  
*Middle Row: J Koury; P Palmer; B Geldenhuys; R Laing; Mrs B A Geldenhuys; I Duncan; A Apostolidis; A Bompani; L Visser*  
*Seated: N v d Handel; Z Khumalo; D Kirchhoffer; C Emmanuel; D Smuts; M Witten; D Talbot*



**STANDARD 4 'O'**

*Back Row (left to right): C Ndaba; B Halliday; C Gertz; I Bromfield*  
*Middle Row: R Pin; C Copestake; M Machado; B Elphick; Miss M O'Kelly; A Crane; R Parbhoo; D Forssman; P Busschau*  
*Seated: N Mogale; A Thompson; M Mayet; R Nanni; S Kutranov; C Nean; K Parbhoo*





**STANDARD 3 'B'**

*Back Row (left to right): P Egan; P O'Farrell; W McLintock; A Mgulwa; M Brand; L Motsoeneng; L Neto; W Tannous*  
*Middle Row: V Mabona; M von Guillaume; G Davis; M Wilkinson; Mrs S Bowles; R O'Connor; A Buchanan; P Visser; J Wickins*  
*Seated: S Taylor; A Stella; G Hellig; M Smurthwaite; B Sullivan; Z Gardner; L Mankhambo; L Moraka; S Gallizio*



**STANDARD 3 'W'**

*Back Row (left to right): F Cupelli; A Quain; M Tau; A Sperotto; C Bechus; G Joseph*  
*Middle Row: B Vundla; M Laher; M Elphick; S Vrdoljak; D Nasser; Mrs Whitfield; J Banfield; B Greef; I Morgan; S Hope; S Ngwenya*  
*Seated: M Ward; R Jassat; B Marsay; R Marshall; K Denalane; T Wright; A Laher*





**STANDARD 2 'H'**

*Back Row (left to right):* T Pheea; B Nott; S Goldhawk; J Nel; R Wykurz; G Bailey; J Forssman; T Fokane  
*Middle Row:* A Callegari; A French; J O'Haughey; D Hurley; D Busschau; P Nagel; G Upton  
*Seated:* L Radebe; R Harrison; I Acott; J Ryan; I Wood; R Pinto; G Metcalf



**STANDARD 2 'S'**

*Back Row (left to right):* R Bechard; I Karuwa; D Pierson; N Martin; S Laing; D Martin  
*Middle Row:* T Selahle; M Nunes; G Moser; Mrs I Sumner; I Timol; G Westcott; C Segalo; T Kimbeley  
*Seated:* R Loonat; D Davern; R Sarlie; M Lurati; R Kelly; G Lamont; B Dama





**STANDARD 1 'A'**

*Back Row (left to right):* R Whitaker; B Poultney; M Kali; C Stockden; A Kelly; J Lappeman; B Sono; S Tannous  
*Middle Row:* A McLintock; K Patel; T O'Shea; M Muller; M Kirchner; Mrs G Anderson; G Bowes; D Durrant; T Maponyane; R Nana; S Levick;  
 K Johnson  
*Seated:* J Deseta; E Jackson; B Copestake; G Magni; T Tau; J Sternberg; W Diedericks



**STANDARD 1 'O'**

*Back Row (left to right):* A Muller; C Cavedoni; D Letcher; S Sitole; L Mabitsela; L Goba; K Gore; C Chandler  
*Middle Row:* D Anderson; R Morgan; A Foden; R Farinha; M Fearnhead; Mrs Orford and W Collett; J Tarry; A Bourke; O Mdluli; R Mathibela;  
 J Banda  
*Seated:* R Abvajee; J Geldmacher; S Zuccolotto; A Witten; G Banfield; M Hellig; F Policarpo





**GRADE 2 'A'**

*Back Row (left to right): P Owens; Mrs C Ansell; B Dorrestein*  
*Seated: T Moraka; N Risi; R Tait; N Mbhele; C Davy; M Earl; M Bourne*



**GRADE 2 'M'**

*Back Row (left to right): S Contardo; N Campourogrou; F Lenko; L Fiasconaro*  
*Middle Row: L Chandler; M Martin; D Christos; Mrs S Murray; L Ceresa; S Matshikwe; D Ellis*  
*Seated: Z Laher; T Khalo; M Jones; C Verhoog; P Shaw; M HArrod; P Beazley*





**GRADE 2 'S'**

*Back Row (left to right): L Marthinusen; T Mofokeng; M Nagel; A Mouzakitis; G Geidenhuys; D Wright  
 Middle Row: J Farrell; I Busschau; D O'Haughey; Mrs W Schaafsma; L Guareschi; V van der Merwe; T Twala  
 Seated: R Arico; G Simaan; D Archary; M Murray; L Moilola; T Malete; J Smurthwaite*



**GRADE 1 'C'**

*Back Row (left to right): J Bennett; I Werner; Mrs P Carlisle; N Lebuso; S Mabona  
 Middle Row: C Buchanan; P Piccioni; I Manning; M Tarry  
 Seated: S Makan; R Pryor; R Lamont; Z Essack; M Cannata; H Berolsky*





**GRADE 1 'R'**

*Back Row (left to right): M Radebe; F Lombarts; P Vrdoljak; Mrs Rose; P Callegari; M Marsay; J Ashforth  
 Middle Row: M Cupelli; L Nzama; R Schönfelt; A Chemaly; G Noffal; B O'Shea  
 Seated: S Jali; L Farisani; C Slattery; T Hermanus; P Smith; S Cavedoni*



**GRADE 0 'K'**

*Back Row (left to right): T Taelo; C Bergman; T Ratshikhopha; A Harrison; N Emmanuel; R Ravenhill; A Cox; H Gill; J Kirchhoffer  
 Seated: S Makhgthini; D Brown; K Letcher; M Schafer; S Morais; T Barnes; P Beets*





**GRADE 0 'W'**

*Back Row (left to right):* Ms Taelo; J Beazley; L Wicks; P Kearns; A Nott; G Bimbassis; L Mogatusi; M Bastos; A Mills; Mrs R M Walton  
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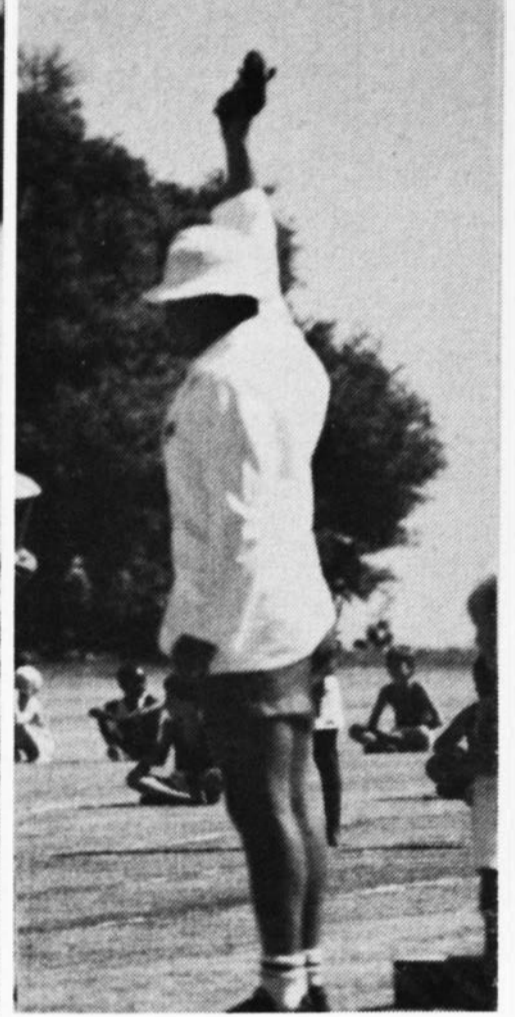


**SONS OF OLD BOYS**

*4th Row (left to right):* M v Guillaume; M Wickins; D Vidas; K McLintock; V Wickins; G Elder; R Laing  
*3rd Row:* S Contardo; D Busschau; P Busschau; S Vrdoljak; N Sternberg; R Pardini; J Wickins; A Quail; G Joseph; D Nasser; R Hellig; B Ballantine;  
 T O;Farrel; J O'Haughey  
*2nd Row:* G Simaan; I Busschau; M Hellig; C McLintock; G Lamont; R Bechard; S Laing; G Hellig; B Marsay; B Dorrestein; D O'Haughey;  
 R Whitaker; J Sternberg; D Ellis  
*Seated:* A Mills; C Bergman; R Lamont; A Chemaly; M Marsay; I Werner; P Vrdoljak; P Smith; K Hutton



## I HEARD IT THROUGH THE GRAPEVINE



MRS KIRCHHOFFER — You're the old Father William the young man said

MRS ROSE — This I Beheld or dreamed it in a dream

MRS CARLISLE — When the going gets tough, the tough get going . . .

MRS ANSELL — I meant to do my work today . . .

MRS MURRAY — Because I waddle when I walk

MRS SCHAAFSMA — The steadfast tin soldier

MRS ANDERSON — Twiggy

MRS ORFORD — A tooter who tooted a flute

MRS HURLEY — Awake (sad) heart, get up and sing

MRS MERRIWEATHER — The apple of contentment

MRS BOWLES — Busy, curious, thirsty fly

MRS WHITFIELD — Cats sleep fat and walk thin

MISS O'KELLY — Who or why or which or what?

MR EGAN — An Englishman in New York

MRS GELDENHUYS — Oh sweet pea!

MR KOTZE — The fire on the mountain

MR CASTLE — I'll tell thee everything I can

MR BRONKHORST — A cheerful old bear at the zoo

MRS WALTON — Jest and youthful jollity, quips and cracks and Walton wiles.



TAKING A BREAK!!!



# Literary and Art Contributions



J Ryan — Standard 2

## My nightmare

I had a scary dream about a vampire and I ran around the room so that he would not catch me. But if he caught me he would eat me and he took out his flick knife and he ran after me. He caught me and he tied me up and put me down on a plate and then went to fetch his flick knife and a fork and then he cut me up and I woke up!!!

Jeremy Sternberg — Standard 1(a)

## Air — Sea Rescue

Once upon a time three men owned a ship and they wanted to sail to America. So they packed their stuff and the next week they were sailing on the sea. The next day black clouds were in the sky. "Oh no!" said one of the men. "We're going to have a storm". He was right. A big storm came over in the next half hour and wrecked the ship. "Hey Joe and Frank" called Jay, those were the three people's names. "Let's jump into the dinghy and get away before we get killed." And that's what they did. When the storm was over they were sailing in the dinghy when they hit a rock, the dinghy got a hole in it. "What shall we do?" cried Frank. "Joe is already injured from the shipwreck and now we are sinking!" "Don't worry," said Jay "I will tie my shirt to the oar and hold the oar up then the helicopters will see us." Helicopters did see them and they lowered a rope for Jay. Frank and Joe tied Jay to the rope and they took all of them to the hospital. All of them were better in a month.

Kyle Johnson — Standard 1(a)

## My Dream

Once I had a dream that I was Superman and I was going to a lake. I was catching fish for supper and I was trying to fly and then I fell out of my bed!!

Juan Deseta — Standard 1(a)

## Pirates

My name is Cut Throat. I am the captain of all pirates. Long ago I saw a ship. Boy was I excited! I had lots of helpers and we put the cannon balls in the cannon and fired! I got my gold. I counted it I had R100 000! I said "Look an island." We arrived at the island and buried my gold. Night came and we had to eat berries and we all said "Yum! Yum!" and we sang "La, la, la, la, la, la!" It was a long song!

Craig Stockden — Standard 1(a)

## THE BIG RACE

Once upon a time there lived a mole and his wife who were both up to no good. One day Mr Mole was out getting some worms when he bumped into a fox. "Watch where you walk" said Mr Mole, "you must not walk so fast". Then said Mr Fox "I bet if I had you a race I would win". "No I would win" said Mr Mole. "What should be the prize?" said Mr Fox. "Ten gold coins" said Mr Mole "the race will take place on the 30th September. It is the 20th today."

The day before the race Mr and Mrs Mole made two holes. On the day of the race Mrs Mole hid in one of the holes. In another part of the field Mr Mole and Mr Fox were ready. The gun went and Mr Mole jumped into the hole and Mrs Mole popped up and said "I've won! I've won!" Mr Fox gave Mr Mole the coins but they were fake, they were chocolate with gold paper because he knew Mr Mole had cheated.

Shaun Levick — Standard 1(a)



C Tarry — Standard 5





Justin — Grade 1

### Myself

I am eight years old. I have a very nice family. I live in Soweto. My school name is St Davids College. My teaters name is Mrs Oford. I like guns. I hate horrible cars. I help the teaters if they need help. If a boy is hurt I will help him. I think im hansome in my ynifome.

Oscar Mdluli – Standard 1(o)

### The Talking Easter Bunny

Hello! How are you? I'm the Easter bunny. My name is Mr Boswell Bunny. I love carrots and lettuce. I am fifty-one and I go to houses and give Easter Eggs and while I go I sing a song. I work at a factory and make Easter Eggs and some other bunnies help me. When I have nothing to do I go and play with the other bunnies. I go home every day at seven o'clock and all the other bunnies live with me. There are ten bunnies. Every morning we go to the factory at seven o'clock.

Giulio Magni – Standard 1(a)

### I am the king of the jungle

I am a cheeter. I am the king because I run faster than any other animal. I stork beter than any animal. I know tricks beter than any animal. I have big claws, I have sharp teeth. If the animals fight I'll fight them or I eat them. I jump as high as any animal. I can beat anybody in a fight. All I know is that if any pepol call me dumb they beter know who they deling with. That's for sure.

Adriano Iorio – Standard 1(o)

### I am the King of the Jungle

I am a hungry lion. I go hunting every day to get my food. My favourite food is a zebra. When I roar I roar so loudly that every animal knows that the king of the jungle is hungry. I am so strong that I can kill almost any animal. I am so vicious that when another animal sees me he will run away. Just remember never to come near me because I will eat you!

Sean Tannous – Standard 1(a)

### My puppy

My puppy is so quiet and playful. He sleeps with me at night and wakes me up in the morning. He plays with the ball, he swims with me too. Sometimes he hurts himself but not too bad and he barks at strangers. I forgot to tell you his name is Sandy. We went to the sea together. My brother is jealous and mean to Sandy. My sister has got cats, she tries to keep Sandy away but he keeps barking. When I go to school he misses me when I come back he barks and barks. I feed him every day. Sometimes he does not eat at all. All my friends like him but I like him the most. He goes to dog shows and once he came first. He is so cuddly and warm he cuddles up by the fire and goes to sleep. He is two years old. He is a labrador, my Mom and Dad have seven dogs.

Brendan Copestake – Standard 1(a)

### Air Sea Rescue

Once upon a time a man and his to sons went out fishing when a terrible storm struck. Big waves came and they hit a rock. When it calmed down they saw that they had a hole in boat. They were very scared that they would sink. One boy was trying to get the water out with his hat. The father made a mast with a fishing rod and tied his shirt to the top of it. The helicopter rescue team went to look for them they spotted the boat and dropped a rope down for the men. Each one grabbed onto the helicopter. When they landed there was an ambulance waiting incase anyone needed medical attention.

Grant Banfield – Standard 1(o)

### Pirates

My name is "Doctor Death". They call me that because I kill people and steal their belongings. If the ship has no jery, I sink the ship. When one of my crew tries to get away, or kills someone, I put them in my shark tank with sharks and sword fish. We have a map for each island, when we find the one island, we throw that map away.

Kevin Gore – Standard 1(o)



L Mocci — Standard 7





A Ngwira — Standard 4

### I am a gypsy boy

I am a gypsy boy, I roam the world in a caravan. I spend my time chopping wood for my fire and gather leaves for a bed. I bath in a stream and I like watching the cars go by. I love it in the wood and love to see the little creatures running past. I feed the birds bread-crumbs. I like pale colours and at night I sit by my fire and watch the moon and the stars.

James Lappeman – Standard 1(a)

### The Gypsy Camp

The gypsies had come to town. There'd been a robbery somewhere round their camp. I was still a little boy but acted like a cop. I solved lots of cases round these parts. I had become real sespishis about this one gypsy. The next day I found some foot prints near the gypsy camp it look like there had a fight between two men. A little further on I found Mr Brown hurt badly. I called for help. Soon he was in hospital. He told me gypsy Joe was the robber he bonked me on my head while I was fighting him. Gypsy Joe was put in custody. He told me Mr Jones blackmailed him to take the diamond. A week later Mr Jones was in jail. I solved another case.

Matthew Fearnhead – Standard 1(o)

### Spring

Spring is a time when the sun begins to shine, the clouds sometimes rain, and life begins all over again. The animals sleep no longer. Birds sing and church bells ring. The air is fresher and people feel better.

Bees start buzzing and the chick goes peck-peck.

When spring ends, life has resumed and every single flower has bloomed.

Graham Westcott – Standard 2(m)

### Happiness

Happiness is lying on the beach in Mauritius drinking a coke.  
 Happiness is seeing the world  
 Happiness is flying in a plane.  
 Happiness is love.  
 Happiness is lying in bed thinking.  
 Happiness is owning  
 Happiness is learning  
 Happiness is finding  
 Happiness is peace  
 Happiness is life!

Jordan Forssman – Standard 2(h)

### Thirty Years Later

When I am forty years old I am going to become a veterinary surgeon — in other words, a vet. A vet is a person like a doctor but he or she works only with animals. I am going to do this work because I love all animals, from the smallest insect to the largest beast. I shall do it also because I am sick of cruelty to animals or of seeing them dying. I will live in a caravan, a very big, big caravan. I have decided to live in one as I will be travelling all over the place. You might be wondering if I will have a hospital to work in. The answer is yes. I will call the hospital "Fokane Animal Headquarters". For short it will be called F.A.H. I will not get married. Why? It is like this: If I do get married it will mean I will just have to take my bags and go! I would have to leave my wife alone most of the time and I would not like her coming along with me. So, I will not get married. I will need a motorbike or a four wheel drive. The only company I'll have will be four dogs, two Alsatians and two Doberman Pinschers. I will be very busy when I am forty years old.

Teboho Fokane – Standard 2(h)

### Die Vulkaan

As 'n vulkaan uitbars,  
 is daar 'n groot geraas,  
 daar is larwe, rook en as,  
 en almal moet verkas.

Daar is nie altyd tyd nie,  
 om uit die stad te ry nie,  
 alles is verwoes,  
 Dikwels, die mense, en die oes.

Robert Bullock – Standard 4(g)

### Colours

Colours dominate our lives.  
 Red is the colour of Mars.  
 Orange is the colour of Sun, copper.  
 Yellow is the colour of maize, grain, wheat and gold.  
 Green is the colour of an Emerald.  
 Blue is the parts of the English flag.  
 Indigo is the colour navy blue in Winter.  
 Violet is the colour of Quality Street boxes.

Alex Brammer – Standard 4(e)



K Stirling — Standard 7





H Penberthy — Standard 5

## Colour

Autumn it lies  
And now arose colour  
Things are still, but  
they are bright.

Ireland is represented by  
Emerald green a suitable colour  
to hold and to touch, colour.

Colour, colour light of the world  
fills up our hearts  
lights up our days  
Colour, the pride of Nature.

Kifso Mogocci – Standard 4(e)

## Die Storie van Pompeji

Eendag in Pompeji  
Op die sewe van Mei  
Het 'n man in die straat  
geloop met sy kaart.

Onmiddellik het hy 'n geraas gehoor!  
Hy kyk bo.  
'n Man sê vir hom,  
"Kyk, daars 'n rookkollom!"

Die vulkaan het uitgebars,  
Die lug was nie meer vars.  
Die manne het gesterwe,  
Ook met Van Der Merwe.

Dit het gebeur,  
Daar is nie meer.  
Dit is die storie van Pompeji,  
Dit het gebeur op die sewe van Mei.

David Kirchhoffer – Standard 4(g)

## I am the king of the jungle

I am a lion. I am the king of the jungle. I am the strongest. I can live in a cave and amongst the reeds for hiding my cubs. I have big sharp claws to eat my prey. I have a lioness. I have a pride of lions. My name is Kimba the white lion. I klim trees to look for pray. Ther is my story.

Anton Muller – Standard 1(o)

8 Grosfam Avenue  
Sandhurst Ext 4  
Sandton  
2196  
26 May 1988

Dear Western Platinum LTD

I must say I really enjoyed learning about your mine and how it works. The thing that I enjoyed the most was watching your workers drilling into the rock in search of platinum. I found it exciting to listen to the noise of your drills, drilling into the tons and tons of platinum you will eventually get.

When I found out how much ore is needed to make 3,65 grams of platinum, I was astounded. You would think a person needed just a small pile of rocks to make some platinum.

What also excited me was the cog drives pulling up the rock from beneath. When you told me it was built in 1912 I nearly fainted. I thought you just had a lift pulled up by a piece of thick wire attached on to an electric box which slowly pulls up the lift. The speed that the lift goes at is incredible and amazing.

The swings were also very enjoyable and relaxing. It was fun to look at the water tickling down the tunnel and observing the rocks. It was really an experience.

I realize that these chair lifts certainly save a lot of time for it would take ages for the miners to walk up and down the mine everyday. My classmates seemed to manage to get on and off the chairs quiet well. If the old mine goes down 14 levels the new mine of 30 levels is indeed deep. I wish you luck to mine it.

I must thank the people who prepared the lovely, tasty food and cool drinks. I really enjoyed the chips. You have really got a nice, restful and peaceful town and the people are so friendly.

I really appreciate the work of everyone that was associated with our trip. To the people who served us with tea, cooldrinks etc, I also give my thanks to Mr Roets and all the other managers.

Yours sincerely  
Bradley Geldenhuys

## Die Vulkaan

Die groot Vulkaan op die berg  
Het 'n stad opgeheg  
Die as was fyn en baie wart  
Daar was pyn in 'n mens se hart.

Al die mense het gedink dat  
Die lawa hulle nie sal vat  
Al die mense het gevrek  
Want hulle was in vuur gedek.

Ian Duncan – Standard 4(g)



## The Klipspringer and the Leopard

The klipspringer jumps  
from rock to rock  
at the very peak of a  
mountain top.

His graceful body  
flies through the air  
as he bounces here and there.

But behind the cliffs  
a leopard lurks  
He sights the klipspringer  
and then smirks.

He stalks the prey  
so silently,  
but is distracted by  
a bumble bee.

The klipspringer  
jumps and disappears.  
The leopard turns back  
but still he sneers.

A herd of waterbuck  
gallop over a nearby plain.  
The leopard tries once more  
but still in vain.

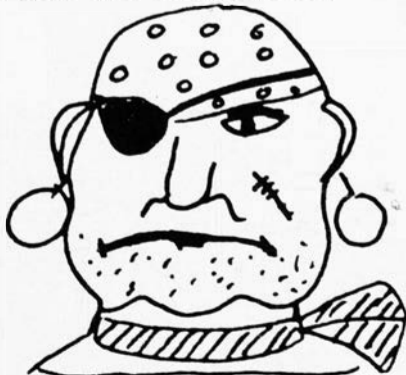


### Peg-leg-Pete

Peg-leg-Pete was an English pirate. He didn't shave. His face was so dirty, everyone thought he was an Indian. His beard was so big and it was full of smelly stale bread, rotten bits of meat and figernails. Pete wore long colourful feathers on his ears. His hair was thick and dirty and he brushed it. His skin was wrinkled and ragged. He had only five teeth. There was an endless smell of alcohol in his breath. Pete was only seventeen years old when his captain played a dirty trick on him and shot him in the knee-cap, so he has a peg leg.

Peg-leg-Pete was feared by many sailors not only by his looks but by his weapons. He had three pistols, 2 cutlasses and fifteen canons on his ship but mainly his most dreaded weapon of all was his double barrel blunderbus. He was a dirty person but his clothes were made of silk and velvet and leather which were always clean.

Peg-leg-Pete was a grumpy, vicious, mean, over excited man and he was a hypochondriac. For example if you were talking to him he would just say "shut up" and if he fell on the ground he would start crying and swearing. One time when he was waiting for some action he became so blood-thirsty he took his blunderbus and blew a hole through one of his sailors leg. He died in a battle at sea.



Michael von Guilleaume – Standard 3

## Standard Three

### The Lioness

The lives with her family in a large cave,  
outside the entrance there lies a mound like grave,  
where every day,  
the remains of her prey are left to decay.

Anyone with sensitive smell,  
finds being around here just like hell.  
And this evil place, no one want to come near,  
because of overwhelming anxiety and awful fear.

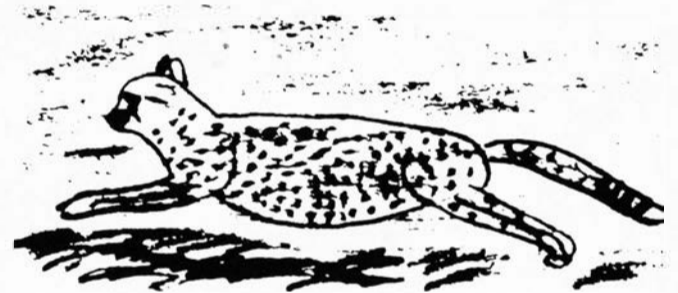
The lions must have plenty of meat,  
but in these troubled times, catching a good meal is a difficult feat.  
The lioness powls away on a mission of dread.  
Some mice had been outside playing, but quickly fled.

She stalks along with superior might,  
then sees some impala in the shadow of oncoming night.  
She charges, but the antelope, as in a trance,  
begin to run and dance and prance.

The lioness seeming to run at the speed of light,  
bounds into unexpected flight.  
She delivers a powerful killing bite,  
her victim dies without a fight.

This effort the family will truly appreciate,  
the cubs will play in joyful gait,  
her husband will let out a contented grunt,  
happily satisfied with the results of her hunt.

Andrew Buchanan



### The Hippo

A big fat plump he is  
A lazy fellow too  
Stays in the water all day  
But he is helpful to the reeds  
A proud fellow he is  
Marking his territory with his dung.

A big fellow he is,  
He fertilizes the ground with his dung  
Interesting animal he is  
Walking ten km just for food.  
An interesting fellow he is.

Batana Vundla – Standard 3(w)



# A day in the life of a Marist boy . . .







# “Jotting from the Little Folk”



## Our visit to the zoo

We went on the bus to go to the zoo and we saw the gorilla and we had a picnic and we saw a canill.

Zaheed Essack – Grade 1(c)

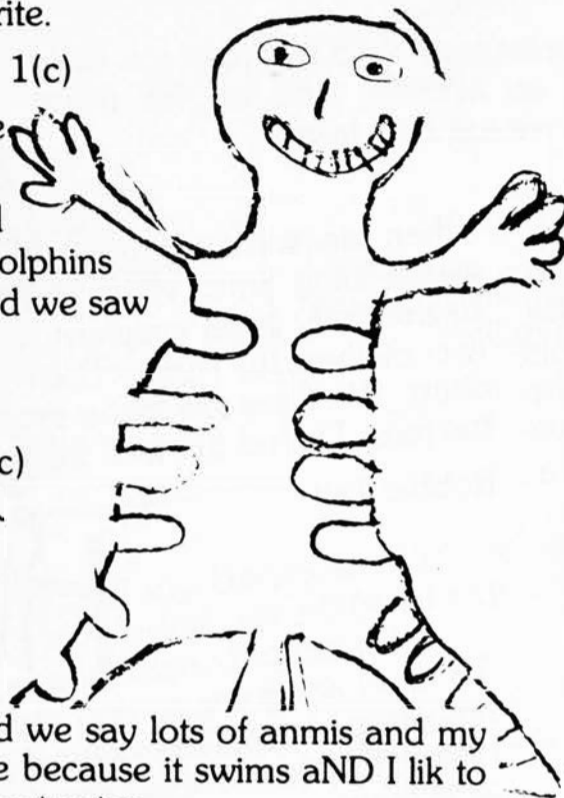
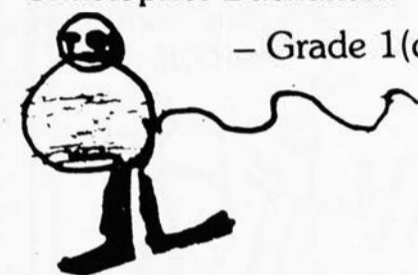
We went to the zoo and I saw the polar bear and I also saw the baboon and I also saw the flamingos the flamingos was my favourite.

Marco Cannata – Grade 1(c)

We want to the zoo we saw I baboon and we want on the tractor and we saw a lion and the dolphins and we had a picnic and we saw the snakes.

Christopher Buchanan

– Grade 1(c)



We went to the Zoo and we saw lots of animals and my best animal was the snake because it swims AND I like to swim and we went on the tractor.

Stephen Campion – Grade 1(c)

On Friday I went to the zoo. When I got there I saw a chicken picking seeds. Then I saw an eagle that pecked out the golden eagle's eye. Then we saw a ferret that ran away. Then there were fat seals that did funny tricks. Then I saw a snake on a stick. Then we went on a tractor to the polo field. Then we had to go. The end.

Paul Owens – Grade 2(a)

We saw a black panther and it is my best we went on the bus we went to the tractor we saw seals and that was my second best.

Brett Strever – Grade 1(c)

## Winnie the Pooh

We went to the Intimate Theatre. My best was Christopher Robin and Tigger and I like it when they turned the lights off and I like it when Winnie the Pooh was stuck in Rabbit's front door. Rabbit was cross then we went back to school.

Christopher Buchanan – Grade 1(c)

## My School

My school is nice because I have lots of friends even some students are my friend. Because my mom is a teacher.

Carmac Slattery – Grade 1(r)

I like school because there are friends and Jim and there are books and I like to read write and draw and I don't like sums and I also don't like homework.

Alfie Chemaly – Grade 1(r)

## Showing that we love God

Today I am going to let my god lie on my bed to show that I love God.

Luca Fiasconaro – Grade 2(m)

Today I am going to try not fight with my brother when he opens my case to show that I love God.

James Smurthwaite – Grade 2(s)

Today I am going to be nice to my brother. I hope that Jesus will help me to be nice to my brother to show that I love God.

Chad McLintock – Grade 2(a)

I was unkind when I punched my sister when we were having a fight. After I said sorry I hugged my sister, and we played nicely.

Dale Ellis – Grade 2(m)

I was unkind when I pushed in a line.

Bart Dorrestein – Grade 2(a)

I made a bad choice when I pushed my cousin off the jumping castle.

Deane O'Houghey – Grade 2(s)

I made a bad choice when I stole my friend's toothbrush.

Lefentse Moilola – Grade 2(s)

I was unkind when I stole a dog's food and I took it behind the cherry tree and ate it. Then my mom found it.

Luca Fiasconaro – Grade 2(s)

I was unkind when I hit my sister with my He-man sword.

Roberto Arico – Grade 2(s)

Thank you God for giving me ices.

Tokologo Malete – Grade 2(s)

Thank you Jesus for making me. I will try to be good and make my mom and my dad and my sister and my other friends happy.

Mark Earl – Grade 2(a)

My family loves me I love my family.

My brother likes chocolate. I like coke.

My father likes to swim. My mother likes books.

Peter Vrdoljak – Grade 1(r)

## After School Care

I like after school care some times my sister comes some times she catches us we run away. My sister likes to read. I am good at reading.

James Ashforth – Grade 1(r)



# “Jotting from the Little Folk”

## News Time in Grade 2



I went to Garden World and we went to the peecoks and we pikt the feathers up. We saw a kmelyon it was green.

Martin Harrod



Uwe dad tok us to soper man. And uwe dad tok us to sandton and we got an iscream. And we tok pierre francesca home. And we tok Bart home.

Reinhold Warther

We were gowing to stay in a game reserve. The first night both Colet and Mandy went out on the road, they were looking at the buck. My dad made a groul like a lion they screemed and ran well that was the end of that. We went to the Kruger National Park we saw a lion catch a buck and the lioness catch a wothog. We saw the big five in one day. They are elephant, bufolo, lion, rino and hipo. We went on a river walk and we saw a baboon it was in a tree.

Dale Ellis



On Sunday my friends came to lunch and they helped us put steps in the cellar. Last night my mom herd something on the roof, she went out with a torch and saw the dogs were chasing a cat from the new house onto the old house then the puppy could not get down.

Stefano Contardo

Yesterday we went by bys to the Transport Museum. The first thing we saw was how bicycles were invented. Then we had lunch and we saw carts. Then we saw the Model T Ford and the Rolls Royce. We went into a steam locomotive.

Roberto Arico



To day I am going to doo my gradinge. I am happy. I am gowing to yollow bowt. I hop I will pos. I will be happy if I pos. Sow will my perens. It will be nos on u colid bowt.

When I whent to the dam with Reihold we saw a duck. And we whent to the dam wall. And we cross a slipreey brij. And we whent back. And Reihold's muthr boot us sum Sunday sweets.

Bart Dorrestein



To day my cusen got a metel and a sitificet for socer. On Friday we maby are going in a train to Durben. Or we or maby goin in a car to Durben.

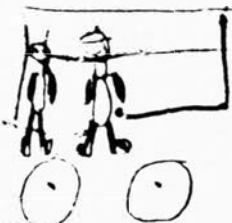
Chad McLintock

I liktte Tigger when he trid to jumqt on Eeyore but he mist. I liktte it when Piglet got stuk in her house. Then Piglet throw a botil with a note in it. Then Winnie the Pooh got the botil whith the note in. Then Winnie the Pooh got a big jar and flotid to Christopher Robin. Pooh gave Christopher Rod in the note and got in a unbrelu. I liktte it when thay plad Pooh stiks and tha y plad lik this. The firs wun that came threw wil be the whinr.

Christopher Davy

Last Saturday morning it was our gala. We marched down to the pool with our shakers. Mrs Schaafsma called out the boys. They stood on the blocks. Mr Castle started the races with a gun.

Thato Twala



On holiday we went to the harbour and they let us on a ship. They were loading the ship and we went into the captions room.

Paul Shaw

Michael Murray

On Saturday my brother was playing one of our computer games. He changed it. Then the computer started to make strange sounds. I told my father. He came to see what happened. He got the system disk. He went through all the directions. My mother switched the computer off by mistake.

Daniel Wright





# Pregrades — News and Views



Dear Jesus, I like to put my baby brother to sleep so that he won't be tired and grumpy when he wakes up.

Dear Jesus, I love my dog and my dog is in bed with me.

We don't go on growing or Daddy would be a giant.

I'm carrying a big fish that Daddy caught and I put my finger into Jennifer's shoes.

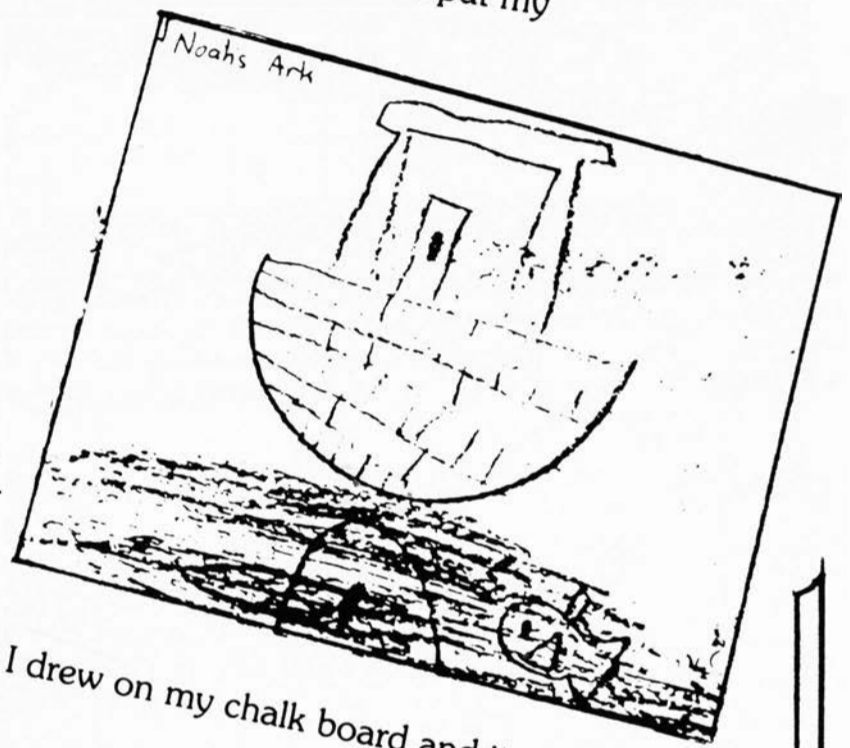


Me and my Mommy and my Daddy went to the airport to fetch Harry. My Daddy was a little bit dirty and he stayed in the car and listened to the radio.

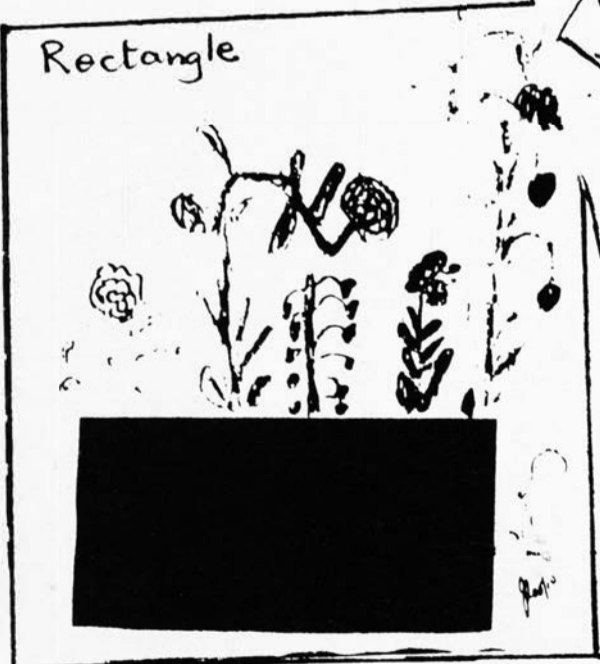
We took Mummy for lunch. We picked Daddy up on the way because Daddy was riding to Pretoria with a French man.

My Daddy has a sore back. The doctor says he can get up for work. He must not pick up heavy things — heavy things like a buffalo!

We went to the rugby and we got our ice-cream. I paid. The rugby man fell on my sister!



I drew on my chalk board and it was a butterfly.

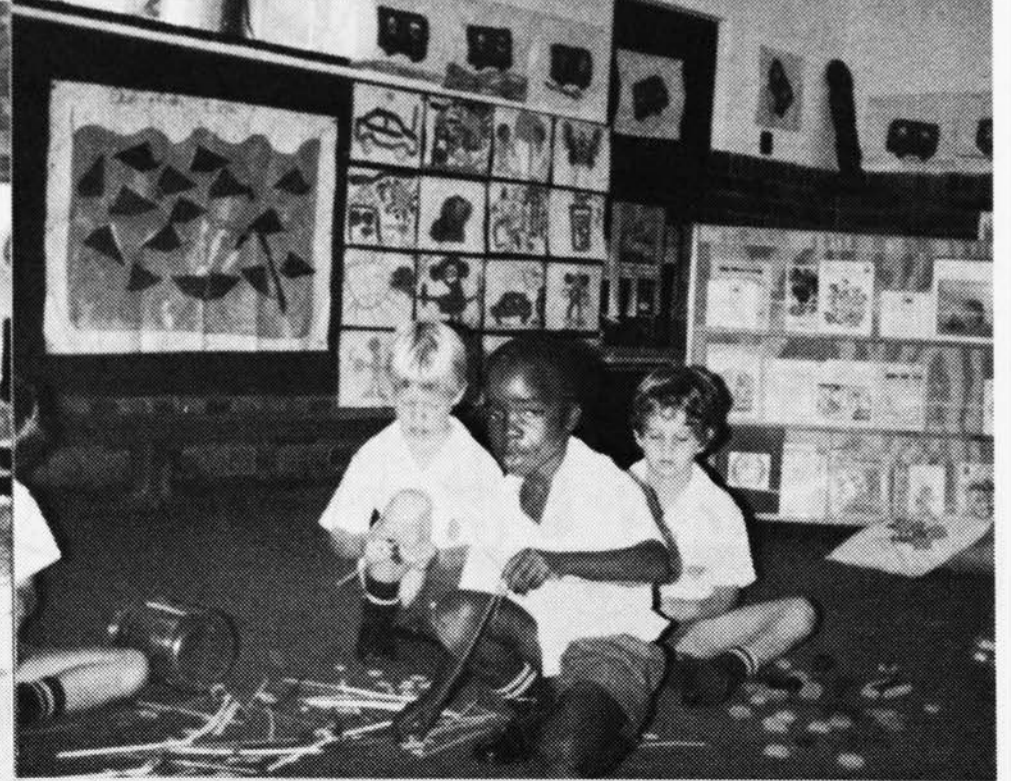
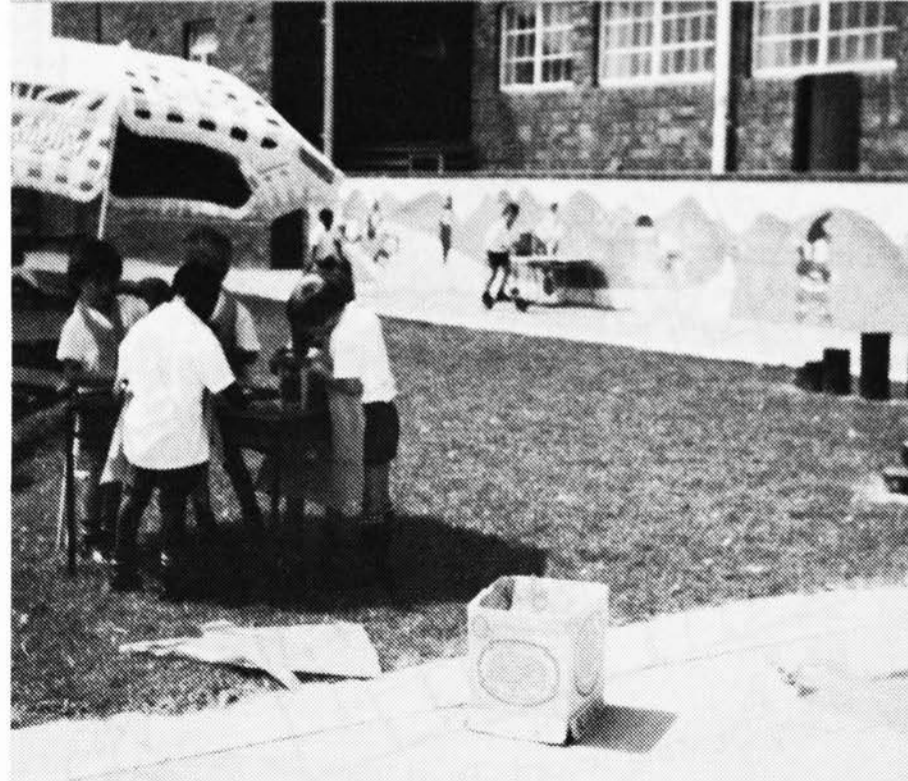


This is my Mommy's Dirty Dancing record. There is a snail on the card.





# ACTIVITIES



Our micro — mini Marist boys, seriously involved in various activities



## A variety of acts

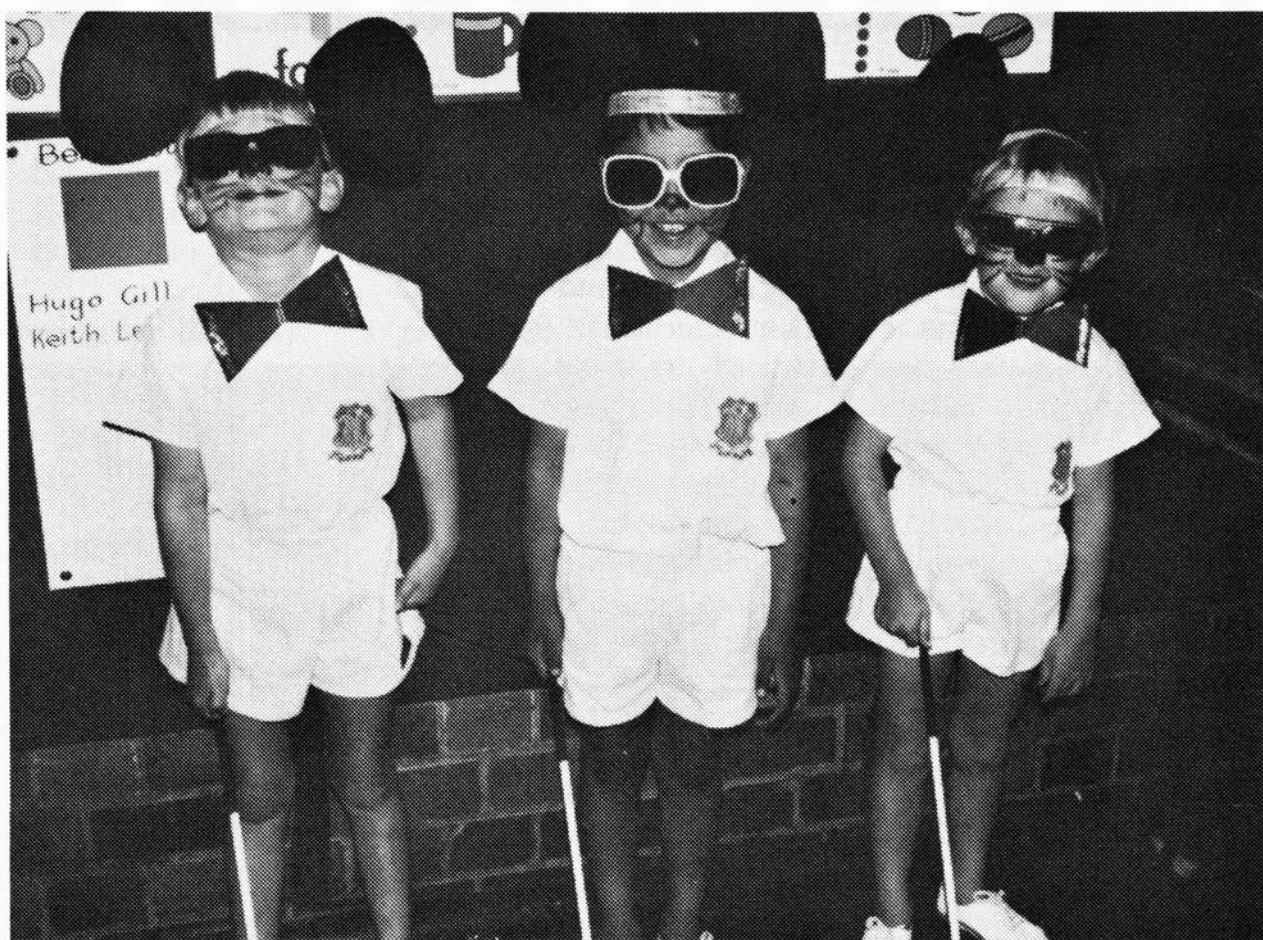
In order to give every child an opportunity to participate in the school's annual drama production, it was decided that this year, instead of a single play as in the past, every standard in the school would produce its own short play combined in an evening of a variety of acts reminiscent of the old music hall days.

That this decision was the right one was immediately apparent to all concerned as the enthusiasm and enjoyment that the boys had during rehearsals and on the evenings of the production came through to an appreciative audience who were treated to such sights

and sounds as The best dressed mice in town, The Witches' Kitchen, Cricket with the Red Indians, Dinosaurs, Cats, Snow White, Treasure Island and Cindy Rella all liberally interspersed with music and catchy songs.

Congratulations must go to all concerned, the boys, the backstage hands, the teachers, the two Masters of Ceremony, Mark Allen and Brian Steele and last but not least to the parents for their effort in making the costumes and above all for being such an appreciative audience thus making the production the success it was.

**THREE BLIND MICE**



**A BEVY OF BEAUTIES**



# ATHLETICS



## Lower Primary Inter-House Athletics

After a number of years of really cold weather we finally had a very warm sunny day for our inter-house athletics. The boys and parents really enjoyed the sunshine and the boys must be congratulated on some outstanding performances. Our Interhouse sports records are of a very high standard, so if any are broken, outstanding achievement is shown. Our thanks must go to Mr O'Sheen for obtaining new trophies for our Athletics and all the parents and teachers who so kindly donated them. Our thanks go also to all the parents who came to support their sons and make the day so enjoyable for both parents and sons. Thanks also to all the parents who supported the Athletics and Cross Country Teams during the year at the various meetings. We would also like to thank the staff who helped at the various meetings and for the time spent helping to get all the pre-contested events run off in time for the inter-house competition.

A special word of thanks to the catering committee for providing the teas and refreshments after the meetings and especially for those parents who make boerewors rolls at the annual sports day.

The following boys were responsible for breaking records:

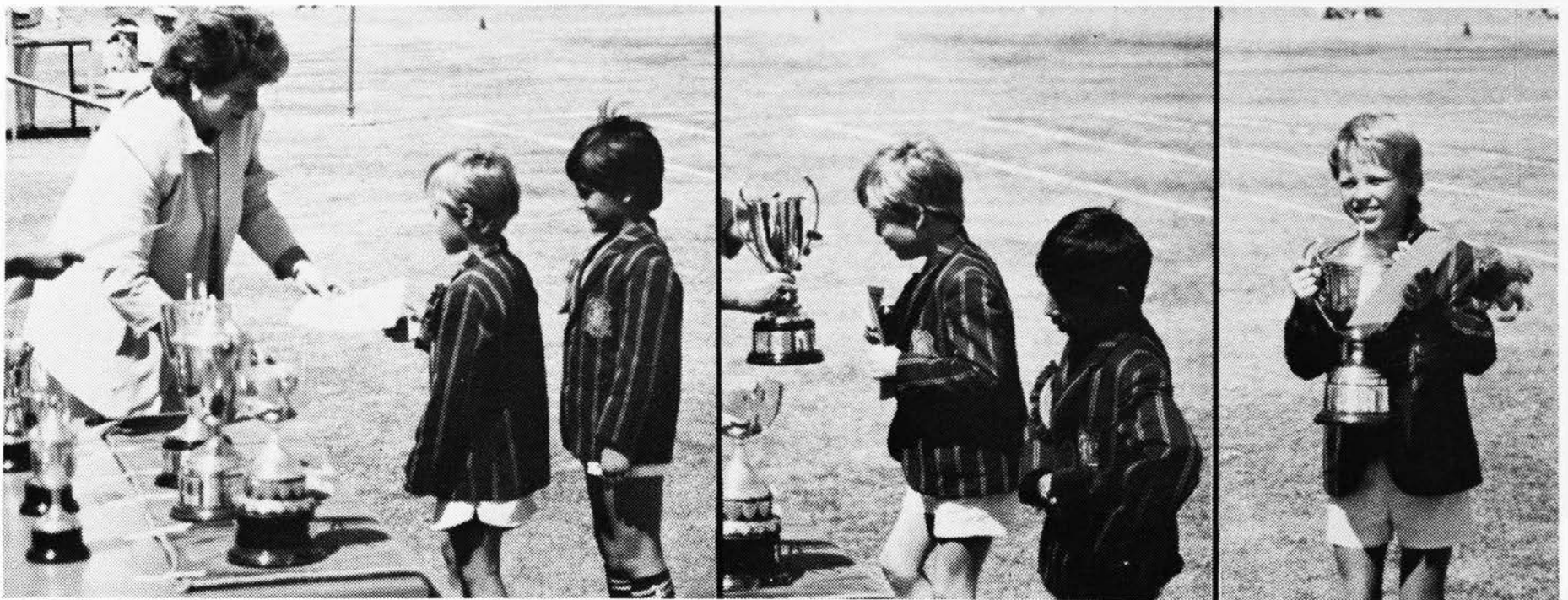
U/9 4×100m      Benedict      62,20

The following boys were awarded Trophies:

Event:	Trophy:	Winner:
U/5 Age Group	Bartos	Revel Ravenhill
U/6 Age Group	Kempster	Hugo Berolsky
U/7 Age Group	Tonetti	Robert Tait
U/8 Age Group	Barenbrug	Chad McLintock
U/9 High Jump	Bronkhorst	Craig Stockton
U/9 Long Jump	Geldenhuys	Timothy O'Shea
U/9 4×100m Relay	G Manolios	Benedict
U/9 Age Group	George Roy	Timothy O'Shea

The Final House Positions were:

Osmond	156
The Bishops	121
Benedict	99
College	92





## Senior Primary Inter-House Athletics

The following boys were responsible for breaking records:

Open 800m	M Tau	2m 17,57
U/12 800m	C Bailey	2m 37,41
U/11 800m	P Visser	2m 31,95
U/11 400m	P Visser	68,61
U/10 High Jump	T French	1,20m Equalled Record
U/10 Long Jump	S Gallizio	4,06m
U/10 70m Hurdles	S Gallizio	13,37
U/12 70m Hurdles	K Mogoai	11,74
Open 70m Hurdles	M Tau	11,07
U/10 200m	S Gallizio	29,16
U/10A 4x100m	The Bishops	60,50

The following boys were awarded trophies:

High Jump:	Trophy:	Winner:
U/10	Ronnie Carr	T French
U/11	William Castle	B Geldenhuys
U/12	Terry O'Mahony	K Mogdai
Open	Brother Ralph	D Visinsky

## Long Jump:

U/10  
U/11  
U/12  
Open

## 100m:

U/10  
U/11  
U/12  
Open

## 200m:

U/10  
U/11  
U/12  
Open

## 400m:

U/11  
U/12  
Open

## 800m:

U/11  
U/12  
Open

## Trophy:

Scott  
Livshitz  
Brindle  
Alcock

## Trophy:

McLintock  
Tait  
Scott  
Priscilla Carlisle

## Trophy:

Rothbauer  
French  
Vaughan Wickens  
Ryan

## Trophy:

Tarry  
Stockton  
Gallizio

## Trophy:

Visser  
Stubbs  
Brother Aquinas

## Winner:

S Gallizio  
S Ngwenya  
R Nanni  
M Tau

## Winner:

S Gallizio  
A Quail  
K Mogoai  
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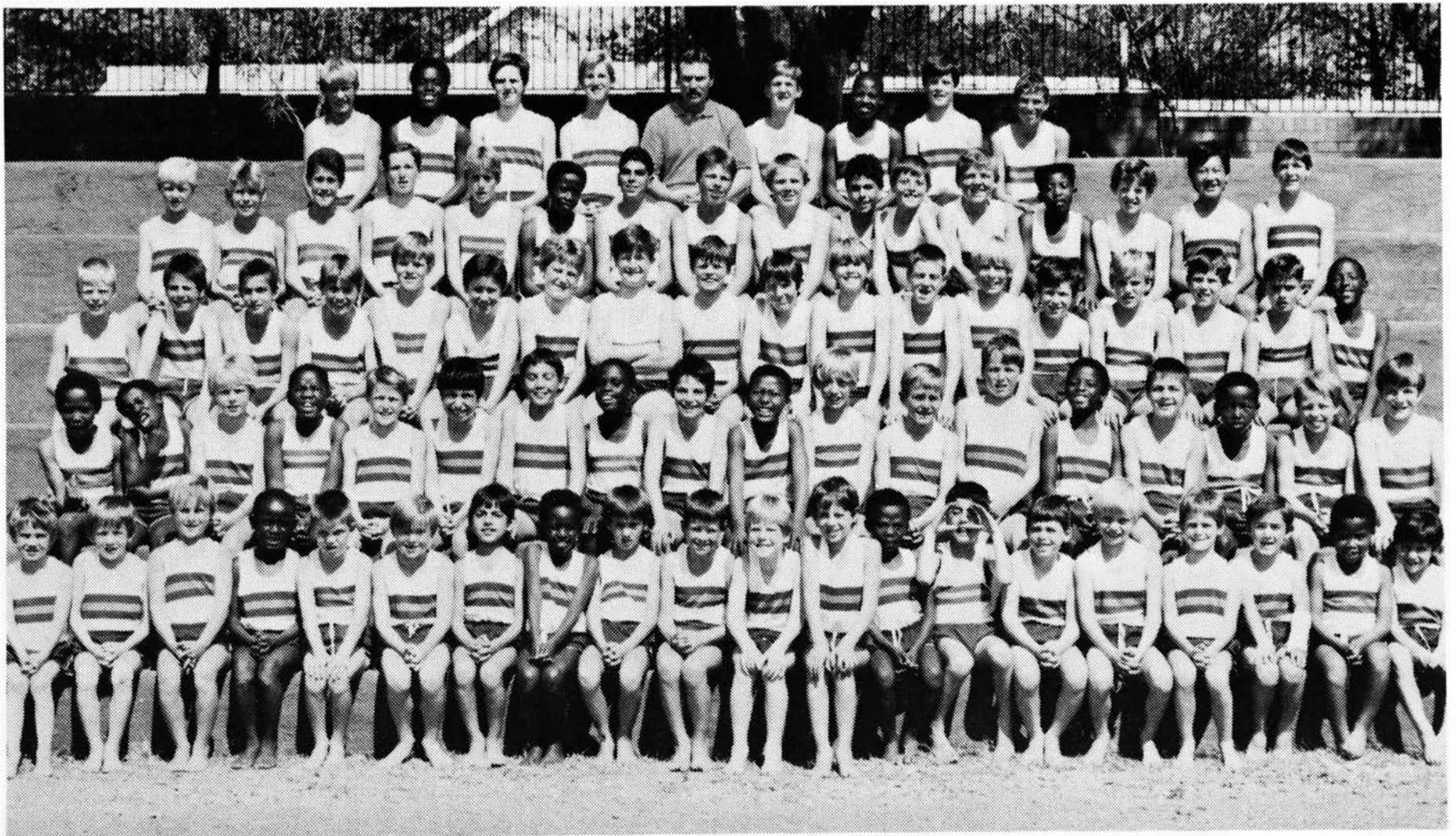
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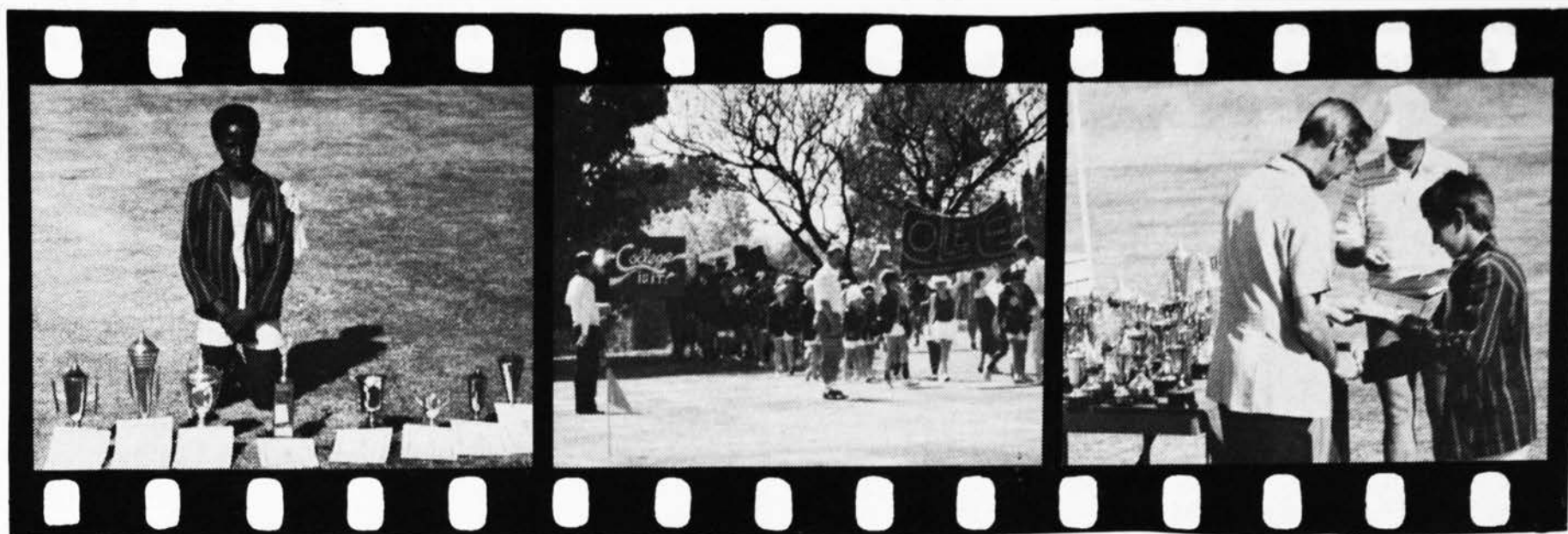
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M Tau



## ATHLETICS A & B

5th Row (left to right): D Vidas; A Ngwira; P Altini; M Stoner; Mr W Castle; D Visinsky; T Makapan; M Wilkinson; C Bailey  
4th Row: B Greef; R Wykurz; A Sperotto; S Barrow; G Redman; M Tau; L Azar; K McLintock; R Jurgens; C Jarry; M Wickins; A Bevolo; K Mogoai; R Faber; M Sing; V Wickins  
3rd Row: G Upton; S Gallizio; R Nanni; R Conway; A Quail; C Copestake; F Cuppelli; M Morrison; A Crane; W Hochreiter; P Visser; B Geldenhuys; L Visser; R Pardini; R O'Regan; M Kirchner; T French; C Segalo  
2nd Row: L Redebe; T Tau; A O'Neill; M Kalie; G Metcalf; A Stella; R Pin; S Ngwena; Z Gardner; K Denalene; J Winderley; M Ward; N Martin; L Mabitsela; T O'Shea; F Lenko; C McLintock; P Owens  
1st Row: P Smith; S Champion; J Bennett; L Nzama; B O'Shea; N Warther; Z Laher; S Matshikwe; V van der Merwe; G Geldenhuys; R Tait; D Christos; L Mvubu; M Tarry; C Buchanan; I Manning; M Cupelli; P F Callegari; M Redebe; H Berolsky





<b>70m Hurdles:</b>	<b>Trophy:</b>	<b>Winner:</b>
U/10	Gore	S Gallizio
U/11	O'Shea	M Wilkinson
U/12	Brother Edwin	K Mogoai
Open	Anderson	M Tau
<b>Relay:</b>	<b>Trophy:</b>	
U/10 4 x 100m	Marais	The Bishops
U/11 4 x 100m	Joe de Decker	The Bishops
U/12 4 x 100m	Luyckx	College
Open 4 x 100m	Brother Timothy	The Bishops
<b>Age Group:</b>	<b>Trophy:</b>	
U/10	George Roy	S Gallizio
U/11	Kitty Shaw	B Geldenhuys
U/12	Kitty Shaw	K Mogoai
Open	Brother Pius	M Tau
U/12 – Open	Sandton Mayoral Trophy	M Tau
House Cup	Kempster Trophy	The Bishops

**Final House Positions:**

The Bishops	434½
College	311
Osmond	296
Benedict	219½

**Inter School Athletics**

**Results were:**

**August 24**

Craighall	174
Blairgowrie	69
St David's	109

**August 31**

Eastleigh	132½
St David's/Rosebank	
Convent	119
King David V.P.	114½

**September 7**

Bordeaux	201
St David's/Rosebank	
Convent	145
Mayfair	139
Bramley	67

**September 10**

K.E.P.S.	210½
St Stithians	180
St Davids	149½

**September 13**

St David's	213
St Martin's	72

**September 14**

La Salle/	
St Catherine's	157
St Davids/Rosebank	
Convent	146
De La Salle Holy	
Cross	143
Saxonwold	83

**September 20**

St David's	219
St John's	158

**September 27**

St David's	245½
St Peter's	237½

**September 13**

St David's/Rosebank	
Convent	153
Greenside	115
King David Sandton	80

**Cross Country**

**St Stithians Cross Country:**

Under 11:	P Visser	3
	F Cupelli	8
	M Ward	12
	N van den Handel	13

Team Position First

Under 12:	R Nanni	19
	D Vidas	34
	S Barrow	35
	L Azar	39

Team Position Seventh

Open:	M Tau	12
	V Wickins	15
	R Johnson	40
	G Redman	52

Team Position Sixth

**King David V.P. Cross Country:**

Junior A:	P Visser	12
	F Cupelli	3
	B Geldenhuys	18
	B Greef	31



Junior B:	Z Gardner	6
	S Gallizio	8
	G Metcalf	9
	M Brand	15
Senior A:	R Johnson	17
	G Redman	27
	V Wickins	33
	S Barrow	36
Senior B:	R Conway	14
	R Nanni	15
	R O'Regan	37
	C Bailey	40

**Pridwin Cross Country:**

Seniors:	R Johnson	23
	V Wickins	30
	R Conway	42
	R Nanni	45
	S Barrow	52
	G Redman	54

Team Position Sixth

Juniors:	F Cupelli	9
	B Geldenhuys	14
	G Metcalf	16
	P Visser	25
	M Brand	34
	S Gallizio	36

Team Position Third

**Risidale Cross Country:**

Seniors:	M Tau	4
	R Johnson	18
	R Nanni	37
	S Barrow	72
	L Visser	73
Juniors:	F Cupelli	15
	P Visser	34
	B Geldenhuys	37

**Inter-House Cross Country**

**Under 9**

1st.	J O'Haughey	The Bishops 8 min 14,93 (New Record)
2nd.	M Kalie	Benedict
3rd.	A McLintock	College

**Under 10**

1st.	M Brand	Benedict 8 min 03,19
2nd.	G Metcalf	Benedict
3rd.	Z Gardner	Osmond

**Under 11**

1st.	P Visser	College 7 min 45,02 (New Record)
2nd.	M Ward	The Bishops
3rd.	N van den Handel	The Bishops

**Under 12**

1st.	S Barrow	Osmond 8 min 13,94
2nd.	L Azar	College
3rd.	L Visser	College

**Open**

1st.	M Tau	The Bishops 7 min 36,09 (New Record)
2nd.	V Wickins	College
3rd.	R Johnson	College

**Final House Positions:**

1st.	College
2nd.	Benedict
3rd.	The Bishops
4th.	Osmond



**CROSS COUNTRY 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* H Penberthy; D Vidas; S Barrow; L Azar; C Bailey; V Wickins; M Tau; G Redman  
*Middle Row:* R Conway; F Cupelli; P Visser; R Johnson; Mr Castle; M Sing; B Geldenhuys; L Visser; R O'Regan  
*Seated:* G Metcalf; B Nott; Z Gardner; S Gallizio; R Nanni; B Greef; M Brand; R Pin; M Ward



# Chess

## St David's Junior School Chess

There were three teams again this year who participated in league matches for the Southern Transvaal Primary Schools Chess Association.

The 'A' Team faired well, and narrowly missed a place in the finals. Our 'B' team and juniors tried hard, but with mixed results. However, all players must be commended for their enthusiasm and spirit.

Many of our juniors show great promise and we would like to see more of them attending practice on a regular basis next year.

Our grateful thanks to Mr Pearson who coaches the boys every Tuesday and Thursday. To Mrs Kirchhoffer and Mrs Walton who assisted with the teams during the Chess Match Season, our thanks. A special thank you to the Ladies Catering Committee, and in particular Mrs Elphick and Mrs Germishuys, for organising the refreshments.

To all the boys who regularly attend chess practices — keep it up — and enjoy your chess in the years to come.

S Rose



### 'A' TEAM CHESS

*Back Row (left to right): M Mayet; M Sing; A Buchanan; L Visser  
Seated: A Irorio; D Kirchhoffer; Mrs S Rose; R Pin; L Netto*





**'B' CHESS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): N Stenberg; A Sperroto; B Elphick; S Hope  
Seated: S Zuccolotto; M Elphick; Mrs R Walton; I Morgan; J O'Haughey*



**JUNIOR CHESS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): G Bowes; M Fernhead; R Wykurz; W Collett  
Seated: J Ryan; S Levick; Mrs J Kirchhoffer; D Anderson; A Kelly*





## FIRST XI CRICKET

*Back Row (left to right): V Wickens; C Bailey*  
*Middle Row: R Johnson; R Jurgen; Mr Castle; M Tau; S Barrow*  
*Seated: R Pin; R Pardini; R Conway; R Laing; D Smuts*

Once again our cricket season was a long one and the boys must be congratulated on the way that they stuck to playing cricket with enthusiasm and the dedication to practice.

Congratulations to Christopher Hodgson and Ryan Lambert and Geoffrey Tsatsane for being chosen for the Private Schools team to play in the Geoff Treadwell week. A special congratulations must go to David Steele who was chosen as Captain for the U/12 Team for the Safren week in Port Elizabeth. David was also chosen as Captain for the Sables team to play in the Geoff Treadwell week.



Mr Brandon Bronkhurst is the assistant sports co-ordinator in the primary school. He coaches soccer, athletics, cricket and swimming, and has the "Baker's" cricket team which has been very successful.

Our U/10's are also to be congratulated on an outstanding season. They were invited to play in an U/10 Festival at St Stithians and beat all the teams that they competed against. Liam Rennie was the best batsman and Zaic Gardner was the best bowler during the festival. This year House cricket matches started the year off and the Juniors was won by College and the Seniors was won by The Bishops.

Congratulations to all the boys for their behaviour and spirit throughout the season. On behalf of the boys I would like to thank the parents for their support throughout the season and the ladies' catering committee for providing the teas and refreshments.

## Third Term 1987-Results

### First XI

St David's 112 for 6 (D Steele 36, R Lambert 27)  
 Pridwin 113 for 1

St David's 103 for 9 (R Lambert 21, V Wickins 22)  
 St Martin's 76 all out (D Steele 2 for 9, C Sullivan 2 for 12)

St David's 102 for 7 (D Steele 35, R Lambert 27)  
 Ridge 103 for 2

St David's 143 all out (C Hodgson 35, R Hudson 28)  
 Father's 140 all out (Z Joffe 39, B Steele 27 not out, G Potgieter 2 for 13)

St David's 114 all out (C Hodgson 38, G Pin 28 not out)

St Peter's 115 for 6 (R Hudson 5 for 38)



## Second XI

St David's 55 all out  
Pridwin 51 for 9 (B French 2 for 4, J Ten Hoon Boer 2 for 6)

St David's 43 for 3 (B French 15)  
St Martin's 42 all out (K Wilson 3 for 8, A Farber 3 for 17)

St David's 142 all out (D Desmarais 26, J Ten Hoon Boer 26)  
Father's 83 all at 1 (Wilson 25, K Wilson 5 for 12)

St David's 71 all out  
St Peter's 132 for 8 (B Hardy 2 for 17)

## Under 11

St David's 145 for 5 (C Bailey 50 not out, G Trope 29 not out)  
Pridwin 38 for 7 (G Trope 3 for 8, C Bailey 2 for 9)

St David's 20 for 0  
St Martin's 20 all out (C Bailey 5 for 3, G Trope 2 for 0)

St David's 184 all out (G Trope 88, C Bailey 31)  
Ridge 129 for 7 (C Bailey 5 for 29)

St David's 105 all out (G Trope 25, C Bailey 20)  
St Peter's 76 for 3

## Under 10

St David's 118 for 5 (P Palmer 45 not out, M Ward 22)  
St Martin's 65 all out (P Palmer 3 for 10, S Ngwenya 2 for 5)

St David's 121 for 7 (N van den Handel 35, B Greef 21 not out, M Ward 21)  
Ridge 85 for 6 (R O'Connor 3 for 11)

St David's 170 for 5 (M von Guilleaume 68 not out, R O'Connor 39)  
St Peter's 135 all out (S Ngwenya 4 for 18, R O'Connor 4 for 31)

## Commonwealth A

St David's 77 for 7 (L Stravino 16 not out)  
Soweto 56 for 4 (R Hudson 2 for 7)

St David's 125 for 7 (C Hodgson 33, G Tsatsane 29)  
Bryneven 27 all out (R Lambert 3 for 1, R Hudson 3 for 6, D Steele 2 for 2)

St David's 182 all out (C Hodgson 73 R Lambert 40, G Tsatsane 26)  
Halfway House 139 all out (R Hudson 2 for 17, D Steele 2 for 32)

St David's 137 for 8 (V Wickins 50 not out)  
Montrose 146 for 9 (D Steele 2 for 19)



### 2nd TEAM CRICKET

*Back Row (left to right): L Azar; K McLintock  
Middle Row: G Redman; C Tarry; Mr Castle; Z Nkosi; S Barrow  
Seated: R Farber; R Laing; D Vidas; K Mogai; C Copestake*





### COMMONWEALTH 'A' CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* V Wickins; C Bailey  
*Middle Row:* R Johnson; R Jurgens; Mr Castle; M Tau; R Laing  
*Seated:* C Pin; R Pardini; R Conway; P Palmer; D Smuts



### COMMONWEALTH 'B' CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* L Azar; K McLintock  
*Middle Row:* S Barrow; C Tarry; Mr W Castle; Z Nkosi; M Wickins  
*Seated:* K Mogoai; R Farber; D Forssman; R Laing; B Geldenhuys

### Commonwealth B

St David's 121 for 7 (A Farber 44, C Bailey 28)  
 Rivonia A 63 all out (A Farber 4 for 7, J Ten Hoorn Boer 2 for 6)

St David's Washed Out  
 Eldorado Park

St David's 186 for 5 (J Moy 53 not out, K Wilson 23 not out, D Desmarais 29, C Bailey 23, G Trope 21)  
 King David Sandton A 42 all out (K Wilson 3 for 7, J Ten Hoorn Boer 4 for 11)

St David's 74 for 4 (C Bailey 21, J Ten Hoorn Boer 15 not out)

Bryneven A 119 for 6 (J Moy 2 for 14)

St David's 100 for 7 (C Bailey 28)  
 St Stithians 101 for 7 (C Bailey 3 for 19, K Wilson 2 for 10)

### Commonwealth C

St David's 105 all out (B French 28, G Ramsey 21, J McKenzie 20)

Redhill A 94 all out (B Hardy 6 for 35)

St David's 79 for 6 (B Hardy 32 not out, Z Nkosi 15)

St Stithians 79 for 8 (B Hardy 4 for 22)

St David's 150 all out (R Lambert 55, C Hodgson 26, G Tsatsane 22)

St Stithians 54 all out (C Hodgson 3 for 3, R Hudson 4 for 18)

St David's 185 for 5 (C Hodgson 83, R Lambert 21)  
 King David Sandton 73 all out (R Lambert 3 for 9, D Steele 3 for 14)

St David's Rain Stopped Play  
 Halfway House B 46 for 3

St David's 62 all out (G Ramsey 19)  
 Rivonia B Rain Stopped Play

### Ter Horst A

St David's 131 for 6 (R Pin 37 not out, R Conway 31)  
 Bryneven 61 all out (R Jurgens 4 for 22, P Palmer 3 for 1, R Pin 3 for 11)

St David's 92 for 5 (R Conway 49)  
 Montrose 72 for 8 (M Ward 4 for 14)

St David's 49 all out (R Pin 18)  
 St Stithians 165 for 8 (D Smuts 2 for 14)

St David's 118 for 7 (R Conway 42 not out, R Pin 40)  
 King David Sandton 100 all out (R Jurgens 3 for 8 (Hat-trick))

### Ter Horst B

St David's 86 for 9 (R Pardini 16, A Quail 14 not out)  
 Rivonia A 87 for 5 (L Rennie 2 for 15)

St David's 73 for 9 (S Ngwenya 16 not out, M van Guillaume 16)

King David Sandton A 74 for 5 (Z Khumalo 2 for 23, S Ngwenya 1 for 3)

St David's 93 for 5 (S Ngwenya 20)  
 Bryneven A 76 all out (A Quail 3 for 15, S Ngwenya 3 for 23)

St David's 40 for 9  
 Halfway House A 41 for 3





St David's 53 for 6 (S Ngwenya 11 not out)  
St Stithians 54 for 2

### Ter Horst C

St David's 58 for 1 (B Sullivan 22 not out, L Rennie 20 not out)

Redhill A 57 for 6 (L Rennie 3 for 3 (Z Gardner 2 for 17)

St David's 216 for 4 (L Rennie 69, S Gallizio 67 not out, B Sullivan 28)

Halfway House B 17 all out (B Sullivan 4 for 2, L Rennie 5 for 4)

St David's 119 for 4 (S Gallizio 36 not out, W McLintock 21 not out)

King David Sandton B 47 all out (L Rennie 7 for 14 (including hat-trick), B Sullivan 2 for 4)

St David's Rain Stopped Play

Rivonia B 30 for 6 (L Rennie 3 for 17, T French 2 for 1)

### First Term 1988-Results

#### First XI

St David's 36 for 8 (R Jurgers 13)

Pridwin 70 all out (C Bailey 4 for 7, G Trope 4 for 14)

St David's 37 all out (C Bailey 23)

St Peter's 38 for 1

St David's 35 all out

St Stithians 36 for 1

St David's 64 for 6 (M Ward 22)

Alexander 40 for 6 (G Trope 2 for 7)

St David's 80 all out (C Bailey 21, A Spoolder 13)

K.E.P.S. 74 for 9 (C Bailey 2 for 28)

St David's 61 for 3 (C Bailey 11 not out, R Jurgens 10 not out)

Alexander 12 all out (G Trope 5 for 2 including hat-trick, C Bailey 4 for 5)

St David's 16 for 1

Soweto Rain Stopped Play

St David's 50 for 8 (C Bailey 12)

St Martin's 91 for 7 (D Smuts 3 for 17, C Bailey 2 for 22)

#### Second XI

St David's 62 all out (Z Khumalo 11)

St Peter's 63 for 2

St David's 39 all out (R Laing 10)

St Stithians 107 for 1

St David's 28 all out

K.E.P.S. 62 all out (L Azar 4 for 9, R Pardini 3 for 8)

St David's 69 for 6 (K McLintock 13)

St Martin's 34 for 7 (R Pardini 2 for 9, G Redman 2 for 7)

#### Under 11

St David's 44 all out (M Ward 14)

Pridwin 45 for 2

St David's 104 for 3 (P Palmer 39 not out, M Ward 22)

St Peter's 105 for 4



#### COMMONWEALTH 'C' CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* T Makapan; B Halliday

*Middle Row:* G Redman; G Garofoli; Mr Castle; I Bromfield; S Barrow

*Seated:* J Koury; B Geldenhuys; D Vidas; C Ndaba; C Copestake

St David's 58 for 7 (R O'Connor 12)

St Stithians 108 all out (R O'Connor 3 for 25)

St David's 49 all out (P Palmer 21)

K.E.P.S. 50 for 5

St David's 114 for 5 (N van den Handel 41, D Forssman 38 not out)

St Martin's 10 all out (N van den Handel 4 for 1, P Palmer 3 for 6)

#### Under 10

St David's 116 for 6 (L Rennie 32 not out, B Sullivan 25)

Pridwin 32 all out (T French 4 for 1, Z Gardner 3 for 9)

St David's 109 for 5 (L Rennie 30, S Gallizio 25, B Sullivan 25)

St Peter's 27 all out (L Rennie 4 for 8, Z Gardner 3 for 5)

St David's 96 all out (Z Gardner 21, B Sullivan 16)

St Stithians 47 all out (B Sullivan 5 for 9, Z Gardner 2 for 5)

St David's 104 all out (Z Gardner 44)

K.E.P.S. 43 for 3 (G Bailey 2 for 5)

St David's 15 for 2 (L Rennie 13 not out)

St Martin's 14 all out (L Rennie 4 for 9, Z Gardner 3 for 3)

#### Under 9

St David's 40 all out (A McLintock 20)

St Stithians 83 for 6 (A McLintock 2 for 7)



### Commonwealth A

St David's 51 for 6 (R Conway 17 not out)  
Halfway House 50 all out (P Palmer 3 for 3, C Bailey 2 for 0)

St David's 85 for 7 (A Spoolder 15 not out, N van den Handel 13 not out)

Sandown 86 for 6 (C Bailey 2 for 7, R Jurgens 2 for 8)

St David's 69 for 3 (G Trope 26 not out, C Bailey 17 not out)

Bryneven 68 all out (P Palmer 4 for 5, D Smuts 2 for 8)

St David's 124 for 6 (C Bailey 66, R Pin 16)

Rivonia 78 for 9 (D Smuts 3 for 20, C Bailey 2 for 5 (Rain stopped play))

St David's 62 for 9 (C Bailey 26)

St Stithians 63 for 3

St David's 61 for 9 (R Conway 12)

Montrose 62 for 8 (D Smuts 3 for 10, R Pin 2 for 15, R Jurgens 2 for 16)

St David's 83 for 6 (A Spoolder 25, C Bailey 14)

Bryanston 84 for 8 (C Bailey 3 for 14)

### Commonwealth B

St David's 64 for 5 (M Tau 16, L Azar 12)

Montrose 63 for 9 (M Tau 2 for 1, L Azar 2 for 8, R Pardini 2 for 7)

St David's 50 all out (C Tarry 12)

King David Sandton A 51 for 4 (Z Nkosi 3 for 17)

St David's 66 all out (D Forssman 18, K McLintock 15)

Bryandale 67 for 1

St David's Rain Stopped Play

Halfway House 16 for 4

St David's 49 for 7 (R Pardini 9 not out)

Bryanston 35 all out (R Pardini 3 for 10, Z Nkosi 2 for 4)

St David's 77 all out (R Johnson 31 not out)

Rivonia 78 for 7 (L Azar 3 for 31)

### Commonwealth C

St David's 17 for 9

St Stithians 18 for 1

St David's 13 all out

Rivonia B 56 all out (G Redman 6 for 10)

St David's 78 for 9 (K Mogoai 30)

Halfway House B 31 all out (G Redman 4 for 7, C Copestake 4 for 12)

St David's 21 for 3

Wendywood B Rain Stopped Play

St David's 70 for 6 (K Mogoai 46)

Bryandale B 73 for 9 (C Copestake 5 for 17)

St David's 53 for 8 (R Farber 10)

Montrose B 41 for 9 (B Geldenhuys 4 for 10)

St David's 37 all out (K Mogoai 18)

King David Sandton A 38 for 8 (Z Khumalo 2 for 6)

### Ter Horst A

St David's 104 for 2 (M Ward 30 not out, B Sullivan 22 not out)

King David Sandton 29 for 7 (B Sullivan 3 for 3)



#### TER HORST 'A' CRICKET

*Back Row (left to right):* J Banfield; R O'Connor

*Middle Row:* A French; B Greeff; Mr Castle; M Brand; W McLintock

*Seated:* M Ward; S Ngwenya; S Gallizio; Z Gardner; B Sullivan



#### TER HORST 'B' CRICKET

*Back Row (left to right):* A Buchanan; M Wilkinson; P Visser

*Middle Row:* S Taylor; A Quail; Mr Castle; G Joseph; G Bailey

*Seated:* M von Guilleaume; I Wood; W Tannous; A Stella; R Bechard



St David's 60 for 5 (B Sullivan 29 not out)  
Sandown 31 all out (L Rennie 3 for 4, T French 2 for 2)

St David's 28 for 1 (L Rennie 16 not out)  
Bryneven 27 all out (T French 3 for 1, Z Gardner 2 for 0, L Rennie 2 for 2)

St David's 53 for 7 (T French 17 not out)  
Rivonia 21 for 8 (M Ward 3 for 4, L Rennie 2 for 4 (Rain stopped play))

St David's 55 for 4 (T French 15, M Ward 12 not out)  
St Stithians 56 for 6 (Z Gardner 2 for 10)

St David's 44 for 5 (L Rennie 10 not out)  
Montrose 43 all out (B Sullivan 2 for 3, Z Gardner 2 for 4, T French 2 for 4)

St David's 115 for 6 (S Gallizio 34, Z Gardner 19)  
Bryanston 39 all out (B Sullivan 2 for 5, Z Gardner 2 for 7)

### Ter Horst B

St David's 8 for 0  
Montrose 7 all out (M Wilkinson 5 for 1, S Ngwenya 2 for 2)

St David's 30 for 1 (R O'Connor 7 not out)  
King David Sandton 29 all out (G Joseph 2 for 0, R Bechard 2 for 0)

St David's Rain Stopped Play  
Halfway House 15 for 2

St David's 17 for 7  
Wendywood B Rain Stopped Play

St David's 36 for 6  
Bryandale 23 all out (G Joseph 3 for 2, J Banfield 2 for 0)

St David's 68 for 5 (G Bailey 16, G Joseph 15 not out)  
Rivonia 8 all out (M Wilkinson 4 for 1, R O'Connor 4 for 3)

St David's 28 for 1 (G Bailey 12 not out)  
Sandown 27 all out (A Stella 3 for 0 (hat-trick), M Wilkinson 2 for 0)

### Ter Horst C

St David's 75 all out (M Kalie 15, P Nagel 10)  
Sandown B 76 for 5 (M Kalie 3 for 17)

St David's 82 for 6 (T O'Shea 27 not out, A McLintock 24 not out)  
Rivonia B 71 for 8 (T O'Shea 3 for 2, M Kalie 2 for 10)

St David's 83 for 4 (M Kalie 31 not out, A McLintock 23)

Rivonia B 84 for 5 (M Kalie 3 for 28)

St David's 73 for 9 (G Upton 16 not out)  
Bryneven B 19 all out (M Kalie 6 for 4 (Including Hat-Trick), A McLintock 2 for 4)

St David's 58 for 7 (K Johnson 20)  
Bryandale 59 for 4 (T O'Shea 2 for 5)

St David's 63 for 7 (P Nagel 13)  
King David Sandton 29 for 8 (M Kalie 2 for 4, J O'Haughey 2 for 4)



#### UNDER 10 CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* G Bailey, Mr Castle; J Banfield  
*Middle Row:* Z Gardner; T French; M Brand; W McLintock; A Stella  
*Seated:* G Metcalf; I Wood; S Gallizio; B Sullivan; R Bechard



#### UNDER 9 CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* T O'Shea; Mr Castle; J Forssman.  
*Middle Row (left to right):* G Upton; N Martin; J O'Haughey; R Farinha.  
*Seated:* T Tau; R Harrison; P Nagel; K Johnson; M Kalie.





### TER HORST 'C' CRICKET

*Back Row (left to right):* T O'Shea; Mr W Castle; J Forssman  
*Middle Row:* J Ryan; R Farinha; G Upton; J O'Haughey; K Johnson  
*Seated:* T Tau; G Metcalf; P Nagel; R Harrison; M Kali



### UNDER 11 'A' CRICKET TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* M Wilkinson; R O'Connor  
*Middle Row:* P Palmer; M Wickins; Mr Castle; M von Guillaume;  
 A Quail  
*Seated:* M Ward; B Greef; D Forssman; G Joseph; S Ngwenya

## Junior Inter-House Quiz

Who was the first man to run a mile in under four minutes? Who is the present Mayor of the Junior Sandton Town Council? What is the floral emblem of Northern Transvaal?

How well did you do on the above questions? these were just three of the many which faced the contestants of the 11th Junior Inter-House Quiz held at the College on 3 November 1988.

As usual it was an exciting contest with the lead changing several times and as the end approached the ten-



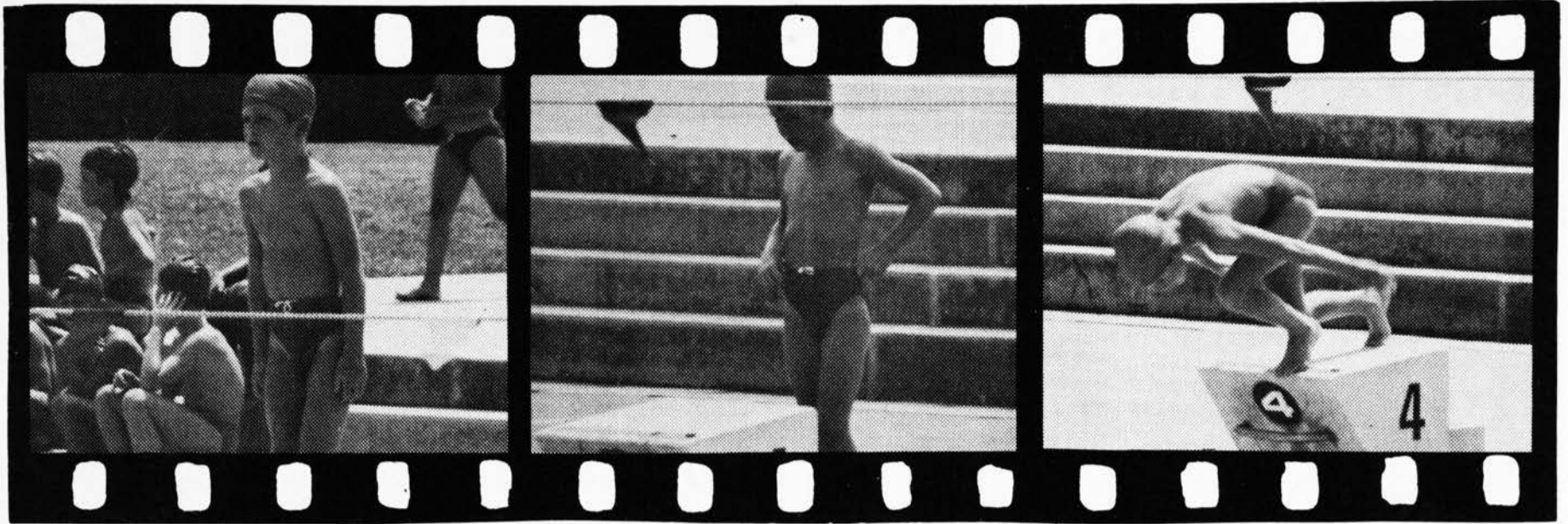
sion in the auditorium reached fever pitch. Egged on by their supporters in the audience College repeated their feat of last year beating Benedict into second place with Osmond third and The Bishops a close fourth.

Congratulations to all the boys who took part with such great enthusiasm and a fine spirit of competitiveness. My thanks to all parents and boys who attended and helped to make the evening a success and also to the mothers for providing the refreshments.

Mrs G Anderson



# Swimming



## The Lower Primary Inter-House Swimming Gala

On Saturday February 20, the Annual Mini Gala was held. The boys must be congratulated on their behaviour and high standard of swimming. The boys must be congratulated on their regular attendances at practices and this has shown in our results.

The following boys were responsible for breaking records:

### Freestyle

U/6A 25m J Bennett 26,86

The following boys were awarded trophies:

### Age Group

U/6	Old Boys Association	J Bennett	Tie
U/7	D Mandy Trophy	R Tait	
U/8	Wilson Trophy	C McLintock	
U/9	J Stoden Trophy	N Martin	

### Butterfly

U/6	Geldenhuis Trophy	J Bennett
U/7	Bobby McLintock Trophy	R Tait
U/8	Bailey Trophy	C McLintock
U/9	Weissensee Trophy	N Martin

### Backstroke

U/6	Martin Trophy	J Bennett
U/7	Terry McLintock Trophy	I Manning
U/8	William Castle Trophy	C McLintock
U/9	Gavin Behr Trophy	N Martin

### Breaststroke

U/6	Foden Trophy	J Bennett
U/7	O'Shea Trophy	R Tait
U/8	Fahim Bulbulia Trophy	C McLintock
U/9	Gavin Behr Trophy	A McLintock

### Freestyle

U/6	Andrew Castle Trophy	J Bennett	
U/7	James Simpson Trophy	I Manning	
U/8	Mark Nunnerley Trophy	C McLintock	
U/9	Anthony Lewis-Enright Memorial Trophy	N Martin	Tie
		A McLintock	

### 4 × 25m Freestyle Relay

U/7	William Castle Trophy	The Bishops
U/8	William Castle Trophy	Osmond
U/9	Ross Trophy	Osmond

## The Final House Positions were:

1st	Osmond	178½
2nd	The Bishops	176
3rd	College	148½
4th	Benedict	94

## The Senior Primary Inter-House Swimming Gala

After a very exciting and closely contested Lower Primary Gala in the morning, we were spectators to some very good swimming. The boys swam very well all season and were undefeated. Once again these swimming teams were entered in the regular Friday galas and the boys really excelled themselves in all the teams. Thanks must go to the ladies' catering committee for all their efforts throughout the swimming season.

The following boys were responsible for breaking records:

### Backstrokes

U/12A 50m G Trope 38,73

### Freestyle Relay

U/10A 4 × 25m College 70,09

The following boys were awarded trophies:

### Age Group

U/10	J Stodel Trophy	C Bailey
U/11	Richardson Trophy	M Wilkinson
U/12	F Gerard Trophy	G Trope
Open	P Moni Trophy	V Wilkins

### Best Swimmer

Junior Ritchie Trophy G Trope

### Butterfly

U/10	Weissensee Trophy	W McLintock
U/11	Fletcher Trophy	C Bechus
U/12	Perlman Trophy	G Trope
Open	Old Boys Trophy	G Garofoli

### Backstroke

U/10	Maraschin Trophy	S Gallizio
U/11	Allen Trophy	M Wilkinson
U/12	Brother Philip Trophy	G Trope
Open	George Power Trophy	V Wilkins



## Breaststroke

U/10	Hartman Trophy	A French
U/11	Frank Rebel Trophy	M Wilkinson
U/12	Perlman Trophy	M Valente
Open	Neil Trophy	V Wilkins

## Freestyle

U/10	E Rothbauer Trophy	G Bailey
U/11	Maraschin Trophy	M Wilkinson
U/12	Mitchell Morrison Trophy	C Bailey
Open	Caister Trophy	V Wickins

## 4 × 25m Freestyle Relay

U/10	B McNaughton Trophy	College
U/11	Lorna Dick Trophy	The Bishops
U/12	Costa John Trophy	The Bishops
Open	Brother Ezechiel Trophy	College
	The Rosenweig Trophy	C McLintock
Inter-House	Hutton Trophy	The Bishops

## Final House positions:

1st	The Bishops	405
2nd	College	351
3rd	Osmond	261½
4th	Benedict	190½

## Inter School Galas

Once again we entered 3 teams in the league and they all performed exceptionally well. Our A team won the A league and our C team won the C5 league. Congratulations must go to N Martin and G Trope for being selected to swim for Transvaal.

## A Team Results

5.2.1988		12.2.1988	
St David's/St Theresa's	66	St David's/St Theresa's	90
Bryanston	56½	Rivonia	84
Craighall	50½	Bryanston	64
Ridge	42	Bryandale	64
		Ridge	49
		H A Jack	43

19.2.1988		4.3.88 – Regional Gala	
St David's/St Theresa's	74½	St David's/St Theresa's	219½
St Stithians	69½	Rivonia	208½
Ridge	42	St Stithians/St Mary's	191½
Constantia Kloof	33	Northcliff	190
		Craighall Park	170½
		Bryandale	151
		H A Jack	149½
		Bryanston	147
		Ridge/Auckland Park	138
		Constantia Kloof	83½

18.3.1988	
St David's/St Theresa's	71½
Sandown	59
Northcliff	51½
Ridge	38

## B Team Results

5.2.1988		12.2.1988	
St David's/St Theresa's	46	St David's/St Theresa's	46
Parkhurst	43	King David	38
FD Roosevelt	25	Saxonwold	32

19.2.1988		4.3.88 – Regional Gala	
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Greenside	40	St David's/St Theresa's	112
Wendywood	38	J.G.P.S.	93
St David's/St Theresa's	35	Albertview	89
		Parkhurst	88
		Kenton	66

## C Team Results

5.2.1988		12.2.1988	
St David's/St Theresa's	40	St David's/St Theresa's	41
Glenhazel	36	Rembrandt Park	40
H A Jack	34	Mondeor	31

19.2.1988		18.3.88	
K.E.P.S.	66	Meredale	40½
Highveld	55	St David's/St Theresa's	38
Colin Mann	35	Roedean	35½
St David's/St Theresa's	34		

The swimming at St David's has reached a very high standard and this can be seen by the teams results. It must be remembered that our B and C teams are swimming against A teams from the other schools. The results of all the league's are as follows:

## A League

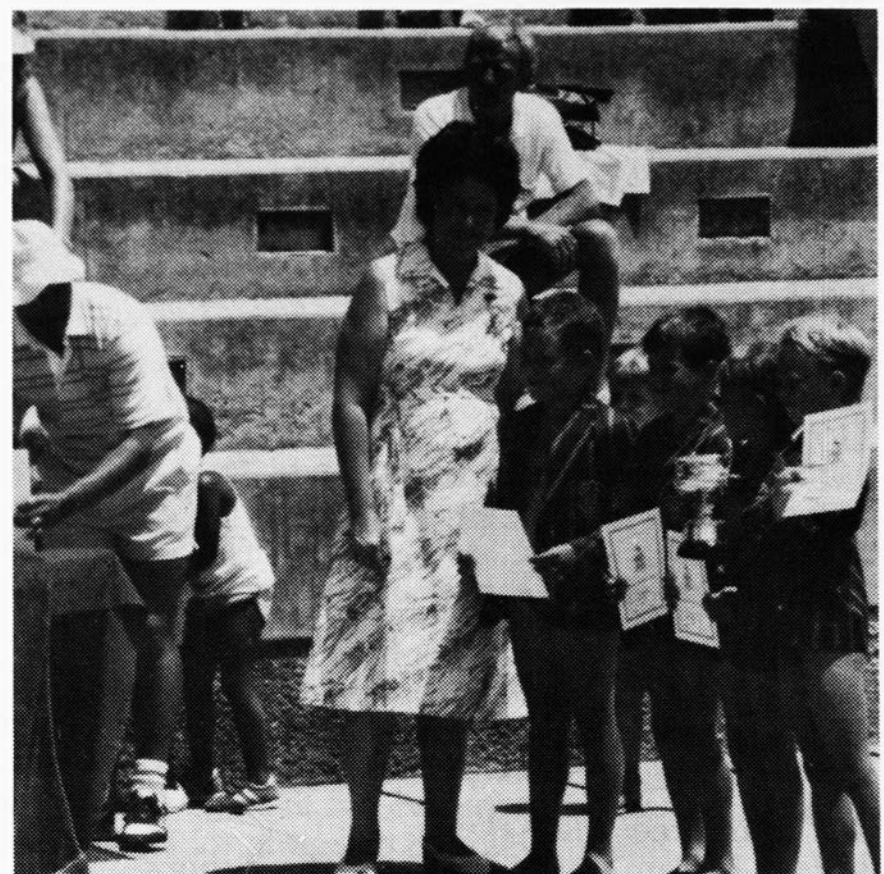
1. St David's /St Theresa's
2. Rivonia
3. Northcliff
4. St Stithian's/St Mary's

## C4 League

1. Wendywood
2. St David's/St Theresa's – Rosebank
3. Saxonwold – Greenside
4. Parkhurst

## C5 League

1. St David's/St Theresa's – Glenhazel
2. Meredale
3. Highveld
4. Rembrandt Park



Prize giving at the annual school gala





**'A' SWIMMING TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* C Bailey; M Wilkinson; M Stoner; G Garofoli; M Valente; V Wickins; K McLintock  
*Middle Row:* G Bailey; C Bechus; A Sperotto; B Carlisle; Mr W Castle; D Vidas; R Johnson; P Visser; J Wickins  
*Seated:* J Geldmacher; C McLintock; P Nagel; T French; S Gallizio; T O'Shea; W McLintock; N Martin; G Geldenhuys



**'B' TEAM SWIMMING**

*Back Row (left to right):* S Barrow; S Giuricich; Mr J Egan; I Bromfield; G Redman  
*Middle Row:* J Banfield; B Geldenhuys; R Wykurz; L Visser; D Forssman  
*Seated:* B Dama; K Johnson; M Elphick; C Emmanuel; M Witten; R Farinha; R Bechard





**'C' TEAM SWIMMING**

*Back Row (left to right):* N Geils; K Morais; T Makapan; P Altini; C Tarry; M Morrison; M Wickins  
*Middle Row:* G Upton; M Fernhead; B Greeff; C Copestake; Mrs P Carlisle; A Brammer; F Cupeli; B Nott; I Iorio  
*Seated:* A Witten; L Ceresa; R Harrison; A Callegari; J Wood; G Metcalf; N Martin



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION BOYS**

*Back Row (left to right):* O Mduli; R Morgan; A Iorio; M Fernhead; Miss A Jenks; M Muller; J Tarry; R Farinha; S Zuccolotto  
*Middle Row:* C Cavedoni; D Letcher; B Poultney; G Magni; M Kali; W Collett; A Kelly; B Copestake; J Geldmacher  
*Seated:* A Witten; J Desita; R Whitaker; C Chandler; S Tannous; E Jackson; A Muller; J Sternberg; F Policarpo



# Tennis





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## Junior School Tennis

Wimbledon, Flushing Meadows and the tennis courts at St David's all have something in common namely a growing interest and enthusiasm in the game and above all excellent tennis and sportmanship. The keen interest that our coach Peter Parkinson has shown in the game encourage the boys in their endeavours. My thanks to Peter for all his help.

As usual three teams were entered in the Primary Schools League and one team in the U/10 Alswang League and the results detailed below speak for themselves.

The A Team had an excellent year and playing consistently good tennis, won all their seven matches and therefore their section of the League. Congratulations boys!

The B Team also played seven matches winning five and narrowly losing two with scores of 31-32 and 34-29. Another good achievement. Well done.

The C Team which is really a feeder for future years A and B teams fared exceptionally well this year winning five of their seven matches. This result bodes well for our tennis future at St David's. Well done boys.



**'A' TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): V Wickins; Mrs G Anderson; A Bevolo  
Seated: D Smuts; R Conway; R Pardini; D Forssman*



**'B' TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): R Jurgens; Mrs G Anderson; C Bailey  
Seated: W McLintock; S Barrow; C Tarry; R Farber*

Once again St David's was represented in the Southern Transvaal Primary School Team, this time not only by Alan Bevolo, who retained his place in the team in the face of stiff opposition, but also by Rupert Conway who in the face of the same opposition gained his colours. Congratulations to both boys on their great achievement.

Not to be outdone by their seniors our Under 10 team, like the A team won all their three matches and thus won their section also gaining valuable experience in the process. Well done and congratulations to all concerned.

Once again a combined Junior and Senior School Inter-House Competition was held. Some good tennis was seen by the parents who attended this annual event and although from the scores it would appear that Osmond, in retaining the trophy they won last year, had an easy day nothing could be further from the truth as every point was hard fought.

## Inter-House Results

First:	Osmond	27 games
Second:	College	22 games
Third:	The Bishops	20 games
Fourth:	Benedict	15 games

The 1988 School Championships were held on Sunday 4 September and as at the Inter-House Competition the standard of tennis was again excellent with some nail biting finishes for both parents and players as can be seen from the results.





**UNDER 10 TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): Mrs G Anderson  
Seated: I Wood; G Bailey; T French; P Nagel*



**'C' TENNIS TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): M Sign; Mrs G Anderson; L Azar  
Seated: M Ward; S Gallizio; J Wickins; R Nanni; M Brand*

**Junior Tennis Championship Results**

**Open Singles:**

Alan Bevolo Winner 6-0; 6-1.  
Vaughan Wickens Runner up.

**Open Doubles:**

Alan Bevolo and Vaughan Wickins Winners.  
Grant Redman and Mark Sing Runners up.  
6-1; 6-1.

**U/12 Singles:**

Rupert Conway Winner 6-1; 6-4.  
Robert Pardini Runner up.

**U/12 Doubles:**

Rupert Conway and Duncan Smuts Winners.  
Richard Faber and Craig Bailey Runners up.  
6-1; 2-6; 6-0.

**U/11 Singles:**

Jeremy Wickins Winner 6-4; 6-3.  
Dale Forssman Runner up.

**U/11 Doubles:**

Jeremy Wickins and Brendan Greeff Winners.  
Dale Forssman and Paul Visser Runners up.  
6-1; 6-0.

**U/10 Singles:**

Martin Brand Winner 6-3.  
Warren McLintock Runner up.

**U/10 Doubles:**

Alister and Warren McLintock Winners.  
Phillip Nagel and Anthony French Runners up. 6-5.

I would like to thank Mrs W Schaafsma, Mrs P Carlisle, Mrs I Sumner, Mrs A Merryweather and Mrs S Rose for helping with the teams. My thanks also to Mrs Bevolo and Enoch for the delicious teas they provided. My thanks also to Mrs Germishuys who helped with the Sunday teas.

Mrs G Anderson



**SOUTHERN TRANSVAAL TENNIS REPRESENTATIVES**

*Back Row (left to right): R Conway; Mrs G Anderson; A Bevolo*



**JUNIOR SCHOOL PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATIVES**

*Back Row (left to right): N Martin (Swimming); A Bevolo (Tennis);  
C Bailey (Cricket); M Tau (Soccer); R Conway (Tennis) (Soccer)*



# Football

St David's Primary School football was at its best during the 1989 season. Even though we have dropped in the number of teams entered in the various leagues our results have not suffered. The highlight of the season was the U/9's playing in the S.T.S.F.A. Cup Final at the Milner Park Stadium. They shared the trophy with Rembrandt Park after narrowly missing many scoring opportunities and two periods of extra time. Michael Tau and Rupert Conway must be congratulated on being chosen to play for Southern Transvaal and the Southern Transvaal Johannesburg Team respectively.

This year all the strong football playing schools were placed in the same league on a Wednesday and our boys must be congratulated on the way that they played and their behaviour on and off the field.

On Saturdays our U/9's to Opens played in the Private Schools league and this proved to be a great success especially from a football and transportation point of view.

This year we were invited to the annual soccer day at Crewe Primary in East London. The boys played very well and all the teams had a very enjoyable week-end. On behalf of the boys we would like to thank Father Brewer for accompanying us on this tour and for all the help and encouragement that he gave the boys.

## Results of Matches in East London:

U/9	vs Butterworth	W8-1
	vs Kabega	W8-0
	vs Selborne	W3-0
	vs Crewe	W3-0
U/11	vs Kabega	D2-2
	vs Selborne	D2-2
	vs Crewe	L2-0

1st	vs Selborne	W1-0
	vs Clarendon	W5-0
	vs Crewe	W2-0

The 1st team must be congratulated for winning the trophy for playing the most attractive football at the Soccer Day in East London.

Finally congratulations to Mr W Castle who was chosen as the coach for the Southern Transvaal Schools Football Team for the Inter-Provincial Tournament that was held in Boksburg. The Southern Transvaal Team played all 13 games in the Tournament without conceding a single goal.

Many thanks to the parents for transporting their sons to and from games particularly the U/7's and U/8's on Saturday's. Also a big thank you to the Ladies Catering Committee who always supplied such delicious refreshments.

## Results of Matches Played in the S.T.S.F.A. Knock-Out:

U/9A	vs Bryandale	W1-0
	vs Meerdale	W2-0
	vs Bedfordview	W2-0 (Quarter-Finals)
	vs Rewlatch	W2-1 (Semi-Finals)
	vs Rembrandt Park	D0-0 (Finals)
U/10A	vs St Benedicts	W3-0
	vs Meerdale	W5-1
	vs St. Stithians	L2-1 (Quarter-Finals)
U/11A	vs St Benedicts	D1-1
	vs St Benedicts	W2-1 (Replay)
	vs Meerdale	W2-1
	vs Bedfordview	L4-3 (Quarter-Finals)
U/12A	vs Benedicts	W2-0
	vs Meerdale	L3-0
Open A	vs Bryandale	L2-1



## PROVINCIAL REPRESENTATIVES

R Conway (Johannesburg Soccer Side); Mr W Castle (Southern Tvl Soccer Coach); M Tau (S Tvl Soccer Team)





**1st XI SOCCER**

*Back Row (left to right): V Wickins; Mr Castle; T Makapan  
 Middle Row: M Tau; R Jurgens; D Vidas; C Tarry; G Redman  
 Seated: R Johnson; R Conway; S Barrow; C Bailey; K Mogoai*

**Results of Matches Played in the Southern Transvaal League**

	9A	9B	10A	10B	11A	11B	12A	12B	Open A	Open B
Rembrandt Park	1-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	2-0 (w)	6-1 (w)	2-2 (d)	4-2 (w)	6-0 (w)	4-2 (l)	7-1 (l)
Norwood	3-1 (w)	0-0 (d)	3-0 (w)	7-0 (w)	4-2 (w)	10-0 (w)	3-2 (w)	7-1 (w)	4-0 (w)	1-1 (d)
K. D. Linksfield	2-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	1-0 (l)	4-0 (l)	1-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	3-1 (w)	0-0 (d)	3-3 (d)	4-1 (l)
K.E.P.S.	3-2 (w)	1-0 (w)	1-1 (d)	2-1 (l)	3-1 (w)	1-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	2-1 (l)	3-1 (w)	3-0 (l)
Glenhazel	4-0 (w)	0-0 (d)	2-1 (w)	7-0 (w)	3-1 (w)	2-0 (w)	2-1 (l)	1-1 (d)	2-1 (w)	0-0 (d)
Fairways	6-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	3-0 (w)	7-0 (w)	5-0 (w)	4-2 (w)	3-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	5-0 (l)
Bedfordview	5-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	3-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	6-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	1-0 (l)	5-0 (w)	3-2 (l)	1-0 (l)
K.D. Linksfield	3-0 (w)	13-0 (w)	2-2 (d)	—	6-4 (l)	3-1 (w)	1-0 (w)	4-2 (w)	5-2 (w)	1-0 (l)

**Results of Matches Played in Private School League**

	9A	9B	10A	10B	11A	11B	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
St Peter's	6-0 (w)	3-0 (w)	5-0 (w)	0-0 (d)	1-1 (d)	0-0 (d)	3-1 (l)	4-0 (l)	6-1 (l)	1-1 (d)	3-0 (l)
Pridwin	4-0 (w)	8-0 (w)	2-0 (w)	3-0 (w)	3-1 (l)	9-0 (w)	4-0 (w)	3-1 (w)	4-1 (l)	1-0 (w)	—
St Stithians	2-0 (w)	1-0 (l)	2-0 (l)	2-1 (l)	3-2 (l)	2-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	3-0 (l)	3-2 (w)	3-0 (l)	8-1 (l)
Parkview	4-0 (w)	—	4-0 (w)	—	3-0 (l)	—	3-3 (d)	2-1 (w)	5-1 (w)	—	—
Ridge	9-0 (w)	3-0 (w)	1-0 (w)	5-0 (w)	5-0 (w)	2-0 (w)	3-1 (l)	1-0 (w)	2-1 (w)	1-1 (d)	—
St John's	2-2 (d)	3-0 (w)	2-2 (w)	2-1 (w)	2-0 (l)	0-0 (d)	2-1 (w)	0-0 (d)	4-0 (l)	10-0 (l)	—
St Dunstan's	—	—	—	—	—	1-0 (d)	—	2-1 (l)	—	—	—





**2nd XI SOCCER TEAM**

Back Row (left to right): M Stoner; A Ngwira  
 Middle Row: C Copestake; Z Nkosi; Mr Castle; L Azar; R Pardini  
 Seated: R Pin; M Morrison; I Bromfield; K Morais; R Laing







**4th TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* B Carlisle; Mr Egan; A Sperotto  
*Middle Row:* K Morais; H Penberthy; R Farber; M Delaney;  
 A Buchanan; W Hochreiter  
*Seated:* R Jassat; L Manitambo; B Ballantine; L Lerato; B Vundla



**3rd TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* M Valente; Mr Egan; G Garofoli  
*Middle Row:* S Sanders; C Ndaba; S Giuricich; W McLintock;  
 H Penberthy; K Moilia  
*Seated:* L Visser; D Smuts; R Nanni; B Halliday; R O'Regan;  
 P Busschau; M Sing



**5th TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* C Gertz; Mr Egan; A Bompani  
*Middle Row:* J Koury; A Brammer; A Crane; L Visser  
*Seated:* S Kutronov; L Massey; M Smuthwaite; N Sternberg; D Talbot



**6th TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* P Altini; Mr Egan; C Gertz  
*Middle Row:* A Crane; N Geils; A Sperotto; C Bechus  
*Seated:* M Leher; A Mgulwa; F Cupelli





**OPEN 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* M Stoner; Mr Egan; T Makapan  
*Middle Row:* P Wilson; Z Nkosi; A Ngwira; V Wickens; M Sing  
*Seated:* R Johnson; G Redman; I Bromfield; M Tau; K Morais



**OPEN 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* G Garofoli; Mr Egan; M Delaney  
*Middle Row:* K Moilola; A Buchanan; A Bevelo; B Carlisle;  
 H Penberthy; N Geils  
*Seated:* P Busschau; S Sanders; B Ballantine; L Visser; W Hochreiter

### Results of Matches Played in the Southern Transvaal Catholic League

7A	7B	7C	8A	8B	8C	8D
St Catherine's 1-0 (w)	De La Salle 3-0 (w)	St Benedict's 4-1 (l)	St Catherine's 4-1 (w)	De La Salle 1-0 (l)	Assumption 6-0 (l)	De La Salle 2-0 (l)
St Catherine's 2-0 (w)	Holy Rosary 1-0 (w)	St Catherine's 1-1 (d)	St Catherine's 2-2 (d)	St Paul's 1-0 (w)	Assumption 0-0 (d)	St Ursula's 3-0 (l)
St Ursula's 3-0 (w)	Assumption 1-0 (w)	Holy Rosary 7-0 (w)	St Paul's 3-0 (w)	De La Salle 0-0 (d)	St Ursula's 2-2 (d)	Assumption 7-0 (l)
St Benedict's 4-0 (w)	De La Salle 1-0 (w)	St Catherine's 2-0 (l)	St Catherine's 1-1 (d)	St Paul's 4-0 (l)	Holy Rosary 3-0 (l)	De La Salle 2-0 (l)
St Ursula's 4-0 (w)	Sacred Heart 1-0 (l)	St Catherine's 5-2 (w)	St Paul's 6-0 (w)	St Catherine's 7-0 (l)	St Ursula's 3-0 (l)	St Ursula's 1-0 (l)
—	Holy Rosary 3-1 (l)	De La Salle 4-0 (w)	—	—	—	Assumption 7-0 (l)
—	Assumption 4-0 (l)	Holy Rosary 2-2 (d)	—	—	—	—
—	—	St Benedict's 4-0 (w)	—	—	—	—





**UNDER 12 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* L Azar; R Jurgens  
*Middle Row:* K Mogoai; D Vidas; Mr W Castle; C Tarry; M Morrison  
*Seated:* R Pin; R Conway; S Barrow; C Bailey; R Nanni



**UNDER 12 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* M Valente; Mr Egan; W McLintock  
*Middle Row:* R Pardini; H Penberthy; S Giuricich; C Ndaba; R Farber  
*Seated:* Q Smuts; C Copestake; B Halliday; R Laing; R O'Regan



**UNDER 11 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* M Wilkinson; Mr W Castle; R O'Connor  
*Middle Row:* S Ngwenya; P Palmer; P Visser; G Joseph;  
 L Motsoeneng  
*Seated:* M Ward; N Mogale; P Egan; M Witten; W Tannous



**UNDER 11 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* A Sperotto; M Wickins  
*Middle Row:* J Wickins; V Mabona; Mr J Egan; M von Guillaume;  
 A Quail  
*Seated:* J Winderly; S Taylor; D Forssman; L Motsoeneng; B Greeff





**UNDER 11 'C' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* A Buchanan; Mr Egan; A Sperotto  
*Middle Row:* T Selahle; F Cupelli; C Bechus  
*Seated:* R Jassat; L Mankhambo; M Smurthwaite; B Vundla;  
 B Marsay



**UNDER 10 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* G Bailey; Mr Castle; J Banfield  
*Middle Row:* W McLintock; T French; B Nott; C Ndaba; M Brand  
*Seated:* B Sullivan; Z Gardner; A Stella; S Gallizio; A Callegari



**UNDER 10 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* S Goldhawk; R Wykurz  
*Middle Row:* R Bechard; K Denalane; T Maponyane; Mr J Egan;  
 D Busschau; D Pierson; R Pinto  
*Seated:* R Loonat; R Sarlie; G Lamont; I Wood; G Metcalf



**UNDER 9 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right):* J O'Haughey; Mr Castle; J Tarry  
*Middle Row:* M Kali; R Farinha; G Upton; P Nagel; K Johnson  
*Seated:* B Dama; T O'Shea; J Forssman; T Tau; S Tannous





**UNDER 9 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): A Iorio; Mr Castle; N Martin  
Middle Row: B Copestake; J Ryan; D Anderson; L Mabitsela  
Seated: L Radebe; O Mdluli; A Kelly; W Collett; S Tannous*



**UNDER 9 'C' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): M Femhead; Mr Castle; R Nana  
Middle Row: L Goba; T Fokane; T Pheea; R Morgan  
Seated: J Deseta; R Harrison; K Gore; D Letcher; R Whitaker*



**UNDER 9 'D' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): M Kirchner; Mr Castle; D Durrant  
Middle Row: C Chandler; R Mathibela; E Jackson; C Cavedoni  
Seated: R Abvajee; S Sirole; G Banfield; M Muller; D Davern*



**UNDER 8 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): P Owens; B Sono  
Middle Row: V van der Merwe; L Ceresa; Mr W Castle; C McLintock;  
M Jones  
Seated: W Diedricks; G Geldenhuys; L Fiasconaro; D O'Haughey;  
A Witten*





**UNDER 8 'B' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): S Contariso; Mr W Castle; A Foden  
 Middle Row: T Twala; N Mbhele; J Geldmacher; L Guareschi  
 Seated: J Farrel; D Ellis; M Nagel; M Harrod; G Simaan*



**UNDER 8 'C' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): F Lenkoe; Mr W Castle; S Zucculotto  
 Middle Row: B Poltney; T Mofekeng; J Geldmacher  
 Seated: C Verhoog; T Maletti; P Shaw; F Policarpo*



**UNDER 8 'D' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): B Dorrestein; S Levick  
 Middle Row: T Moraka; L Moiloa; Mr Castle; R Warther; R Arico  
 Seated: D Wright; P Beazley; A Muller; J Sternberg; M Murray*



**UNDER 7 'A' TEAM**

*Back Row (left to right): R Tait; Mr W Castle; C Buchannan  
 Middle Row: C Slattery; M Earl; I Manning; N Campourogrou,  
 B O'Shea  
 Seated: Z Laher; P Callegari; I Busschau; N Risi; L Mvubu*





### UNDER 7 'B' TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* L Marthinusen; Mr W Castle; J-P Tarry

*Middle Row:* S Mabona; R Tait; N Risi; G Nofal

*Seated:* S Cavedoni; T Hermanus; R Schönveld; L Chandler; M Cannata



### UNDER 7 'C' TEAM

*Back Row (left to right):* L Marthinusen; N Warther

*Middle Row:* J Smurthwaite; M Bourne; Mr W Castle; N Lebuso;  
L Mogatusi

*Seated:* R Pryor; F Piccioni; R Schönveld; M Cupelli; B Strever

## PTA Chairman's Report

In the current year we have continued with our main objectives of improving communication between the Parent Body and the College and fostering among the parents a willingness to help. We have been successful in some respects, but in some others we could have achieved more. Our Annual General Meeting in February 1988 was well attended and parents received various reports on the 1987 activities. One of the significant features of the meeting was that for the first time in a number of years there were many more candidates for election to the PTA committee than there were vacancies available. This indicates a resurgence of interest among parents in the activities of Association; we would like this trend to be maintained.

There were a number of functions and events during the year. In holding these our main aim was to bring the parents and children into the greater Marist Family in an effort to improve the spirit which exists among us. The boys took part in the annual Swim-along in February and the Spelling competition at the end of 1987. Both these events were highly successful and the funds raised were a welcome contribution to our coffers. At the start of the second term there was an enjoyable, but noisy, bingo evening. On the evening following the Matric Dance in the school hall, another dance was held for parents, at the initiative of the current matric parents. Our Family Sports Day, which is a very light-hearted and fun-filled occasion, took place in late August. The major fund-raising evening for 1988 — a charity Box 'n Dine will be held at the end of October. The proceeds, which we hope will be considerable, are to be used to further develop the College and its facilities.

Our expenditure reflects the wide variety of demands on the limited PTA funds. Two major costs were re-painting and sealing the roofs throughout the College and the start of our programme to replace desks and chairs in all classrooms; this latter project is ongoing, a PTA commitment which is likely to extend over the next three years. In addition, funds were provided for various sports, the library, classrooms and video equipment and chairs for the school hall. Refurnishment of the public areas of the Cricket Pavilion was completed — the final result, a vastly improved asset of the College, demonstrates the efforts of the group of parents who undertook to raise the finance and carry out or supervise the repairs.

This year has seen a number of changes in the teaching body, including the resignation of the headmaster and, shortly, the retirement of our vice-principal. Our best wishes go with to those who contributed so much to the College and at the same time we welcome our new headmaster, his deputy, and replacement teachers. Change is always unsettling. Hopefully the uncertainty and apprehension that existed among parents is now dispelled and that we all take this opportunity to consolidate the strengths we have for the benefit of the College.

May we express our most sincere thanks to the many parents who contributed to the achievement of our objectives. Without their assistance and willingness the activities of the PTA would come to a sudden halt. We include the various ladies committees, tuck and swop shop ladies, class representatives and all those parents who helped at our functions during the year. We must not forget the excellent assistance given by the teachers; the involvement of many of them was beyond the call of duty.

John Kelly — Chairman



## OBITUARY

On the 20th June, after Requiem Mass celebrated by Bishop Ormond and Bishop Mvemve and a number of the clergy of the diocese Msgr. Albert Pierre Plesters was buried in Westpark cemetery in the priests' plot.

Msgr. Plesters was born to Arnold Joseph and Anna Catharina Plesters (née Hermans) in Brussels, Belgium on the 30th May 1911.



Msgr Plesters

After his primary and secondary schooling he proceeded to Gent where he completed his Teacher's Diploma and followed this with a degree B.Rd. at Louvain University.

He then responded to a call to try his vocation and came to South Africa and began his studies for the priesthood at Aliwal North, in the Seminary of the Sacred Heart in 1935.

On the 3rd of December 1939 he was ordained a diocesan priest of Johannesburg in the Pro-Cathedral by Bishop David O'Leary O.M.I.

He subsequently served in Luipaardsvlei and the African Townships of Roodepoort from 1940 to 1947. From there he went as Principal and Headmaster to St Eugene's College at Leeuwpan.

In 1960 he was appointed to the parish of Primrose and served there until 1962. The following year he returned to Brussels, to the Lumen Vitae Institute to do

a Diploma in Catechetics. On his return he was appointed to the S.A.C.B.C. as Secretary for Liturgy and Catechetics, and he continued in that post until 1968.

From then until 1973 he served as pastor of Braamfontein parish and from 1973 until 1984 he served as resident chaplain to the Brothers and pupils of St David's College, Inanda.

On the 28th May 1984 he was made a Prelate of Honour of Pope John Paul II at the request of the late Archbishop Joseph Patrick Fitzgerald O.M.I. as token of esteem and gratitude for his years of service to the diocese and the church. He retired that same year.

At the beginning of 1988 his health deteriorated and after a short stay in hospital he went to Nazareth House where he died on the 15th June. May he rest in peace.

## Swop Shop

The Swop Shop has had a very successful year. Parents receive 75% of the price of goods sold, the remaining 25% being donated to P.T.A. funds. Our success is of course, due to eighteen mothers who work in the Swop Shop and co-operation of parents.

To Sandra Bevolo, who keeps Swop's books and money matters in excellent order and to all the other helpers in Swop Shop, a big thank you.

On behalf of all of us, I would like to thank Pru Johnson, Gail McKeown (Secretaries) and Mary Ryan (Matron) for their help on numerous occasions.

Marisa Rothbauer – Convenor

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## Obituary

The Headmaster, Staff and Pupils offer their sympathy and prayers to the families and friends of those who have died since the publication of the 1987 St David's College Review. May they rest in peace.

Mrs George Finlayson Died January 1988.  
Father of Mr Cedric Finlayson,  
Sports Co-ordinator at the College.

Mrs Julie Schlimmer (Brien) Died December 1987.  
Wife of Old Boy, James and  
sister of Old Boy, Graeme.

Mrs Irene Smith Died 14 January 1988.  
Grandmother of Paul Grade I  
and wife of Cyprien ex Board  
of Governors.

Mrs Farisani Died January 1988.  
Grandmother of Raymond Std  
6 and Lufuno Grade I.

Mrs M Arazym Grandmother of Brendan Std  
10.

Mr J J Rennie Grandfather of Patrick and  
Liam.

Mrs V Munro-Perry Died 7.2.1988.  
Grandmother of Miss Ann  
Glyn-Thomas, Senior Biology  
Teacher at the College.

Mrs Erica Scheoder Died March 1988.  
Grandmother of Jason Std 7  
and Nicholas Seils Std 5.

Mr Kirsten Died March 1988.  
Grandfather of Gareth Trope  
Std 4.

Mrs Martha Kelly Died April 1988.  
Grandmother of Tony Halliday  
Std 9.

Mr Michael Pearce Died May 1988.  
Uncle of Alfred Chemaly  
Grade I.

Mrs Mabel Harding Died May 1988.  
Mother of Old Boys Roger and  
Nigel.

Mrs Alicia Maguire Died 18.6.1988 aged 90.  
Grandmother of Mrs D Hurley  
Standard Two teacher at the  
College.

Mr Charles Hanekom Died July 1988 aged 21.  
Brother of Mrs B Szewczuk,  
teacher at the College.

Miss Amelia von Zyl Died 18 July 1988.  
Girlfriend of Charles Hane-  
kom.

Mr Drummond Bell Died July 1988.  
Music teacher at St David's  
1950's.

Brother Benedict Died 9 July 1988.  
Principal St David's 1954-  
1957.

Mr Norman Nader Died August 1988.  
Grandfather of Norman Std 9  
and Grant Std 7.

Mr van Tonder Died August 1988.  
Grandfather of Mrs S Castle.

Mr Arthu O'Connor Died August 1988.  
Grandfather of Rory Std 3.

Mr P H Theron Died November 1987.  
Grandfather of David Bietrix  
Std 9.

Mr T Sales Died November 1987.  
Father of Craig Std 8.

Mr Gideon Tsatsane Died August 1988.  
Grandfather of Geoffrey Std 6.

Nazah Gey Von Pittius Died September 1988.  
Grandmother of Miss Heather  
Joseph, Art Teacher at the  
College and Great-Grand-  
mother of Alfred Chemaly  
Grade I.

Mr I MacPherson Grandfather of Nicholas and  
Anton Pruium Old Boys of the  
College

Mrs. I. Fryer Mother of Mrs J Down  
Teacher at the College



# Autographs







