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Headmaster's Report 1997



The Headmaster, Dr. B J Webber

It is most appropriate that the retiring Deputy Headmaster, Mr Milton Haseloff, be our Guest Speaker on the final celebratory night of the year, Speech Night. For the past 30 years, since 1968 when appointed as a teacher of English, Mr Haseloff has been serving the interests of the young men of Prince Alfred College, 22 of them as Deputy Headmaster, a role which he has carried with distinction. Like all good teachers, he has a genuine liking of young people and in spite of his occasional stern disciplinary stance in the role, students recognised the fairness with which he treated them and that he provided within the school an important framework by which relationships could flourish.

Milton Haseloff is recognised within his chosen profession as a consummate educator, a person of considerable knowledge and wisdom with good listening skills and a good eye for detail. Not only is he an excellent administrator within the school setting, he is noted for his support of teachers within the profession, and over the years he has chaired both the Professional Development Committee of Prince Alfred College and the Professional Development Committee of the South Australian Independent Schools Board. He has been particularly active in promoting the importance of self-appraisal by teachers, to reflect on practices and procedures designed to help the learning of students. Most recently this has been incorporated in his guiding the introduction of Dimensions of Learning to PAC. He has also been a member of several teams evaluating Non-Government schools and was the founder of the Deputies Group within the Association of Heads of Independent Schools of Australia.

The past 30 years has seen considerable change and improvement at PAC, not only in resources but in the nature of curriculum and pastoral care of students. Much of that development has been due to the gentle prodding, encouragement and over-arching vision of Milton Haseloff.

The other significant movements in staff are within the Preparatory School, where another Deputy, Mr David McLaren, has resigned to take up a position as Deputy (Admin.) of the Glamorgan Campus of Geelong Grammar School. Mr McLaren has been dedicated in his four and a half years at PAC to enhancing the standard of teaching and learning in the Preparatory School, but his outstanding service has also extended across the R to 12 spectrum of the school. He is acknowledged for his work in curriculum, Occupational Health, Safety and Welfare, in computing and technology, and for his innovative methods of timetabling, his general attention to detail, and his administrative skills.

Mrs Robbie Hill, after nine years of superb service in the Junior Primary School with Reception and Year 1 students has, unfortunately, found that she is unable to return to the school and has therefore tendered her resignation. And the longest-serving member of the teaching staff, Mr Richard Hurn, after 36 years of outstanding service to young people, has indicated his retirement from classroom teaching. Fortunately, Mr Hurn will be able to assist on the odd occasion in a relieving capacity so that his skills will not be totally lost to the school. He is remembered with affection by many former students, particularly as a teacher at Year 5 level, where he spent many of his years, and as a coach of both cricket and football. His identification and support of the school which he loves is exceptional, as he is also a former scholar of PAC.

Another former scholar in Mr Tim Moffat, has offered his resignation from the position of Director of Development in order to return to his profession of law. Mr Moffat has set in place an impressive model of fundraising involving annual giving and pledged giving which will undoubtedly be of considerable benefit to Prince Alfred College in the longer term. He has also guided the wonderfully successful series of Old Scholar Reunions for those who left school 20, 30, 40 and 50 years ago. These reunions have brought together a vast array of men of considerable skill and achievement who had their early educational experiences at Prince Alfred College. As Executive Director of the PAC Foundation, Mr Moffat was also responsible for the planning of special events such as the Banquet Auctions and the forthcoming Princes Carnival. For these significant contributions to the well-being of the school, Mr Moffat is warmly thanked.

School Developments

The PAC Foundation, under the chairmanship of Mr Russell Trim, has produced a very attractive brochure outlining the Development Plan endorsed by the school Council. This plan embraces a number of needs, including the completion of refurbishment to the Main Building, the upgrading of classrooms and laboratories, and the refurbishment of the Assembly Hall. In particular, however, there is a wonderful plan for the Preparatory School formulated by architect, Mr Rob Williams. The first stage of this development will get under way ready for 1999, but further development depends on ongoing support from the Prince Alfred College community; as it is such a huge project, it is likely to be finished only in the longer term.

In the short term the classrooms in the Centenary Wing of the Secondary School will be upgraded during the forthcoming holiday season in readiness for 1998 and plans are under way for completing the refurbishment of the Central Tower of the Main Building. Further, those who visit the school will be well aware of the continuing development of the main entrance to the school off Parade West with street lighting and the planting on the northern side of an avenue of decorative Bradford Pear trees. Kerbing on the southern side of the entrance way will be completed in the holidays, and the avenue of trees in mid-1998.

During the year, with the support of the Prep Parents' & Friends', the junior primary Adventure Playground was completely redesigned and new equipment purchased. It has been an ongoing requirement over the years to completely upgrade our playgrounds to ensure that they meet the changing safety standards of the day.

Tunku Putra International School

It is pleasing to report that with Mr Neil Jackson at the helm, and with the support of Ms Alison Hunt on secondment from PAC,

and Mrs Jill Forster, a former teacher at Princes on secondment from Scotch College, Tunku Putra School has flourished in its first year of existence. Over 120 students at kindergarten and primary levels attended the new school built on the inner approaches to Kuching City in Sarawak. Prince Alfred College is responsible for the educational management of the school and for the professional development of its teachers. The curriculum covers both a national strand, as Malaysian students are required by law to sit an examination at Year 6 level in Bahasa Malay, and an international strand which is offered in English. It is interesting to reflect on the peculiarities of an international school in that many of its students have yet a third language, and in the first year a large cohort were from Brazil with Portuguese being their native tongue. These students were at the school because of a dam project for which a Brazilian company had received the contract.

Another feature of international schools is that unlike Prince Alfred College, where stability is the order of the day, many of the students are mobile and stay only for a short period. Many of the Portuguese-speaking Brazilian students are no longer at the school, having returned home when the Government put on hold further development of the dam site. The school does attract students from nearby Kalamantan in Indonesia and there has also been interest from the Philippines and from Taiwan. One of the important developments from our point of view has been the establishment by e-mail of connection between Years 2/3 students of PAC and students of Ms Hunt's class in Kuching. It is proposed in future years that there will also be communication by video-conferencing.

Unfortunately, partly due to ill-health, Mr Neil Jackson was forced to cut short his intended stay at Tunku Putra and retired at the end of November. Mr Malcolm Dawe, former Deputy Director of Studies at Prince Alfred College, and Co-ordinator of Physics, has taken up the role of Head of the International School for a period of three years on secondment, Ms Hunt continues for another year, and Ms Michelle Burrows has been appointed in place of Mrs Forster who will return to Scotch College. Mr Dawe is meticulous in his preparation and presentation, qualities which were most evident in his teaching and administrative roles at PAC. His work with students over a period of 16 years, both in the classroom and as coach of the First XI for 15 years is acknowledged gratefully. Mr Dawe is pleased to be able to reflect on his support of top cricketers such as Greg Blewett and Ben Johnson, and top students in Physics, including Brian Ng and Richard Moore, as well as the whole range of excellent young men whom he has taught.

Curriculum Matters

Under the Chairmanship of Mr Roger Marshman, the Board of Studies has implemented recently several changes of curriculum. These include the expectation that all students to Year 10 are to take a compulsory language, either French or Chinese. Not only is this sound educationally, it is a requirement for those students who wish to undertake the International Baccalaureate, and for those who undertake the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) it offers the possibility of bonus points for entry to University. Latin has also given way to Philosophy as an extension subject introduced at Year 8, and has been well received by students as evidenced by the two classes which have elected to take the subject at Year 9.

This year has seen the introduction of the International Baccalaureate at Year 11 level and in 1998 the first of our senior students will undertake the IB Diploma. As expected, a larger cohort of students next year will be entering the program in Year 11. It is significant that the South East Asian Regional Workshops for teachers of the International Bacclaureate program will be held at Prince Alfred College in July 1998 with Mr Roger Marshman as convenor. Students are also invited and the workshops will be a wonderful forum for both students and staff to explore the IB Curriculum which is now an established part of our academic program. The focus for the workshops will be "Technology, Creativity and Values".

Another important development is the curriculum review focusing on the special areas of Health, PE and Religion, or what may be recognised as the pastoral and affective areas of the curriculum. Within Australian Independent Schools there is considerable discussion regarding the nature of Religious Education and Values Education. Dr Peter Vardy of Heythrop College at the University of London and a leading authority in this area, has been conducting a series of conferences for Heads of Independent Schools and next year in early May will run a similar conference at Prince Alfred College for the Heads of South Australian Non-Government Secondary Schools. The emphases will be on Religious Education as an integral part of the curriculum, Theoretical Ethics and its implications, the central role of Philosophy in Religion in dealing with specific issues, and the challenge of how to make an appropriate approach to the use of the Bible for young people in schools. The notion of spirituality will also be considered.

Coupled with this approach will be consideration of Futures Studies, or Education for the Future. Young people are encouraged to consider current trends and to determine what might be probable future scenarios but, more importantly, to determine from an ethical viewpoint what futures they might prefer. Prior to the start of the new school year, staff will consider these issues in a Professional Development program devised by Mr David Rawnsley and Mr Bob Holloway, who both recently attended the 15th World Conference for Futures Studies in Brisbane. Ms Kathleen Rundall, former teacher and school Principal, who has introduced a Futures Studies curriculum at Year 11 and 12 in Queensland and a program for the Malaysian Education Department, will be invited to guide our staff through this new domain of thinking.

A small working party, convened by Co-ordinator of Information Technology, Mr Andrew Fergusson, has also been formulating a plan for development of IT within the school. In particular, it is essential to properly network the various components of our computer programs within the school, and a decision will be made soon on the appropriate network arrangement for the school. Consistent software must be used throughout the school on whichever platform, IBM or Macintosh, so that the one data base can provide consistent useable information. An important part of the planning relates to the use of the facilities by students and a decision has been made to integrate the development of generic Information Technology skills across the curriculum, rather than as a separate entity of study. Members of staff have been working at Year 8 level to develop new curriculum units of work in 1998 which will employ IT skills and these will be further successively developed. Keyboard skills, which are recognised as being important for young people are, however, like learning a piano in that it is a matter of the individual's commitment to practice with the appropriate

software. It is not seen to be an essential course in its own right.

There have been some significant grants offered for Curriculum Development within the school, one of which is for an Information Technology approach to shared learning between schools. A grant of $16,200 from Telstra was provided early in the year to establish a video technology link with Seymour College to enhance the teaching of mathematics skills. This same link was used to enable two of our students to undertake German at Year 10 level with a teacher from Seymour.

Following the successful publication of the historical narrative "What Were You Doing During the War" based on research by students interviewing people in the district of Sturt, the History Department under the guidance of Mr Andrew Buxton, has successfully applied for a grant of $3,000 to conduct a similar review looking at the links of families with Asian immigration. That study is now underway. Recently, Mr Jurgen Kracht received a grant of $2,500 from the National Asian Languages (NALSAS) program for support of the teaching of Chinese and staff in the Preparatory School similarly received grants for the development of Asian Studies, with particular reference to Indonesia in Year 5 and Korea in Year 7.

Mr Phil Donaldson, Director of Scotts Creek Field Centre, received a grant of $7,000 for a wetlands project at Scotts Creek in concert with the local owners of the land, Southcorp, and an environmental team from the University of Adelaide. This project will enhance the emphasis on Earth Education which is an inherent part of the Scotts Creek program. This aspect was put on display during the Open Day celebrating the 21st birthday of Scotts Creek in April 1997, in the presence of the then Minister for the Environment, Mr David Wotton, a former scholar. Finally, while not a specific grant, we have also been most fortunate to have within the school, Ms Del Walker as artist in residence. She is a sculptor of considerable skill and offered a new and interesting dimension to those students interested in visual arts.

Pastoral Care

It is pleasing to record the excellent work of Mr Ken Watson in his first year as Senior Housemaster and to acknowledge the importance that he and his colleagues place on students feeling valued and safe within the school, an essential first element for Dimension 1 of the Dimensions of Learning program.

For many, the weekly meetings in the tutor group every Wednesday have provided important opportunities to undertake activities which support the curriculum and extend learning. There has been valuable work done by tutors aiming to develop self-esteem and improve inter-personal relationships. Towards the end of the year in particular, the focus has been more towards academic support with emphasis on goal setting, personal organisation and study methods.

The weekly House meetings, and year level meetings in the case of Year 8, have been an important element in the building of a sense of belonging and the establishment of a house culture. Through a mixture of entertainment, performance, exhibition and competition, boys have had the opportunity to organise and plan activities, to participate in a safe environment, and simply enjoy belonging to the House. There have been some special guests at House meetings. A particular highlight for Oldham House was the visit by 1986 House Captain, David Pittman, some weeks after his success with the Adelaide Crows.

There have also been many activities aimed at developing the responsibility of students. The leadership of its senior students is a critical element in the success of each House. Each week at House meetings, as well as the major House events such as the Swimming Carnival and the Sports Day, we see not only the House Captains and Vice Captains, but also a number of other senior students undertaking significant roles of leadership and responsibility.

For Year 11s, a large number of boys have been involved in a very active Prince Alfred Care and Concern Committee (PACCC). Major activities included the Winter Sleepout (raising money for Mission SA), and the Year 8/9 Social, along with a large number of smaller activities which have raised money for charities and provided services to the school community. A total of 37 Year 11 students undertook roles as leaders of camps at Scotts Creek for boys in Years 5, 6, 7 and 8. Once again, these young men played a significant role in creating successful camps.

In Term 4, an evening meeting was held for parents of boys in Years 7 and 8 with a guest from the Drug and Alcohol Services Council. This provided an excellent opportunity for both the input of valuable information for parents about drugs and alcohol, and a valuable sharing about parenting of teenagers. Such evenings will become an annual feature.

The end of this year marks the end of an era as Mr Thompson steps aside from the position as Head of Oldham House to become Co-ordinator of Physics and Co-ordinator of SACE. Mr Thompson is the last survivor of the original House staff teams set up in 1981. At that time, he was Tutor of 11 Oldham and he has remained with Oldham House since, spending the last nine years as Head of House.

Staff and students in the Preparatory School have shown their concern for others by continuing to collect for the World Vision child, Louis Angel Gonzales, whom they support, and to maintain contributions to the Fijian Library in Koroleru, providing money for wheelchairs and toys at the Vellore Hospital in South India and supporting UNICEF, the Salvation Army, and the Adelaide Central Mission. Student leadership positions in the Preparatory School have also been enhanced, with several new positions so that leadership is embraced not only by the School and House Captains but also in areas such as Public Speaking, Debating, Chess, Music and various sports. There are now more than 20 leadership positions of this nature in the Preparatory School.

Finally, within the realm of Pastoral Care it is important to record the exchange between the School Chaplain, Dr Adrian Brown, and the Chaplain from Tusculum College, (USA), Dr Stephen Weisz. We were delighted with the contribution of Dr Weisz and his family, Mrs Gloria Weisz and their sons, Kirk and Shep, who joined us as students, and we are grateful for the new insights and pastoral support that they provided. Equally, Tusculum College and the small pastoral church community associated with the Presbyterian school, were delighted to share with Dr Brown. Each of Dr Brown and Dr Weisz are confident that they learned from their experiences and returned to their respective duties with new-found vigour and new ideas.

Student Achievements

Consistent with previous years, there have been some remarkable achievements by the young men of Prince Alfred College and not only are their efforts acknowledged, but so also are those of the teachers and others

who have supported them in their development. Selection for tertiary entrance is based on the academic results of Year 12 examinations, and it was most encouraging early in the year to have PAC mentioned in The Advertiser as one of those schools which rated highly in terms of acceptance of applications for tertiary places. Based on results from 1995 a survey indicated that 95% of Year 12 students from Prince Alfred College were offered a place in a tertiary course. This excellent result was due to the sheer hard work of the students and their teachers, the strong support of their parents, and the provision of a very sound counselling program from Heads of House and the Careers Adviser, Mr Garry Simcock.

Results from students in 1996 would have provided a similar outcome. The outstanding student of this cohort and Dux of School was Guy Dundas who gained four merit scores of 20 out of 20, and was denied the elusive fifth merit by a very fine margin. In all, 24 students gained a score of more than 80 out of 90, there were 32 merit scores and 16 students finished with 5 As. Most importantly, there were some very sound results from students in the middle range, more than matching expectations and giving them clear opportunity to undertake further study at tertiary level.

A similar set of results is expected from the current group of students in 1997 for there have certainly been some outstanding individual achievements during the year. Most recently a team of four young men from Year 12, Damian Fung, Andrew Linn, Brett Hill, and Jeremy McMahon were overall winners in the Senior Section of the Annual Quiz Night for the SA Mathematical Association. Other teams from PAC were also most competitive. Early in the year, several of these students competed strongly in the IBM Mathematics Competition and also the Australian Mathematics Competition. In these latter two competitions, however, it was the students in junior classes who were the most successful, with prizes being awarded in the Australian Mathematics Competition to Year 8 students Joseph Crosby, Tommy Asimakopoulos, and Peter Mathews; Year 9 students Christopher Seglenieks and Richard Steenvoorde, and Year 11 student Tom Newman. Joseph Crosby produced the best standardised score for the whole of the school, an outstanding feat for such a young person. In the Junior Division of the IBM Competition, Thomas Evans gained outright third place and Peter Mathews outright seventh place, with others recording distinctions. Matthew Fisher of Year 10 was outright ninth in the Intermediate Division, and also was selected to attend the Maths Search program, a three day camp for the best Mathematics students in the State, as were Year 8 students Tom Evans, Peter Mathews, Chris Olver and Michael Tysoe. Mark Henderson, Year 12, was honoured to be invited as student tutor for this program.

Science achievements were similarly most impressive with four year 11 students, Tim Clark, Bradley Clothier, Hugh Jones, and Tom Newman each being awarded a plaque for excellence in the National Chemistry Quiz, a most unusual outcome for a particular year level. Earlier in the year, Year 12 students Andrew Linn, Lincoln Law and Damian Fung were selected to contest the National Finals of the Chemical Analysis Competition and Ben Kurylowicz, also Year 12, was awarded the Esso Medal in the Australian Schools Science Competition for 1997, being the top student in South Australia and Northern Territory in the Senior Section. Jamie Messner, who won the top award in 1996, was again most successful in the Oliphant Science Awards, being third overall and first in the Experimental section. He was also selected as one of the top five in the Biology and Microbiology category for the 1997 BHP Science Awards and attended final selection in Melbourne as one of the top 20 students in the country. Jonathan Mitchell of Year 9 was first, together with his sister, in the Computer Section for Years 8 and 9 of the Oliphant Science Awards, and Richard Steenvoorde received a high commendation for the Photograph section. Not to be outdone, students from the Preparatory School also were exceedingly successful with seven prize winners in the Oliphant Science Awards, Myalls Fawcett winning both the Video section and the Experiments section, and Tom Cuthbertson the Essay section, for R—2.

In the Asia Wise Geography Competition for Years 9 and 10, Alex Chapman, Ben Dufour, Kris Hodgins, Richard Steenvoorde received high distinctions and others also performed most creditably. Year 10 PAC Photography students were highly successful at the Schools Exhibition of Photography, with PAC winning the South Australian Photographic Federation Plaque for the top aggregate school. Paul Bulley of Year 10 was outstanding, winning the plaque for top aggregate student and top awards for colour print, people category, colour prints of school activity and nature. Nick McLeay and Angus Mitchell also won trophies and there were a number of merit awards. A group of students, Gwyn Morfey, Andrew Linn, Hayden Gaunt, Duncan Taylor, and Owen Morfey were the winners in the Eco Works category of the Networks 96 Web Site Competition, and presented their outstanding site to school assembly. Gwyn, working with friends Alissa Proctor and Joel Williams, has over the past six months, developed another outstanding web site, Global In Site, as part of the Think Quest Competition funded from America; he was one of 35 international finalists who were invited to attend a presentation ceremony in Washington, D.C. in late November.

Jamie Messner, who teamed with Michael Hartstone and Scott Olver to successfully argue a winning case for the 1997 Intercollegiate contest in Debating, gained third place in the Senior competition of the Plain English Speaking Awards and Alexander Saint, Year 8, was runner-up in the Junior competition. Michael has also been most successful with his writing, having a story published in The Advertiser's Summer Short Story Competition, and being awarded a merit certificate in the Senior Poetry Section of the Young Writers' Competition. Haydn Yates similarly won a merit certificate in this competition. Student teams in Year 8 and Year 10 were finalists in Debating as was a team from the Preparatory School for the fourth year in a row. George Raptis was also third in the Junior Schools Public Speaking Competition. It is interesting to record that the Year 8 Debating team was coached by Michael Hartstone. Finally, among very keen competition, the winner of this year's Jack de Vidas Award for English was Ryan Williams whose article, along with many other well-written pieces, has appeared in the school's literary publication, 'Uncle Alfred's Journal'.

The growth of Music in the school is a credit to the Director of Performing Arts and Music, Mrs Pam Freeman, with the development of the Concert Bands under the baton of Mr Andrew Newhouse being particularly pleasing. Early in the year, the Music staff presented their skills at a staff concert which would have been revealing for our music students and an inspiration for them. Three students, Jesse Adams (flute), Matthew Just (trumpet), and Alexander Politis (violin), were selected to participate in the Combined Non-Government Schools Orchestra in support of the visiting Youth Orchestra from Vancouver; these orchestras presented an outstanding concert and it is

now planned to maintain a Non-Government Schools Orchestra to provide a performance group for our outstanding music students. The choir, under the guidance of Mr Robert Dawe, remains a jewel in our music program, no more evident than when it performed for the induction of the incoming Moderator of the Uniting Church, Dr Don Hopgood, at Wesley Church, Kent Town. The school was also favoured by a visit from a choir of Knox Grammar School, and joint workshops with the visiting choir which were most beneficial. The Music program has its roots in the Preparatory School and we were pleased to have two choirs and a percussion group selected to participate in the JSHAA Music Festival.

The school in concert with Annesley once again presented an entertaining musical, the classic Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "HMS Pinafore". Andrew Linn, Tom Pledge, Kevin Khaw, and Chris Simcock were superb in lead roles and well-supported by the cast. Mr Tom Eastland, in his first year of producing and directing plays for the school, came up with a winner in the selection of five plays by Anton Chekhov, promoted as "The Sneeze and Other Episodes". These presentations provided for a fine evening of relaxed entertainment, and commendation is due to lead players Paul Rofe, Marcus Coates, Duncan Tan, Sam Barlow, Hugh Rowland and Lachlan Williams. Supporting these productions within the school was a very fine Arts Week developed under the guidance of Mr Roger Marshman. Starting with an Opening Night led by percussionists from the Preparatory School and with a spectacular fireworks finale, the week provided a forum for visiting artists to extend the creative talents and aesthetic senses of our students.

One of the highlights for the year in the Preparatory School was the building by the boys of the 1997 Pedal Prix vehicle developed under the guidance of Mr Philip McLaughlin. Their vehicle won two prizes, for the most innovative in the Primary Section, and for design and construction. The team came seventh overall out of the primary schools in the competition. Similarly, the outstanding achievement in the technology world for senior students was the development, under the guidance of Mr Paul Balestrin and Mr Phil McLaughlin, of the Prince Alfred College Solar Cycle which competed in the ETSA World Solar Cycle Challenge from Adelaide to Alice Springs and return. The six day event covering 1500 kilometres saw our riding team of Year 10 students, Miles Crawford, Adam Grogan, Alex Silz, Paul Bulley, Stephen Thomas, and Mark Woodforde finish third outright in the contest and second in the category of aerodynamic experimental. Speeds during the competition reached 70 kilometres per hour and there were extremes of heat and wind to be endured. The team was capably supported by the pit crew of Fergus Adamson, Eddie Lane, Matthew Fisher and Chris Pyragius.

Once again, the players of Chess had an outstanding season winning the Schools Championship for the 22nd year in the past 23. They also won the competitions at A, B, C and D grades as well the Lightning Teams competition at A Grade. With three State Champions in Andrew Saint (under 18) Eshan Wijeyekoon (under 16), and Peter Mathews (under 14) and with such a strong record in the build-up PAC might have been expected to win the annual Intercollegiate Chess competition, but this was not to be. The 25th Intercollegiate Chess match was a truly intense encounter with the match resting on the last two boards. Unfortunately, with an apparent draw between the two teams the likely outcome, a late move took the game away from Princes with Saints winning 5-1/2 boards to 4-1/2. The superb efforts of senior students is based on a very strong program in the Preparatory School with PAC teams being finalists in both the Primary Chess Competition and the Koshnitsky Shield.

The sporting program has continued to provide a forum for excellent achievement by our young men under the guidance of a very strongly supportive teaching staff. Luke Williams, the First XI Cricket captain in 1996 had remarkable success during the holidays, being selected as Player of the Championships in the Australian Under 17 competition, and being named in the Australian Under 17 Cricket Squad, the only South Australian so honoured. Recently he has been playing A Grade Cricket with the Adelaide Club and was selected by The Lord's Taverners as the 1997 Junior Taverner for South Australia. The Cricket team, under the guidance of Mr Peter Williams, has this year gone from strength to strength and at the time of writing is undefeated, due primarily to an excellent bowling attack led by Michael Jones, Paul Rofe, Oliver Thomas, Chad Parrish and Sam Williams. The team has won the Knockout Competition in South Australia and in December will be travelling to Geelong to compete in the finals for the Australian Schools Competition, formerly known as the Gillette Cup.

The Tennis players too, have performed most creditably, recovering from being displaced to second division and competing strongly in the open division. Andy Timbs and captain Daniel Forbes, have a superb record in doubles competition, but neither of them were able to take out the Schools Championship with the accolade of School Champion being won convincingly by Year 9 student, Ryan Bickmore. Ryan also won the Under 15 Age Singles title at the State Tennis Tournament held during the year. Not to be outdone, our Table Tennis players have also performed exceedingly well with another Year 9 student, Alex Swanson, representing South Australia at the Under 20 level in Table Tennis and winning the Under 14 and Under 17 Singles of the Victorian Open Championships. He is also State Champion at Under 14 level and was runner-up in the Under 17 title. Similarly, Ryan Manuel, Year 11 student, was selected in the State Under 17 Badminton team and was a member of the highly successful team from PAC which comfortably won the 1997 Intercollegiate contest 8 matches to 1, completing an outstanding season for the team.

Once more, our Rowers had an excellent season, winning more than their fair share of events to be awarded the Schoolboys Championship. Joseph DeMaria, coxswain of the First VIII, was also selected as the coxswain for the 1997 South Australian Kings Cup Crew, an outstanding achievement for a schoolboy, and Under 15 rowers Nicholas McLeay, Clifton Hurburgh and Stephen Thomas, in a three-way tie, were each awarded a trophy for the Champion Schoolboy Rower for the 1996/7 season. In Swimming, Year 10 student Christopher Leung was outstanding, being selected to represent South Australia in the Australian Age Swimming Championships, winning medals in his favourite breaststroke event. Christopher also helped lead Blacket House to their fourth consecutive victory in the swimming carnival, the first of an important double for Blacket as it also won the Athletics Carnival later in the year.

The inter-house Athletics Day was held in glorious weather and was an excellent event with Ms Pallett's Year 8 tutor group dominating the Under 14 age group and with Blacket and Rushton Houses competing strongly for the School Championship. The former emerged as victor during the relays, although Delbridge

House dominated the relay events to win the much coveted Relay Shield. Paul Rofe set new school records at the Under 17 level in shot-put and high jump, soaring over 2.03 metres in the latter event. Sam Nicholls, Captain of Athletics, competed strongly at the Under 19 level and in the Achilles Cup won impressively the important sprint double for 100 metres and 200 metres. There were other excellent results in the inter-school Achilles competition, but none better than the record-breaking javelin throw of Warren Kerr at Under 14 level.

Prince Alfred College once again dominated the Squash scene, with 9 teams out of 10 competing in the five grades of the grand finals. The school won four of the five premierships and for the seventh year in a row, won the Knockout Squash Competition led by impressive performances from Christopher Simcock. Interestingly, the former Captain of Squash, Dan Jenson, continues to perform superbly in the international arena and is now rated as number 11 player in the world. He was present at the finals competition.

In winter sport, the Basketball team led by Damian Williams was the only successful team in Intercollegiate contests, winning 42 to 27 with Damian scoring 30 points. He was also selected during the year to captain a winning Independent Schools side, and was a member of an under age Australian Squad. Ryan Woite and Michael Hobby for football and Andy Timbs for soccer were similarly selected to represent the Independent Schools in competitions against combined State Schools, performing most creditably. Both Football and Soccer had successful seasons, with the soccer team winning against Wesley but being outclassed in the Intercollegiate Contest against St Peters. Our footballers were favoured to win the Intercol but were beaten by a much more determined and impressive side on the day, although Ryan Woite kicked eight goals, six in the last quarter in a desperate attempt to turn the game around. In the other code of football, Rugby, Con Pappas was selected as a member of the State team to compete in Darwin, but he was well covered in the Intercollegiate contest by a strong pack from St Peters who were determined to keep their winning record intact.

Hockey, introduced with the strong support of Mr Geoffrey Bean, celebrated its 25th year of competition in 1997. The results during this period have been outstanding, particularly in latter years, and the development of the game has been a credit to the many teachers who have participated, but none more so than Mr Bob Holloway, who has been its guiding light. The First team under his guidance were looking for an undefeated season and had competed very strongly against Wesley and other teams during the year, including a strong win against their old foe in St Peters. Unfortunately, the last game of the season, again against St Peters, brought an unexpected reversal. After a one goal all tie at half time, Saints converted two well won short corners in quick succession to put the game beyond doubt.

In concluding this report I would like to commend and thank all members of the Prince Alfred College community who have contributed so wonderfully in making this school so vibrant, and such a wonderful platform for the achievement of young men. In particular I would thank all members of the teaching staff, and every other member of staff who each in their own way, has contributed to the well-being of students in this school. I would like to acknowledge the work of the School Council, under the guidance of Chairman, Mr Bill Johnson, and its many sub-committees and record my appreciation of the outstanding service of Mr Murray Aitken who, after 27 years, latterly as Chairman of the Building Committee, has retired from Council. I would also thank Mr Philip Speakman, Chairman of the Marketing and Public Relations Committee for his contribution to this school over the past five years. Similarly, to the outgoing President of the PAC Foundation, Mr Malcolm Buckby, now the Minister for Education, Children's Services and Training, and Minister for Youth and Employment, we offer our heartfelt thanks for his support of the school. We are delighted for Mr Buckby and wish him every success in his new portfolio.

I would also acknowledge the strong support from the members of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians, and particularly that of the outgoing President, Mr Alistair Walker. I am particularly encouraged by the scholarships which the Old Collegians offer for the sons of Old Scholars entering at Year 10 level, and by their strong commitment to the building program of this school. Their support also of the reunions is most significant in the life of the school. Similarly, both Parents' and Friends' Associations have continued to provide the framework for exceptional parental involvement and support.

Finally, I would like to acknowledge the work of the students in leadership, particularly at Year 12 level, including the Prefects under the guidance of Captain of School, Tennyson Wickham. These students are to become the new Old Scholars. We know their achievements at this point in time and will follow with interest their development in the years to come as they make their mark in this global community.

May I thank all members of the Princes community, students, staff, parents, members of Council and Old Scholars for their interest, involvement and support through the year.



SCOTTS CREEK FIELD CENTRE
21 YEARS CELEBRATION

Laying the Time Capsule

Dr. Webber with Messrs. Woollard, Donaldson and Wotton M.P.



Dr. Webber offers sun protection to David Wotton, Minister for the Environment

The Making of a Princes Man through Academic Excellence

YEAR 12 RESULTS 1996

We were delighted by the excellent set of results produced by our Year 12 students in the 1996 examinations conducted by SSABSA, which were announced in January, 1997. The outstanding student and Dux of the School was Guy Dundas with 5As, four of them Merit Scores of 20 out of 20, and the other a whisker off the elusive fifth Merit; he gained a scaled entry score to University of 88.5 out of 90. In all, 24 students gained a score of more than 80 out of 90. There were 32 Merit Scores and 16 students finished with 5 As.

Perhaps the most outstanding result was that from a group of 23 Year 11 students who studied Mathematics IS at Year 12 level. From this group there were 7 Merits, llAs, 4Bs, and one C.

Those students who gained Certificates of Merit for achieving 20 in a subject were:

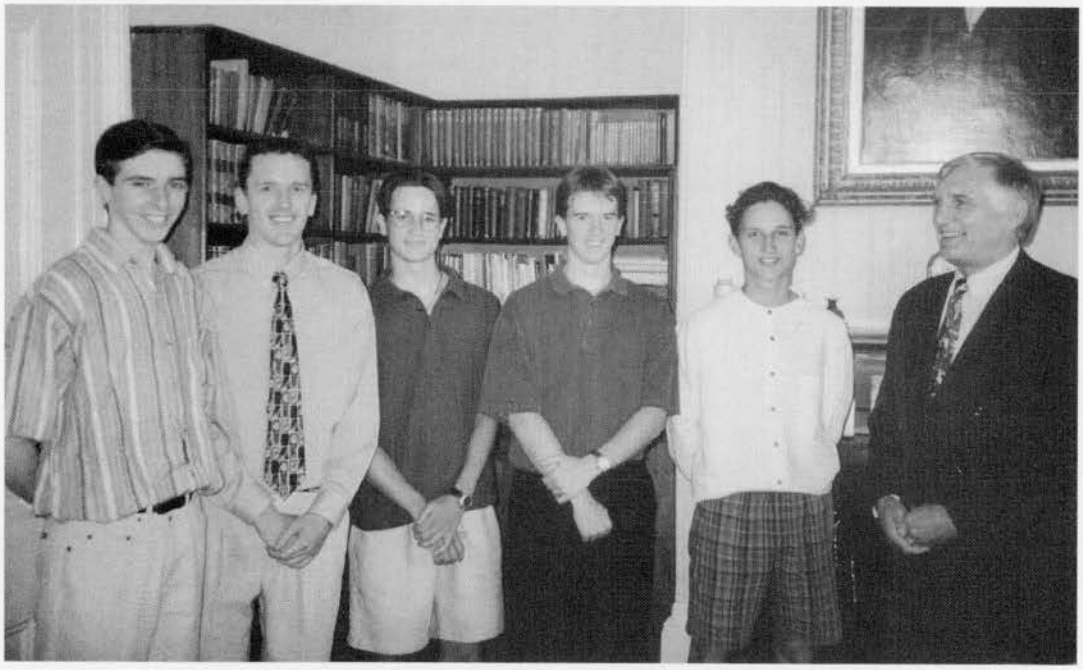
Brett Cawrse	Economics
Aaron Chalmers	Accounting, Geography
Huw Cooksley	Maths I
David Dalidowicz	Economics, Physics
Guy Dundas	Economics, Maths I, Maths II, Physics
Damian Fung	Maths I
Hayden Gaunt	Maths I
Bradleigh Hayhow	English, Quantitative Methods
Mark Humphries	Maths I
Constantine Kassapis	Economics
James Ledgard	Geography, Physics
Wesley Legrand	Economics
Andrew Linn	Maths I
Adrian Liston	Maths I
Brett Masters	Natural Resources Management
Gwyn Morfey	Maths I
Ross Mullner	Maths II, Physics
Simon Roos-Freeman	Chemistry, Physics
James Sawyer	Modern European History
Robert Sosnowski	Accounting
Samuel Staker	Geography
Michael Vast	Accounting
Christopher Watson	Economics

The following were awarded scholarship prizes on the basis of their excellent results in the Year 12 examinations:

The John Dunn Prize for Dux of the School	Guy Dundas
The E.B. Colton Prize (Proxime Accessit)	David Dalidowicz
The Malpas Prize for Science	Simon Roos-Freeman
The Longbottom Prize for Mathematics	Ross Mullner
The Colton Prize for Arts and Languages	Bradleigh Hayhow

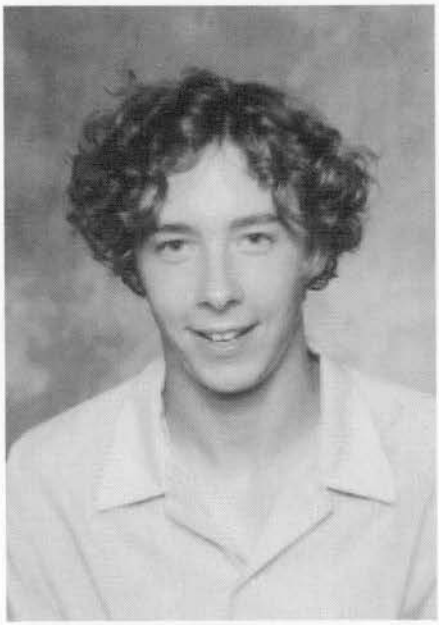
The following students gained a scaled score of 80 or more out of 90. Those gaining 5 As are noted with an asterisk*.

Aikins, Toby
* Cawrse, Brett
* Chalmers. Aaron
* Cheung, Brian
* Dalidowicz, David
* Dundas, Guy
* England, Grant
* Hall, Wesley
Hancock, Rory
* Hayhow, Bradleigh
* Johnson, Nathan
Kassapis, Constantine
* Ledgard, James
Legrand,Wesley
* Mullner, Ross
* Roos-Freeman, Simon
* Sawyer, James
* Smibert. Peter
Sosnowski, Robert
Staker, Samuel
Vandepeer, Luke
* Vast, Michael
* Watson, Christopher
West, Timothy



Ross Mullner, David Dalidowicz, Brad Hayhow, Guy Dundas and Simon Roos-Freeman with the Headmaster, Dr. B.J. Webber

School Captain's Report



Tennyson Wickham,
The School Captain

In reflecting over the past ten years I have spent at Prince Alfred College I realised that this is a very significant era for me and the rest of the year twelve's that has come to an end.

During those ten years I have learnt much about other people and life in general. But to learn and grow through experience a person needs the appropriate environment, and the PAC community as a whole provides this in many different ways. Whether it be in sport, in the classroom, at school camps or a number of other extra curricular activities, there are many ways in which you can participate. Participation is the key to learning more about yourself and broadening your horizons in areas you are not comfortable with.

Despite this, learning how to calculate equations, write poetry or essays is essential in a persons school life, after all that is largely what schools are about. In my experience there has not been much doubt that academic excellence is a definite feature of Prince Alfred College. While some people may say that such accolades can only be achieved by gifted and talented people, I have noticed throughout my schooling years that many of the rewards are received by those who have worked the hardest. This philosophy of giving one's best at all times is very much emphasised at PAC, not only at work but in all areas of school life. I have often seen talent being wasted as it will only take a person so far and many achievements during your school life will be made through sheer hard work, which in turn makes success much more satisfying.

Even though school work is somewhat despised by most students and is looked upon as being very much a chore, it has been in the last few years at PAC that I have found work to be much more enjoyable. Especially in this my last year where all the students have helped each other toward success, to reach for that common goal that lies ahead. The teacher-student relationships towards the last few years also tend to strengthen, helping in many ways the hard slog through year twelve. I would also like to take this time to thank the teachers for their time and effort.

While in a school like PAC the academic side will always be a crucial part in preparing students for the future, the many other co-curricular activities that are provided within the community play an equally important role. Whether it be in sport, the arts, school camps or helping in special projects like the sunboat and the solar powered car, these all provide ways in which you can broaden your mind and daily experience.

For me, the many camping trips over the years both at Scotts Creek and other places around the state have provided many people with a chance to interact in a relaxing non school environment. It has also been interesting to note how people cope and react in these new or unusual situations. More importantly it is in the year nine camp at Scotts Creek and year ten OTE camp where there is more of an emphasis placed on teamwork and leadership. Working together to solve problems is very powerful and can be useful when related to the life in the real world that awaits us.

Again leadership opportunities are prominent in year eleven. Along with many other year twelves last year I participated in the year eleven leadership camp, again held at Scotts Creek. This involved leading a group of younger boys from PAC for a week through their camp course. This turned out to be much harder than I had thought as it involved relating to boys at a much younger age, trying to tell them what they can and can't do.

One of the more important activities during my time at Prince Alfred College has been sport. Right from prep-school to my last year of school I have been competing in various teams at many different sports. Sport is a much needed component in anyone's life. It provides a basis from which you can meet all kinds of people, some personalities you will like, some you may not. But in any case many friendships can evolve from competing in a team orientated sport. While not everyone will compete at the highest level, putting in the best effort until the final siren is all that can be asked. This philosophy over the years has resulted in PAC building up quite a tradition of not giving up, a tradition that is respected by every other school.

Furthermore playing such sports exposes a person to many experiences that may be translated directly into life situations. Win, loss, joy, disappointment, pain, persistence are all emotions and experiences from which you can grow.

I have dealt with all of this at some stage, and in particular in the last couple of years being involved with this years and last years football intercol games. Both were very similar matches with differing results. In each game the PAC side was down and not playing to its' full potential and in each game PAC staged a seemingly impossible comeback in the last quarter. Last year we were good enough to win by a solitary point, this year however the seven goal deficit at three quarter time was too much to overhaul, eventually going down by twelve points.

More to the point, in those two games for the last twenty five minutes there were twenty one players that lifted, played some of the hardest football of the year and played together as a team in part of a tradition that is older than any one alive today.

For me I feel that my ten years at PAC have prepared me well for whatever lies ahead. A school like PAC can present boys with many situations, choices and decisions. It is out of these experiences that boys grow and mature into young men. To the many students attending PAC in the years to come, make the most of your last years at school by getting out of the comfort zone and participating. You will never have the opportunity to live these last years at school again.

At this time I would like to thank Dr Webber and Mr Haseloff for their friendship and guidance throughout the year. To the staff, Vice-captain Tom Pledge for his help through the year and to fellow year 12's, thankyou for making everyone's time at PAC one to remember.

Tennyson Wickham
Captain of School



The Mentor

Thirty Years in Retrospect

Late on a beautiful October afternoon, I sat in the Headmaster's office, less daunted by Mr Dunning's questions than by the penetrating eyes in T.G. Waterhouse's portrait. The sounds of ball on bat and smatterings of applause drifted in from the House Cricket match on the Front Oval. Prince Alfred College, at that moment, seemed to represent tranquility, assurance, continuity. I resolved to seize any offer of employment that Mr Dunning might make.

The strong sense of links with earlier times became even more evident when, in January 1968, I found myself teaching classes described in terminology I had previously only read about: an Upper Sixth and two Sixth Form English classes, as well as a Fourth Form and a Lower Fifth Latin class. I soon learnt that boys were addressed by surname. And although I had had leadership experience in three Education Department schools, when I stepped into the Masters' Common Rooms, which are now offices used by Mrs Intini and Mr Marshman, I found myself amongst colleagues whose towering insights, experience and intellectual and professional standing were saved from being intimidating by the warmth and approachability they offered to newcomers

I realise, now, that I had a privileged glimpse of a former era, a reminder of less harried, more elegant times. But the world was already changing and to look back from a vantage point 30 years later is to be stunned by what has occurred in that interval.

In a brochure prepared for the centenary of the school in 1969, an aerial photograph records a campus smaller and less crowded than the 1997 equivalent. Pirie Street still divided the property and houses fringed the Capper Street and Parade West boundaries. The Prep was a much smaller school. Some boarders continued to occupy the Colton and Waterhouse wings of the main building. Yet to be built were such facilities as the Secondary Library, Laboratories, Prep classrooms, Sports Centre, boarding accommodation, Clipsal Innovation Centre and Hockey Field. Now the Prince's campus has become a more complex, more specialised place. Off campus, too, facilities like the Scott's Creek Field Centre and the Goolwa Aquatic Centre have been built or refurbished.

None of these developments, however, has had any point unless it resulted in better opportunities for students. Happily that, I believe, has been the case, for each has extended or enhanced the total curriculum offering. Nevertheless, it seems to me that less tangible developments have been even more significant. Examples that spring to mind include the setting up of Middle and Senior Schools in 1972, the Myponga conference that developed Life Studies, and the introduction of Asian and European Studies for those Year 9 students not continuing with French or Chinese. Important, too, was the Council's decision in 1982 to commit time and funding to professional development opportunities for staff. Much more recently, we have turned attention towards a deeper understanding of the learning and teaching processes, while establishing a more global perspective through our involvement with both the International Baccalaureate Organisation and Tunku Putra International School in Kuching. But the period that spanned the late 70s and early 80s saw the most exciting developments of all and set the patterns that have persisted, most successfully, into this decade.

From low-key beginnings that gave little hint of their ultimate effects, discussions began in 1978 among members of staff keen to review the educational experiences of PAC students. What emerged was a model of effective change; the debates were informed, intense, inclusive and highly professional, and they led to careful, timely and detailed planning. The Goolwa

Conferences of 1979 and 1980 ensured that many stakeholders could be involved in reaching the solution finally selected and have input to the planning process. And so, in 1981, we launched a new curriculum pattern and a new House structure.

In curriculum terms, the outcome was greater diversity. For students in Years 8, 9 and 10, their core subjects now included not only a more generous provision of humanities, arts, technology and language subjects, but also a greater flexibility in the choice of those subjects. The curriculum framework established at that time has continued to evolve to the point where each year's timetable regularly implements some innovative thought. And the benefits of all this curriculum development? The most obvious outcome has been a burgeoning of the cultural life of the school. This probably is best symbolised in the biennial Arts Week, but is regularly seen in a very busy co-curriculum, and the large numbers of boys involved in, for example, the Music program. The School's timetable now offers a great diversity of learning experiences that simultaneously are relevant to students' immediate requirements and provide the skills to go on learning well into the Twenty First Century.

1981 also saw Bayley, Cotton, School and Waterhouse Houses replaced with the current ones. This major change honoured the service of former scholars who did not survive World War One, but it also signalled a shift in purpose. The House now became the basis for administration in the Secondary School, thereby offering more opportunities for responsibility and leadership to students and staff. Moreover, the House provided students with the security and friendships of a smaller and more intimate group within the school. It promoted too, through the on-going commitment of the Head of House and the stability of the Tutor team, a close, well informed relationship between home and school. As we note the intensifying pressures and difficulties of modern life, we realise that the support, counselling and discipline of the House structure is becoming ever more relevant and urgent for the young men in our care.

To look back is to see the late 70s and early 80s as crowded, powerfully formative years. The truth is, however, that throughout the past thirty years, it has been exciting to work at Princes, where innovation and experiment seem to have been the norm. Yet, in the midst of change, my early expectations of continuity have been fulfilled, for the sense of community has never really wavered. As in most families, there may have been moments of tension, but the various groups that form Princes have gone on serving the school and one another with a quality, commitment and generosity that have been outstanding.

That moment in Mr Dunning's office in 1967 was my watershed. I have never regretted the decision that brought me to Princes and gave me so many opportunities. On the contrary, membership of such a diverse and powerful team has been a great honour. I know that I shall miss the day-to-day involvement in the projects even now being planned, but I am equally certain that my interest in Princes and my delight in its family will remain as bright as ever.

Milton Haseloff
Deputy Headmaster







Milton Haseloff

We are delighted to present the following tributes to Milton Haseloff from his colleagues.

Mr. Geoff Bean:

As one who was privileged to rely upon and work very closely with Milton Haseloff for eighteen years, I want to pay a personal tribute to a wise, utterly loyal and inspiring professional colleague and close personal friend.

During the last quarter of a century, Prince Alfred College senior school has been running from day to day so efficiently that few will have noticed or comprehended the dedication, attention to detail and sheer administrative skill of the master-mind behind it all, Milton Haseloff.

Likewise few of the Princes community can fully appreciate the extent of the quiet caring, behind the scenes, shown by this man for innumerable students, staff and their families.

One wonders whether the wider school community knows how outstanding is the contribution made by this Deputy Headmaster to Princes and far beyond as an educational thinker and practical innovator, particularly in the fields of professional staff development and the processes of teaching and learning.

I would also like to express our thanks to that very special lady, Mrs Win Haseloff, for her constant, generous and humour-filled support for her husband and for Princes.

Princes has been wonderfully and selflessly served by Milton Haseloff for thirty years and has been immensely fortunate to have for so long a Deputy Headmaster of his great stature.

Neil Jackson:

I think back over 27 years and wonder what were the best times. Present staff know Milton as the consummate professional (he always has been) leading them to new understandings of learning and of their own profession. I know that Milton too, with his uncanny ability to call out your best performance. But I think what I remember best and most fondly is the old fellowship late on Friday afternoons- the Senior Staff meeting- the week behind us, a new one ahead, and a relaxed Milton Haseloff jovially leading us into the calm routines of the next week, month, term. Happy and productive sessions they were, a model of their kind which I for one was glad later to emulate. Thanks for the memories, Milton.

Peter Morris:

When Milton became Deputy Headmaster, only the second in the history of the school, in undertaking his own professional development for his new role, he discovered insights that he wanted to share with his colleagues. In this way he began a feature of the school's focus on employing not just the best teachers but also the best teaching methodology. As Milton's personal professional pilgrimage has developed, so has the staff benefited from his power as mentor.

It has been a reflection of the regard in which he has been held by Headmasters and Councils that he has been given almost carte blanche to launch the school, its programs and its staff into the twenty first century with an acceptance of the challenges inherent in change and a commitment to the pursuit of excellence. He has equipped us to know what to do " In the Face of the Impossible." Vale Miltonius, Paedagogus optimus.

Ian Penny:

Milton is a person who stands out without saying a word, his stance and demeanour creating a presence not missed by student or adult alike. He is a caring colleague who gives a high priority to staff relations, listening and putting issues together to make a measured judgement and comment.

Milton's love has been professional development, and he can take pride in his achievements, both in his studies and in his leadership of the Professional Development Committee. Milton was responsible for the introduction and development of the Dimensions of Learning Program in this school. The ability of staff to respond to these initiatives is a tribute to the respect he has from staff, together with his capacity for hard work and persistence.

It is hard to imagine Princes without Milton. He has been a stalwart as deputy to two Headmasters and embodies much for which Princes stands. He will be missed as a person, as a teacher and as a friend.

Adrian Brown:

Milton is someone who naturally aspires to that long held PAC ideal of a Christian gentleman. His commitment to excellence, his willingness to listen and his desire to support are hallmarks of Milton's character. With boys who were finding difficulty with work or personal relationships within the school, Milton always sought to restore them to a comfortable attitude to life and learning. We will miss Milton and his example as a Princes man.

Conrad Mathias:

For members of Rushton House, it has been instructive to observe Milton treading his justly famous "fine line" between maintaining order and encouraging excitement and enthusiasm. His example has been a wonderful model for us all. We have appreciated his grace and style, and his interest in, and concern for, boys so far from home. Thank you, Milton, for combining the wisdom of Solomon with the wit of Ecclesiastes.

"He nothing common did or mean
Upon that memorable scene."

Viv Jenson:

Every individual associated with Prince Alfred College will have anecdotes to share about their interactions with Milton Haseloff. The recurrent theme however remains the same: a man dedicated to excellence, his own as much as his colleagues' and his students'. There is nothing that he would ask of others that he would not be prepared to do himself. He is an expert in his field, with a library of reference materials generously shared. He is a genuinely interested supporter of every aspect of the school's program-he might materialise at any match, competition, performance, display or any group where staff or students are involved. He believes in the rights of the individual and he will not allow injustice to anyone. He is generous with his talents and will offer advice when it is sought, and he has proven himself to be a good listener: this open door policy to teachers and students, despite the pressure of his work, has been remarked upon by the many who have benefited .He is a warm person, with a sometimes wicked humour, carefully concealed of course beneath his very proper demeanour.

The range and strength of his character have been exhibited over his years at Princes: Milton Haseloff has been a most significant figure in the evolution of Prince Alfred College.

Ken Watson:

From my first meeting with Milton Haseloff I saw him as a thoughtful, analytical, scholarly man who chose his words carefully. He has a remarkable ability for drawing several elements together, which has allowed him to provide a rationale for a course of action which has been important in guiding boys. It has also been a powerful force in directing the energies of teachers as he has led the Professional Development Program.

In this context, Milton has maintained an absolute commitment to two key principles.

The first is the notion of teachers as "reflective practitioners" and the second is the central position of learning in schools. The notion that the process of cognition is the essence of what schools are about, expressed in our case in the form of the Dimensions of Learning, is Milton's greatest legacy to PAC.

Just as Milton has been committed to professional development, so also has he been committed to simple pragmatic notions of what is important in running a successful school. Milton is a firm believer in the importance of school traditions, constantly reinterpreted as time passes, but never losing sight of the core values those traditions express. He maintains a high regard for such occasions as full school assemblies in establishing the mood and inculcating the values of the school. Above all Milton values simple everyday routines, with the highest possible expectations of dress, deportment, and demeanour in establishing and maintaining that intangible yet so critical "school tone".

I consider it a privilege to have worked with Milton Haseloff. He has been of inestimable importance to this school, to a huge number of teachers, and to a far greater number of students who have been touched by his influence.

Roger Marshman:

It is hard for me to say, after working alongside Milton for 24 years, which of his qualities and which of his roles I value most.

Perhaps more than anyone else, I have been privileged to work in concert with Milton as a Teacher, first when for several years we taught parallel classes of Year 12 (or Matriculation as we called it then) English; subsequently, we have together kept alive the study of that supposedly dead language, Latin. Supported by his love of great literature and his masterful appreciation of precision and elegance in the use of language, the hallmarks of Milton's teaching have been meticulous preparation, utter clarity of explanation and the setting of challenging and meaningful tasks for his students.

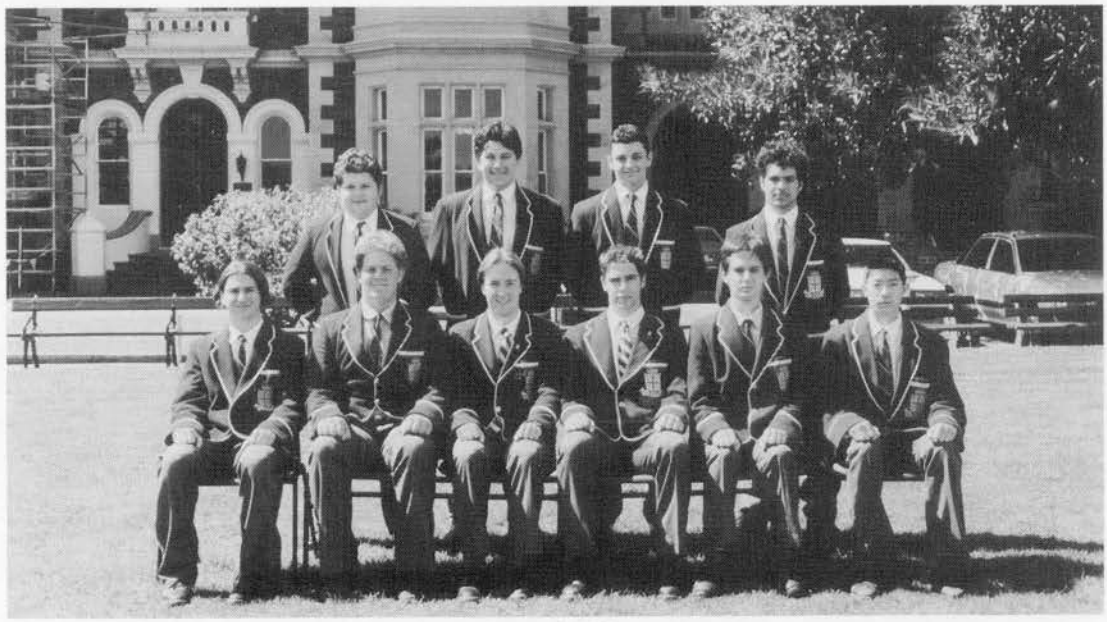
Then there is Milton the Administrator: measured, loyal, insightful, politically skillful and professionally supportive of his colleagues far beyond the bounds of duty and often enough beyond the bounds of an ordinary mortal's patience.

After a difficult disciplinary matter involving a student who was thought by some to have been unlucky to be caught, I recall saying to Milton, "No-one could ever say that you did not act according to principle" and he replied, utterly in character, "And that's all right with me."

A man of principle indeed – fearless, firm and fair — Milton has been a consummate schoolmaster, with all that this rather unfashionable word implies; dedication, loyalty, wisdom and a patient concern for students, challenged especially in recent years by a bewilderingly changing world and the shifting sands of pluralism. Milton has a commitment to the transmission of cultural heritage: his recent assembly talks, redolent with classical references and images from his researches into school history are an expression of that. But he is no hideaway mindlessly clinging to the past. Few educators could have done more than Milton to awaken in a school a lively awareness of some of the more productive developments in pedagogy and cognitive psychology, as shown through his leadership of the school's commitment to Dimensions of Learning.

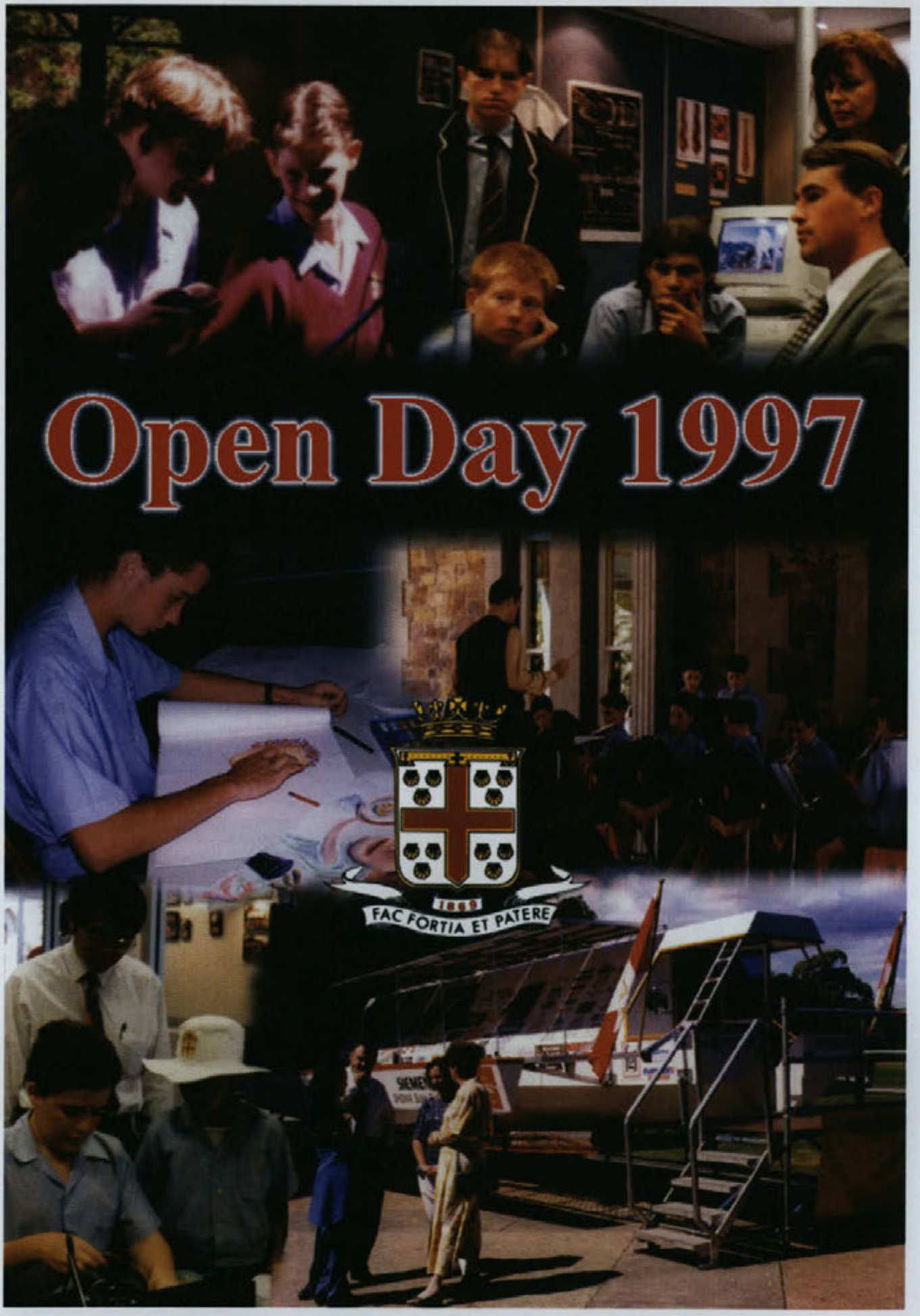
I think of Milton in the most positive senses of both words as a radical conservative, concerned to enable our students to think independently, to be manly, to ask fundamental questions and to dare to stand up for right; not to compromise principle, not to be overcome by superstitions, ancient or modern, but to value tenaciously the good that comes to us from the past.

On behalf of all the students, thank you and best wishes to Mr. Haseloff, from the Class of 1985.



Class of 1985

Back Row (L to R): *M.J. Pettman, V.G. Palios, N.P. Dean, C.J. Pappas*
Front Row(L to R): *J.J De Maria, R.G. Barber, J.W. Adams, T.J. Tamblyn, T.J. Moretti, T.W.C. Chong*


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Message from the Master-in-Charge of Prince Alfred College Preparatory School

1996 finished in a flourish with the Reception to Year 3 Nativity Play and the Year 7 Graduation which are always most positive occasions. This year, for the first time, we needed two performances of the Nativity Play to cope with the numbers of parents and relatives who wished to attend.

Robertson won the Welch House Cup for 1996 in a very close finish and our 'A' cricket and tennis teams made the trip to Western Australia for the annual competitions against South Australian and Western Australian schools.

At the end of 1996 we farewelled Mr Rob Coulls, our PE teacher of eighteen years, and Ms Tracy Callinan, our music teacher for the last four years. Mr Coulls took up a position as PE teacher/Assistant Boarding House Master in the Senior School and Ms Callinan became the principal of the School of Future Music. We wish both of them well in their new positions. Ms Alison Hunt was farewelled in November to work for two years in our partner school, the Tunku Putra International School in Kuching, Malaysia, and Ms Robbie Hill took a year's leave during 1997. In the second half of 1997, Ms Susan Lindner took six months leave to travel overseas and Ms Rebecca Heath took her place covering her R/1 class on contract.

At the beginning of 1997 we welcomed two new staff, Mrs Candace Kruger (Music) and Mr Scott Shepherd (PE/Sportsmaster); both staff have made their presence felt during the year and we look forward to a long association. We also welcomed Edward Goodworth, a GAP student from Kent, England, who worked with Mr Shepherd for the first two terms.

In Term 2 we welcomed Dean Docking from Hutchins School in Hobart, Tasmania for a week's exchange and in August, David McLaren returned his visit by going to Hutchins School for a week.

1997 has again been a full year with boys excelling in Music, Chess, Sport, Art, Public Speaking, Debating, Solar Car and Solar Boat Design and Development, Oliphant Science Awards, Westpac Maths and exchanges between our Year 4/5 classes and classes at Seymour.

In debating, Matthew Davis, Alex Politis, Tom Ellison and James Cuthbertson participated in the semi finals which was our fifth year in a row, but even though they won they missed out on a spot in the finals. George Raptis came third in the JSHAA Public Speaking Finals for 1997 and Aaron Garry won the Prince Alfred Collegians Lodge Short Talk Competition.

In Chess we were again outstanding winning the Koshnitsky Shield for the third year in a row; the SA Junior Chess League Primary Schools 'C' Grade Shield being the SA Inter-School Champions, 'A' Grade Primary Winners, the 'C' Grade Champion and the 'C' Grade Central winners.

We were proud that Nicholas Tormay, Myalls Fawcett, Thomas Cuthbertson and Tom Farrant gained prizes in the 1996 Oliphant Science Awards.

In Music the choirs and instrumental groups were again very busy with two choirs in the Junior School Heads Association Festival; Jamie Selway, Christian Blair and Jordan Allen being chosen for the JSHAA Concert Band and a strong contingent of boys demonstrating our prowess in percussion.

In the Jack de Vidas Art Competition, Hugh Milton was the overall prize winner for 1996 with prizes to Michael Chrisohoou, Thomas Haskard and James Harbard. Congratulations also to Joseph Crosby for his outstanding results in the 1996 Westpac Maths Competition and for gaining a prize. High Distinctions went to Michael Buxton, Ben Hall, Chris Olver and Cameron Doody.

At the end of 1996 we were successful in winning the SAPSASA State Baseball Competition which is the second time we have achieved this. Considering we don't have baseball as part of our sporting program this was a fine outcome.

In sport during 1997 our various teams again performed well. However, apart from our successful soccer teams and a very close 'A' Football team result, the Intercol against Saints was not one of our best. Congratulations also to George Raptis on coming second in the Year 8 SAPSASA Skiing Championships and to our teams who did so well in the Year 7 Championships.

School and House Captains who are listed in the following pages have been outstanding during 1997, and I would like to commend them for their attention to detail and consistency over the year.

Year 7 boys gaining scholarships and prizes following academic distinction in the scholarship examinations are as follows: The J. R Robertson Scholarship was shared by Christian Blair and Edward Heddle and the James Ashton Prize was awarded to Michael Davies. We are pleased these boys have done so well and look forward to their continuing success. The winner of the Michael Wills Prize for 1996 was Tom Magain.

In March 1997 we held our Open Day. This was the first Open Day for at least three years and was most successful. With several thousand visitors moving through the school it was a great opportunity to open our classrooms to the public. At the end of Term 1, a group of Year 7 and Year 8 boys went to Noumea to participate in a more intensive French experience. The boys enjoyed the trip and many thanks to Ms Jane Gregory and Mr Craig Bowyer for supporting this venture.

At the beginning of 1997 we were fortunate to replace our JP playground, repave the area and provide extra seating for the boys. The considerable cost involved was met jointly by the Parents and Friends of both sections of the school, and by Prince Alfred College. We are indeed grateful for the year long activities of the Parents and Friends Prep School to cover most of the cost of the equipment. The resulting playground is a huge improvement.

Master in Charge and P & F President's Report

Thank you to all of our parents for the work you do in the school to provide extra facilities, support sport, hear reading, help in the library and assist at Grandies Day, at Open Day and other special functions. Your help is most appreciated.

The boys again have gone to considerable lengths to support others, both here and overseas. In doing this they have collected for a Fijian Village Library in Korolevu, Luis Angel Gonzales, the Medical College Hospital in India, UNICEF, cans for the Salvation Army, the Adelaide Central Mission and the Christmas Toy Collection. It is important that we help boys focus on others and their needs.

Congratulations to the twenty boys who were part of our 1997 Pedal Prix Team. They won two awards; "The Most Innovative Vehicle" and the Primary "Design and Construction Award" and came sixth over all. The boys designed and built the vehicle over four terms showing determination and persistence. Special thanks to Mr Phil McLaughlin for his leadership and expertise in this area.

In September, we farewelled Dr Steve Weisz, his wife Gloria and his sons, Shep in Year 7 and Kirk in Year 11. We enjoyed our association with the Weisz family as they entered into the life of the school so well. Steve, in supporting the boys, and Gloria in assisting Leisa Moore in Art. Shep's efforts on the soccer field, in cross country and in class were also appreciated. We hope they settle back into Tusculum College, Tennessee easily and that we will see them again soon.

A busy year with many achievements and one to look back upon with pride. We have a fine staff in the Preparatory School who give considerable effort and time to ensure the boys have the best possible education. This attribute is supported by a fine parent and student body which, when all put together, makes a fine school.

Ian M. Penny
Master-in-Charge
1 October 1997

Prep School P & F President's Report 1997

1997 has been both a busy and fruitful year for the Preparatory School Parents and Friends Association. The year has indeed been full of varied, successful and entertaining functions and activities. The Prep School Committee traditionally began the year by providing refreshments for parents at the swimming carnival. On the same evening we assisted and welcomed new parents at the cocktail party held at the Headmaster's residence. In the first term we assisted with Open Day and also assisted the Music Faculty with the advertising, promoting and providing of supper for their 'Gala Music Recital'. In the same week representatives on the committee worked and liaised with the Junior Primary teachers in the planning and implementation of the Junior Primary 'Obstacle-a-thon'. The purpose of this was for the boys to be able to be actively involved with helping to raise funds for their new playground as well as become more confident in their use of the new equipment. Their efforts were rewarded with a commemorative medallion, certificate of participation, icy pole and drinks!

In the second term we enjoyed 'high tea' at the Adelaide Hilton where 156 ladies enjoyed a delightful and entertaining morning with our special guest speaker, Anne Wills. In June we were the guests of the Gas Company with Peter Milosevic cooking up various culinary delights for our Gourmet Cooking Evening. In August we saw the coming together of 176 Prep School parents and friends at a dinner dance held at the Semaphore Palais. We dined and danced to the music of The James Brothers and had a great time. This was one of the highlights of this year. In November we held our annual Melbourne Cup Lunch at the Botanic Gardens Restaurant.

Apart from all these social functions the P & F has further supported the Prep School with various other school orientated activities. On Opening Night of Arts Week we operated a coffee and cake stall which was very popular and later that week we organised a special lunch order day for the boys to promote healthy eating.

Sports Day 97 was again a special day on our calendar. Although the task of providing lunches for all the boys and their parents was huge, both the committee and other volunteers worked together and helped to make the day a great success.

Once again the P & F provided a prize for the most successful Year 4/5 entrant in the Jack de Vidas Art Competition held in November.

The main focus of this year's fundraising was to complete payment of the new Junior Primary playground which was installed at the beginning of the year. The amount needed was $6,700.00. Due to the financial success of our functions, some funds were also allocated for the purchase of a large welcome mat with the school emblem for the Prep School office foyer. The remaining funds are still to be allocated to areas of need.

In conclusion, I would like to thank all the committee members for their time, support, hard work and enthusiasm throughout the year. The class representatives have supported the school by ensuring our committee's functions were a success as well as being responsible for organising opportunities for parents in their son's class to meet socially and informally. For this I also thank them.

A special thank you to Dr Brian Webber and Mr Ian Penny for their support and guidance throughout the year. To our patrons Mrs Beverley Webber and Mrs Carys Penny, our many thanks also. A heartfelt thank you to Mrs Irma Landi and Ms Michele Diamond for all their administrative support. To all parents, teachers, groundsmen, kitchen staff and the wider school community, our thanks and gratitude for their support during the year. Finally to my executive committee, Mrs Jenny Noske, Mrs Felicity Hawkes and Mrs Carol Perks, my sincerest thanks for their tireless efforts, support and most importantly, their friendship. To all the new committee members for 1998, I extend a very warm welcome and wish them every success.

Eula Chrisohoou
Prep School P & F President

Cricket 1997

A1 Cricket 1996 - 97

The A-1 Team completed the 1996 season in a grand fashion, winning all its matches and all members playing with very good skills.

To complete the season, the team played in the annual cricket carnival which was held in Perth and our boys were hosted by Hale students. The team won all 5 of its matches. Members of the team who are now part of the 1997 side, were Jon Tamblyn, Paul Kapiris, Luke Richards and Evan Coombe.

The 1997 season began slowly with changes and postponement of matches due to extreme heat. However all matches were played and all team members made great progress with skills in all departments. The team enthusiasm and spirit was pleasing to note. Luke Richards was elected captain and Paul Kapiris the vice captain of the team. Good batting scores were made by John Tamblyn, Sam Hurburgh, Paul Kapiris, Luke Richards, and Dino Vrynios. Results:- PAC 210 defeated C.B.C. 109, PAC 50 lost to S.P.S.C. 152, PAC 287 defeated Pembroke 60. Members of the team were Luke Richards, Paul Kapiris, Jon Tamblyn, Evan Coombe, Sam Hurburgh, Ben Murray, Michael Bethune, Richard Denton, Sam Knight, Dino Vrynios, Evan Lucas, Leigh Shelvis and Chris Spencer.

Mr R W Hurn Coach

B1 Cricket

It was a great team effort to win 2 out of 3 matches in an unseasonal first term of cricket. Best bowlers were 'The Paceman' Matthew Davis, James Thomas, Matthew Rex and Michael Popp, with Jordan Allen providing encouraging off-spin. Best with the bat were Andrew Siciliano with aggressive opening batting, Matthew Rex with strong hitting and Gareth Roberts' steady play.

All boys contributed to the cohesive team effort, and the team was captained in excellent style by James Thomas. Well done boys.

Mr Malcolm Dolman, Coach

A2 Cricket

The A2 Cricket side experienced a short season this term. Unfortunately our first game was restricted to one day, as day two was cancelled due to the heat. We won the toss and chose to field against St Ignatius. We restricted St Ignatius to 171 runs after 47 overs. Evan Lucas bowled superbly and collected 4 wickets for 22 runs.

The second game, against St Peters, was also restricted to a one day game as one day was cancelled due to rain. This game proved to be a great learning experience in the field and with the bat. Adam Temple scored 18, Matthew Mitolo 24 and Matthew Myhill 21. After 29 overs each the final result was St Peters 3 for 153 and PAC 9 for 122. Finally, we had the opportunity to play a two day game against Scotch. Mother Nature was on our side for both days and the boys were bursting at the seams to play. PAC won the toss and elected to bat, only our second batting opportunity for the season. Matthew Myhill scored 21, James Dalwood 18 and Leigh Schelvis a disciplined 45 not out to help our score reach 170. Day 2 in the field was inspiring. The boys bowled accurately and a concentrated effort in the field restricted Scotch to a hard earned 87. Daniel Tsagouris took 4 wickets for 2, Leigh Schelvis 2 for 20 and Paul-Alexander Politis 2 for 0. A great win to end the term. Thank you to the parents for the support on Saturday mornings, especially Mr Lucas, Mr Morton, Mr Broadbent, Mr Dalwood, Mr Politis and Mr Myhill.

The members of the A2 Cricket team were Evan Lucas, Leon Morton, Toby Medlin, Matthew Myhill, Edward Grieve, James Dalwood, Matthew Broadbent, Daniel Tsagouris, Blake Galea, Adam Temple, Paul-Alexander Politis, Christopher Spencer, Leigh Schelvis and Matthew Mitolo.

Miss Terry-Sue Learmonth, Coach

B3 Cricket

During term one the B3 cricket team improved significantly in focus and enthusiasm, achieving pleasing results in a number of matches. In particular they made great strides in the area of running between the wickets as well as improving their general game skills and support for their team mates.

B2 Cricket

In between camps and rainy weather, we managed to play quite a few cricket games in term one. The boys were a little rusty to begin the season, but within no time were playing as a team and improving their skills. Skill development was a major big focus this year and we were very fortunate to have the services of Malcolm Dolman from SACA to assist with this aspect. Tuesday practices were spent working on different skills and concentrating on team play. Although we got very close to winning several times, we only won one game. I was however, very impressed with the improvement made by each boy during the season. The boys were a pleasure to coach, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank Julie House for her assistance with scoring, and Mark Wright for umpiring every week.

Mrs Sally Wright, Coach.

Year 4 Cricket

In Term 1 we ran a series of coaching clinics for 23 enthusiastic Year 4 boys. These sessions were held each Wednesday afternoon and were led most ably by Luke Williams who last year was Captain of the School First XI. Luke helped and encouraged the boys as they learnt and developed many basic skills. It was excellent to see their skill development as the sessions progressed and to see their enthusiasm as Luke coached them in a most positive and encouraging manner. The last two sessions were spent playing a game of Average Cricket to introduce the boys to the rules of the game played at this level.

The boys were very enthusiastic about these sessions and are looking forward to playing some competitive games against other schools in Term 4.

Mrs Marilyn Mosel, Year 4 Teacher.

Swimming & Tennis 1997

House Swimming

The carnival took place this year on what was a hot but pleasant day. It was pleasing to see such a large number of children participating in heats to gain points for their respective Houses. In the end the winner of the Gramp Cup was Chapple with 366 points, Robertson was second with 319 points and Mitchell finished with 312 points. Luke Richards and Benjamin Murray tied for Open Champion, David Leung won the U/12 Champion, James Cuthbertson won the U/11 Champion, William Phillips won the U/10 Champion and James Spriggins won the U/9 Champion. The Cox Trophy, awarded to the best Year 7 swimmer, went to Joseph Tapley.
A special mention must go to the House and Swimming Captains for their leadership on the day.

Mr Scott Shepherd

Swimming Race

Stretch yourself
When you hear the gun, you're off
I'm swimming as fast as I can
My arms are hurting
Mr McLaren's cheering
I'm winning
No I am second
Go! You hear the crowd roar

Robertson winning
Alex is crying
Come and pass the line
Everyone cheers

Nicholas Montarello 30

JP Swimming Carnival

On February 21 the Reception to Year 3 boys participated in the Junior Primary Swimming Carnival. Despite the high temperature there was a huge turnout of parents and friends who came to cheer on the swimmers. Each boy participated in three events based on skills which had been introduced to them during PE lessons. The focus on participation and enjoyment was obvious as all boys took part to the best of their ability. A number of Year 7 boys, led by the Swimming and House Captains, assisted and encouraged the boys through all their events, and contributed to the overall success of the day. Many thanks to all parents and staff for their support and involvement

Mrs Hilary Cayley & Miss Susan Lindner

A1 & A2 Tennis

The two A Tennis teams had mixed results this season. The A1 team was unable to obtain a win despite getting close several times. The A2's were able to win 3 out of their 5 matches. The extreme weather conditions made for an awkward season with many matches having to be cancelled. All players showed a great commitment towards their singles and doubles games with a marked improvement in skill level and teamwork evident towards the end of the season

Mr Scott Shepherd, Coach.

David Leung, Luke Richards, Nicholas Alvaro and Joseph Tapley with their medals after the SAPSASA Swimming day.



B1 and B2 Tennis
B1 Squad

Andrew Pomery, Todd Jones, William Dorsch, Hugh Perks, Luke Goode, Ben Raggatt, Tom Huxtable, Hugh Milton and John Besir.

B2 Squad

Charlie Phillis, Paul Wong, Christian Blair, John Seeley, Matthew Kildea, Justin Na, Michael Almond and Nikonus Pappas.
All the boys have been keen to improve their skills. They have put a great effort into the practice sessions on Tuesdays and as a result, have played with more confidence. Both squads have shown good team spirit and excellent sportsmanship.

Mrs Erica Parker, Coach.

C1 Tennis

The C1 tennis squad included; Trent Stollery, Nick Radbone, Paul Rech, Tom Treloar, Joe Tapley, Jordan Welden-Iley, Jordan Platis, Aaron McLaughlin, Alex White, George Georgiadis and Jeremy Close. Despite games being cancelled due to excessive heat and rain we had a very successful season. All boys showed improvement and displayed excellent sportsmanship. We are looking forward to next season.

Tennis C2

During Term 1, 1997, the C2 Tennis squad included; Alex Dorsch, William Phillips, William James, Scot Tyndall, Nicholas Rees, Michael Dodd, Christopher Donaldson, Matthew Neale, Nicholas Brommell and Adam Tassone. The boys were keen, enthusiastic players and won three of the four matches they played. Unfortunately the season was interrupted by the cancellation of matches due to excessive heat and rain! This was the first opportunity for the boys to represent PAC in a tennis team and for several boys it was the first time participating in matches. All boys displayed excellent sportsmanship and their skills and knowledge of the game improved enormously.

Mrs Leeanne Brook, Coach.

Reception/Year 1 1997

Our Trip to the Adelaide Central Market

We went to the market to buy healthy food. We bought apples then we bought bread then we bought honey. We bought milk and we bought ham.

We went on the bus. We loved the bus. Kane and Robert and James and mum were in the same group.

Robert Cannizzaro R/1B

One school morning we went in a bus to the market. In the bus we watched motor bikes. We got to the market and Ben and William and me bought salami and ham and bacon and the last thing was chicken bones. Then we got apples and we sat down and ate our apples.

We found the bus and went back to school.

Alfred Carlson R/1B

Our class went to the market. I was in Darian's group. We went to the shops and we bought stuff. Then we went back to school. We made soup and we ate it.

Joshua Kapitza R/1B

Wind in the Willows

The three R/1 classes went to the Botanic Gardens. We saw the "Wind in the Willows." I liked Portly because he is a good character and he is nice as well as funny. I liked Rat, Mole, Badger and Toad. I laughed when Rat rowed up in the boat.

Lachlan Stranks R/1BK

On Wednesday R/1Bk went to the Botanic Gardens. I liked Toad when he stole the motor car. The policeman saw Toad go too fast so he put Toad in gaol.

Andrew Dickson R/1BK

The "whole crew" down on the farm.



A Day in the Life Of A. . . .

A day in the life of a cow. In the morning I went for a run and then I ate some grass. Farmer Thomas milked me. I gave him 600mls of milk.

James Hilditch R/1L

A day in the life of a horse. In the morning I ate some grass then I dozed in the sun. Farmer went for a ride on my back.

Zaine Schmidt R/1L

A day in the life of a sheepdog. At 1 o'clock in the morning I woke up and ate my bone. Then I ran outside. I dug my bone. At 2 o'clock I had a sleep. At half past 3 I woke up and the dog show was on TV. At 6 o'clock Inspector Dog was on too. I then had another nap. It was an easy day because all the sheep were asleep.

Joseph Moore R/1L

A day in the Life of a farmer. In the morning I woke up and I ate some Wheat -bix. Then I milked the cow. I drank the milk, it tasted nice and beautiful.

Then it was time for lunch and I had lunch. I had toast with vegemite. I loved it. I also picked some apples and went home with my dog to eat them. He ate some of the apples too. He liked them too. My wife had some apples too. She also loved them. My wife went for a walk and she found a bone for the dog. She ran back home but she couldn't find the dog. The dog was in with the sheep in the paddock. She went into the paddock and said, "Here's a bone for you."

Alex Brown R/1L

Our Farm Excursion R1B

One day I was going to school and it was the farm excursion and I was so excited. I went inside my school and then we all sat down. After Mrs Bauer stopped talking we went to the toilet and we set off together to go to the farm.

We went in the bus and I was on the side by the window. I was sitting with Zasch. We went in the city then we went in the mountains. It was very cold in the mountains. We drove for a very long time.

When we got there we got into groups. We got off the bus and we got in a big circle and we watched the lady feed the lambs. Then we went to see the piglets and we went to see the chickens. The farmers told us their names. They had a rooster with a red crest and then we saw a pony. There was a baby sitting on the pony. We had recess then we went on the bus.

We drove to the dairy farm. They showed us how to milk a cow. We saw the milk that came out of the cow and then we had to wait for the other classes. We went out after the rain stopped and we went to see the cows and feed the baby cows. Then we saw the dogs and the baby dogs and then we got a photo taken.

We went in the bus to the shearing shed and we saw the sheep being shorn. The man put a bow around it's neck.

Then we went back to school.

John McMillan R/1B

Yesterday we went to the farm. We saw the sheep and the sheep was cut and we saw the little puppies. We rode on the bus. We saw a farm village. We saw pigs, cows, chickens and horses. The best part was eating recess outside.

Jae Woodroffe R/1B

I went on a farm excursion. We went on a bus to get there. It took a long time to get to the farm. I sat with James. When we got there we saw some lambs and some pigs and I learnt that pigs have little parts of fur. We saw a pony and a rooster. We saw some cows being milked.

Then we went to another farm and we saw a sheep being shorn and then we went back.

Benjamin May R/1B

Reception/Year 1 1997

The Company of Sinners "Good Mates"

The props were good, I liked the parrot.
(Jae Woodroffe)
I felt happy at the end because the bully became a good mate.
(Peter Toh)

I loved the actors when they were pirates.
(Robert Cannizzaro)

I was glad Peta helped the man.
(Ben May)

My favourite character was Chicken Legs.
(Kane Stone)
R/1B Boys

Reception Year 1 boys watching A Company Of Sinners perform their play "Good Mates".



Spring Poetry By R/1H

S wimming starts
P igs eat more
R abbits hop higher
I play more now
N ight time is cold
G etting hotter
Jeremy Broadbent R/1H

S eptember starts
P eople start to play
R abbits hatch
I go picking berries
N obody gets sick
G etting blue
Samuel Valkonen R/1H

S un comes up
P eople playing ball
R unning fast
I 'm going to the zoo
N obody has a heater on
G etting hotter
James Mangos R/1H

S wimming starts
P eople pick flowers
R abbits hop
I play more now
N ight time is cold
G etting hotter now
Zaine Schmidt R/1H

Wind in the Willows

During Term 1, the boys in R/1Bk read and compared different texts of "Wind in the Willows. " On March 19th we walked to the Botanic Gardens to watch an excellent theatrical presentation of the story.

Mrs Leeanne Brook

In May this year the boys attended a wonderful performance by the Company of Sinners, "Good Mates". The bright costumes, colourful settings and lively dialogue held the interest of the audience as the actors shared their message of how to cope with bullying and harassment.

Mrs Lyn Bauer



R/1 Brook boys at the performance of "Wind in the Willows".

Year 2 & Year 3 1997



Patrick De Ruvo enjoying Cleland Wild Life Park.

Power Play

On June 17 we went on an excursion to the Investigator Science Centre. Mr McLaren drove us in the minibus and we had a lot of fun telling lots of jokes. When we got there it was still early but they let us in so we got a turn before the other schools. We played lots of games with computers and could watch people using a video. We took photos of each other and then dressed them up in a disguise on the computer. You could play with model trains and try and stop them crashing into each other by changing the signals. My favourite part was stealing the diamond. Charlie and I got it out because we worked out how to do it. Then a lady came and talked to us about electricity before we were picked up again.

Thomas Blanch 2/3C

The Hero

A long time ago in a land far away lived a hero. He did not live in a castle or a big house. He had a twig house. He slept on straw and ate on the ground. To make himself warm he would get two sticks and two rocks and rub them.

He always ate eggs and he always walked down the road to get exercise. He would walk to his friend's house on the way to buy his eggs.

One day on the way to buy his eggs he thought he would try to fly. He discovered that he could not fly. He tried and tried but he could not do it. So he asked a bird and the bird said, "Put on a cape and flap your arms". It was amazing. He started to fly. So from that day on he decided that some days he would fly and sometimes he would walk.

Joseph Cuzzocrea 2P

Space

Space ships carrying people to the moon.
People discovering new things each time.
Astronauts floating in space.
Can you fly to space?
Everyone should try to go to Mars.

Alexander Michell 30

Quolls

A cry of pain
And suddenly a deathly silence strikes.
A quiet munching,
Sounds of grinding teeth.
Fast asleep is everyone.
But before you know
What is happening
You'll only be blood and bone.
Beware
Mice, birds and all!
For death is lurking
In the shadows of the moon.
Lightning flashes.
A mysterious padding sound
Can be heard
And a sudden screech
As a bird is locked
In deadly combat
With a quoll.
The first ray of light appears.
All is calm.
Quolls disappear.

Thomas Cuthbertson 2/3C

The King and Queen

A long time ago in a land far away lived a King. He lived with the Queen in a castle near the forest. The King always got up had a shower and had breakfast. He also had to go out and fight other Kings because they were taking over his kingdom. They had already taken three quarters of it.

One day when the King was out fighting one of the other Kings took the Queen. When the King got back he wondered where the Queen was. He decided to look for her. When he couldn't find her anywhere he thought that the other Kings might have taken her. The next day when the King was out fighting he sent one of his knights secretly to go to the giant palace where all the other Kings lived. When he got there he saw someone guarding the Queen. There was a tree near the palace and the Queen was tied up to it at the ankles and shoulders. So he fought the guard and killed him. Then he rescued the Queen. He took her back to the castle where the King was waiting. When they got their kingdom back they lived happily ever after.

Christopher Harry 2P

Ben Francis from 2P working during "activity time".

The cat that was flat

One day I was going on a holiday and I was taking my cat Robert to the cattery. We put Robert in the back of the car. When we came to take him out, he was flat!

We drove away from the cattery quickly and went to the vet. The vet didn't know what to do because he'd never seen a flat animal so we went home to see what we could do.

First we ended the holiday and then we started thinking. Then there was a knock on the door. When we answered the door there were some cameramen from Seven Nightly News! They asked us what we thought about having a flat cat, but we didn't know. We thought it was quite annoying because Robert could sneak under the doors to get outside when the doors were closed.

Once they were gone we watched TV. Dad watched Channel Seven. We saw Seven Nightly News. On it we saw us! It was because they knocked on the door and asked about Robert.

One day we were going to move house. We rolled Robert up and put him in the post because it was less bother. When Robert arrived at our new house, dad got his bike pump out and joined the old garden hose on. When it was dinner time, Dad put the hose and bike pump joined together in Robert's dinner. When Robert put his mouth at the end of the hose, dad used the bike pump to pump air into Robert through his mouth.

Gradually Robert became round with the air that Dad pumped into him. We were very glad he was back to normal.

Angus Gillott 2P



Year 2 & Year 3 1997

The Boy and the Bamboo Flute

On February 24 we went to the Prince Philip Theatre to see "The Boy and the Bamboo Flute". This story is an old traditional tale from Vietnam. The story is about a Princess and a boy who wanted to become friends but the King forbade this from happening. The boy and the Princess went out into the woods to play and the girl was caught by the evil Demon. The boy tried to find the Princess and along the way he faced many challenges. Finally he reached the Demon and defeated him by playing his flute. The boy and Princess got married and lived happily ever after. We really enjoyed this story because only two actors played the many different characters. They used a scarf to represent the different characters.

Year 30 Boys

Cleland Wildlife Park

On Monday 24 February 1997 2/3C visited Cleland Wildlife Park which is in the hills. We travelled by bus and it took twenty-five minutes. When we got there we realised that it was much cooler there than at school where it was really hot. We had to wait for Mrs Cayley to put us in groups and give us bags of food. We saw many kangaroos and I got to feed them. I fed one and it tickled my hand. I saw a joey and got to feed that too. We visited the Tasmanian Devil. It was running all over the place in his own space which had a few trees for shade and his own little shed to sleep in. We went over to the dingoes. One was white and the other was light brown. They were asleep and had a pond to themselves and lots and lots of trees. We walked over the bridge and learnt all about the dingo and saw a dingo trap. Someone had walked into one and had to go to hospital. When we visited the ducks they were really tired and one or two were basking in he sun while the others were resting in the shade. One came flying down onto the water and did a skid. It was fun to watch. We visited the koalas and they felt very very furry, like a smooth woollen carpet. They had their own shade home. My favourite animals were the kangaroos. They were cute when I fed them. We had a great day.

Brandon Lovell 2/3C

The Wind In The Willows.

On Monday February 17 Year 3s went to see the "Wind in the Willows" at the Botanic Gardens. We had to move all around the gardens to watch the different scenes. The story is about a Toad who is very selfish and always gets into mischief.

His friends Ratty, Badger and Mole are vary caring and try to keep him out of trouble. It was a funny play and we all enjoyed it very much. Mrs Montarello made delicious muffins for us to eat while we watched the play.

Nicholas Montarello & James Carter 30

Cleland Wildlife Park

On Monday 30 and 2/3C went to Cleland Wildlife Park. We got there by bus. When we went inside they gave us some animal food. We went there because we were learning about animals. First we went and saw the Kangaroos. One of the Kangaroos slobbered on my hand! We stayed with the Kangaroos for three minutes. When we got to the Tasmanian Devil it was feeding time. I threw a piece of meat at it (not a boy). After that we went to the Dingoes and one jumped up and howled at me. Then we saw a Koala in a very big gum tree. We went to the bird aviary and I saw a real parrot. Then we saw the water birds and a duck kissed a swan. We then had our lesson. We touched real lizards and snakes. It was then time to go back to school. I enjoyed Cleland very much. It was fun!

Nicholas Tormay 30

Amrit Sandhu and Alexander Giulianetti at Cleland Wildlife Park.



The Lurking Shadow

A camouflaged hunter
Sneaking in the bushes
Hears something rustling
In the long grass.
In a snap the gun goes off and. . .
Pounce!!!
The tiger takes off at an extreme speed.
There's a long silence. . .
The tiger has had his feast.

Patrick De Ruvo 2/3C

Dolphins

Swimming through the light, dark waters.
Tail flicking up and down.
Baby nuzzling against its mother
Until a sudden shadow appears.
The Dolphin hides.
Cute, grey shiny skin
Doing tricks and playing around.
Friendly, friendly as can be.
Swimming, squirting, jumping around.
Swimming in the sea so blue.
Being as quiet as a mouse.

Simon Keith 2/3C

Year 4 1997

Take Over - Year 4 Style

Year 4 boys joined in the Take Over Festival activities this year by viewing two productions. They were "Wake Baby", a musical written by Gillian Rubenstein, and "Dreamcatcher", a program devoted to the culture of the North American Indian.

"Wake Baby" was a stunning production. On a dramatic set, the story evolved with the movements of the actors and the beautiful music. It was a production of a kind the boys had not experienced before where they were required to use their imaginations to interpret the actions and feelings the author was showing the audience.

"Dreamcatcher" was a very different production and was set more informally in the big Circus Tent. An Indian family told some of the stories of their culture through music, dance and stories, explaining their traditional way of life. They explained how their crafts had changed as they became involved with the cultures of the newer settlers in North America, and how many new things are used now to help tell the old stories.

Some of the boys were lucky enough to participate in a complicated dance with hops.

Mrs Marilyn Mosel & Miss Terry Learmonth, Year 4 Teachers.

HAIKU

Beautiful blossoms
All of them in shades of pink
Smelling very sweet

Tom Oliver 4M

Rhythm Works

On September 16, four people who work at our School brought their band called "Rhythm Works" to play during Arts Week. They played a couple of songs and one was called "Rhythm Works". It sounded really good. It was loud, soft, loud and soft over and over again. One of the men, called Jim, was very funny. He liked to play "Mary Had a Little Lamb".

I would give this performance 10/10 because it was good and also funny.

Reece Schlaikier 4M

HAIKU

Squirrels picking nuts
Birds singing in cherry trees
Streams flowing gently

Martin Gross 4M

"Goldilocks" - Performed by Year 10 Students.

During Arts Week my class, 4M, and other classes went to the Prince Philip Theatre to see the pantomime "Goldilocks". It was similar to the ones in books and videos. The differences were that Goldilocks was a boy not a girl and the three bears ate pizza and garlic bread as well as porridge. It was performed by the Year 10 Drama students.

It started off when the three bears were eating porridge and they found out that their porridge was not right but either too hot or too cold. So they decided that they wanted KFP (Kentucky Fried People) or Pizza. They chose Pizza. The Baby Bear and the Father Bear argued over who should order the Pizza. Finally the Mama Bear said that she would order it and she did.

While she was ordering the Pizza, the other two bears were fighting. When the Mama Bear had finished ordering, the little bear kept boasting that he had beaten Father Bear twice.

Next the Pizza Man came, but he was not a good actor, so the bears asked the Director if he would replace him and another actor became the Pizza Man. When that was done, Baby Bear paid with his Mastercard and then he had another argument with Father Bear. After that they all decided to go to the Pizza shop as they had forgotten to order garlic bread. While the bears were gone, Goldilocks (the boy) came and ate some of their Pizza. He sat on their chairs, but they were either too hard or too soft. Finally he got to Baby Bear's and that was just right. At that moment it broke! The three bears returned home so Goldilocks hid under the table. We had to tell the bears where Goldilocks was hiding. When the bears caught him they asked us what they should do with him. They chose none of our suggestions, but at that moment Goldilocks said that he was good at making porridge. The three bears gave him a chance and he made three bowls which they said were delicious. The three bears and Goldilocks lived happily ever after. Overall, I gave this play 9/10 because it was not good that all boys were used to act out this play.

Benjamin Luu 4M

Impressions of Arts Week Opening Night

On September 15, PAC had a celebration for the Opening of Arts Week. One of the major events was the March that the Prep School did that night.

The R/1's dressed up as aliens, Years 2 and 3 dressed as people from outer space and astronauts, Year 4 and 5 dressed up in Asian costumes, Year 6 as pirates and the Year 7 boys dressed in casual clothes with their hair coloured all sorts of colours.

We all had instruments that we had made to play. R/1 had plastic tubes with hard things inside to shake from side to side to make a banging noise and they decorated them with coloured streamers and contact. The 2's had an empty plastic bottle with rice inside which they shook and it sounded like a "sh, sh, sh, sh, sh," noise. They decorated them too. Year 3 had instruments the same as Year 2. Year 4 and 5 had drums. We had to bring a metal tin for our drums and we used a chopstick or satay stick with a cork on the end to make a beater. It made a nice sound like a drum noise. We decorated the drums with spray paint, contact and streamers. Year 6 had instruments made from a lot of little beer tops with a nail going through them to a piece of wood. They decorated them and shook them to make a noise. Year 7 had instruments made from a large piece of bumpy plastic pipe with string going halfway down the pipe so it was curved. Then they decorated them and they made a loud noise when they played them on the bumps.

4M made colourful carp kites using coloured pieces of paper glued on to look like scales and then stuck them onto brown paper shaped like a carp. We had to get a piece of cane to hold the mouth open and we got some nylon line and tied it to the carp and a piece of bamboo.

My favourite part was the fireworks because they were colourful. I thought Opening Night was 10/10 because it was very exciting.

Ben Magain 4M

Clouds

Clouds float in the sky,
Nothing to do except rain
Or play with the sun.

Reece Schlaikier 4M

Year 4 & Year 5 1997

Year 4/5 Theme Day

At the end of Term 1 the boys in the Year 4/5 classes combined for a theme day based on 'Flight'.

Our day commenced with an introduction to kites with Gary from "The Kite Factory". Throughout the rest of the day the boys rotated and completed activities in Science, Maths, English and Society and Environment. The boys had a lot of fun acquiring new skills and extending their knowledge.

Comments from the boys included:-

I enjoyed

*making parachutes and flying them off the stairs and watching them glide

*painting the big serpent when we painted the kites

*writing poems about flight

I learnt

*how to make parachutes

*about Korea

*Aussies invented the box kite

*how air pressure can make things float

*how to draw a map of Australia without tracing or doing it free hand

*who invented kites

*aeroplanes were made with the idea of kites

*how to do adding with big numbers

*that you don't have to rhyme to write a poem

Goldilocks

Humourous and funny baby bear.
Sensible and smart mother bear.
Witty and sharp papa bear.
Thief and taker with golden hair,
Goldilocks caught hiding under the chair.

Peter Savvas 4/5L

There were:

There were
Turtles, turtles, turtles.
Shy and happy turtles,
Brave and smelly turtles
Small turtles, slim turtles,
There were turtles.

Jamie Bahnisch 4/5L

Arts Week Opening Night

Syncho- pa-ta-ta. Our rhythm starts and we're off.

We march toward the Assembly Hall on the sides of the path. The sea of faces smile at us.

The three drummers have stopped walking and are now standing there drumming. We walk into our positions like it is second nature.

The greeting is given to the spectators in three different languages:- French, Chinese and English. After the welcome we sing our Nigerian Greeting song "Gau Hoo".

A fantastic way to begin the festivities of Arts Week.

Michael Healy 4/5L



Tom Haskard, Ben Stewart and Adam Tassone conducting experiments in 4/5L.

Opening Night

Nervously I wait.
Two bells ring.
Muster.
I walk from my classroom
Friends and I chatter.
Shared excitement.
Last minute instructions.
A clash of symbols, a banging of drums,
The parade moves off.
Excitement spreads through me.
Watching crowds stare in awe as we pass,
Others cheer and wave us on.
We reach the Assembly Hall.
Together,
Reception to Year 7,
We burst into song.
Speeches in Chinese, French and English.
The percussion group plays,
We feel their beats as they hit the drums with all their might.
It's our turn now.
I'm nervous.
I hope we keep in time.
As I play I feel great,
I'm part of a team.
The African Chant,
We stamp our feet,
We respond to the call.
It's over.
Time for food and fun.
Friendship continues.
We sit around the oval.
We wait, tired but excited for the fireworks.
Suddenly the oval is engulfed in brilliant coloured lights,
Spectacular sights.
Banging! Popping!
Whizzing! Fizzing!
We look into the sky for the brilliant displays.
Silence.
The crowd moves off.
A superb night.

Andrew Brook 4/5L

Fairy Tales

Fairy Tales have orientations,
And resolutions too.
Fiction Books have punctuation,
And encyclopedias have it too.
An author writes the books,
And sends them to the store,
The customers have a few good looks,
And buy them by the score.

Daniel Toh 4/5L

Year 5 1997

Food for Thought

On Sunday August 18 I visited Froggy Fred's Fish Factory with some friends. From the moment we arrived I could smell fish cooking.

We went inside and saw the delightful ocean blue walls. All around the room there were fountains spilling into large ponds of seaweed. As well as seaweed in the ponds there were fish. The tables were round and blue-green in colour. They were decorated not with flowers but with goldfish bowls.

We were greeted by Salamander Sam who led us to a table with beautifully carved blue chairs. He gave us all a menu. The range of food was marvellous and the prices great.

For my meal, first I ordered a bowl of schnapper soup then some whiting with chips. Next I had a piece of butterfish and a serve of fried prawns and tartar sauce. During the meal there was always music playing but after the meal there was a live performance by a teenage band called 'Silver Frog'.

After a dessert of jelly and ice cream I had a look around. To my delight there were six Nintendos in a corner as entertainment for bored kids!

In a back garden there were a few swings and wheelchair access. In the main building there are some very clean toilets which I used, thankfully. In a large room there were some pool tables and some dart boards.

Overall I enjoyed my trip to the Fish Factory due to good service and the prices of one dollar per dish.

Chris Prior 5P

Year 5 at the Take Over Festival

Year 5 visited the "Wayang Theatre" in Elder Park to see the shadow puppet play "Tranti" which was being presented as part of the Take Over Festival.

On Thursday, April 3, 5P and 5H went to a Shadow Puppet play called "Tranti" which was presented by "I Wayan Wija". It had a gamelan orchestra in the background which added more action to it. It had further features like the puppet screen, a flame for the light, umbrellas and colourful costumes. This play was held at Elder Park by the Take Over Festival. I really enjoyed seeing the back of the puppet play.

Tom Denton 5P

Flight

On Thursday week 10 at 8:40am we were getting our group badges ready and we were really excited because we were doing something different. At 8:45 we went to our groups. We went to the library and we made gyro copters and then we went outside to test them. After recess I wrote a poem about helicopters. We had a long lunch and then we did Maths with Mr Harris. We had to add up the distance and cost of flying around Australia.

George Baranik 5H

Imagine

Can you imagine you're about to jump out of a plane?
You're five thousand metres off the ground.
You have been warned that you have five more seconds,
Then suddenly you jump!
Air is gushing into your face.
The stimulating smell of fresh air.
The scenery below is beautiful,
And then. . . . . .
Suddenly you hit the ground with a plonk!!!
Never forget the experience.

Nick Rees 5P

The Royal Show

The Show in Adelaide has begun,
People screaming and having fun.
The show bag room is jammed pack full,
People buying things from the hall.
The taste of lollies kids enjoy,
Fiddling with their show bag toy.
The crowd pours into the oval stands,
To see the grand parade and stands.
The precision cars start their act,
And soon the arena is totally packed.
The fireworks are what they've been waiting for,
The crowd goes wild, then start to roar.
The first one soars high in the air,
Higher and higher without a care,
For it will explode very soon,
Letting off a very loud boom.
The crowd decreases as they go through the gate,
For next year's show they can hardly wait.

Benjamin Stewart 4/5L

Eagle

The hungry hunter flies overhead
Looking for scurries of mice or snakes.
With a flick of his sharp beak
He has a mouse in his mouth,
Gulped down as fast as he can.
Creature meant for the wild.

David Oetjen 5P

The Boy and The Bamboo Flute

On Monday, the February 24 1997, we went to see a Patch Theatre production called, "The Boy and the Bamboo Flute". The mother was serving some rice while her son was sweeping and pretending to be a soldier. The mother told him to play his flute. The princess heard him and started dancing. The king told the princess not to play with the boy and the mother told the boy off. So the princess and the boy played in the forest but the demon took the princess to his lair. The boy returned and told his mother who told the king. The king sent out soldiers who never came back. The son trained and became a warrior. He went to the forest and saw a butterfly that he thought was the demon and tried to kill it but he found out that it would show him the way. He got to a river and made a boat. In the water the boy fell overboard and a dolphin took him to land where he killed a snake for a mother eagle and her babies. The eagle took him to the dragon's lair where he killed the dragon and saved the princess. The city celebrated because the princess was back and the demon was dead. I liked the way they did the characters with only three people doing about nine characters. I thought the costumes were a little too basic but I realised that if they had bigger costumes it would have taken too long to change. I liked the drum because when they played it it meant there would be an interesting part. They didn't have too many effects which was good because it would have spoilt it. The effects they did have were the screens which changed the setting when they were turned around, the blocks which were the same as the screens, the fan for the demon and the radio for the music. Overall I thought the play was excellent because it was a basic play with excellent actors and okay ideas and I gave it a rating of ten out of ten.

Graham Buxton 5P

Nicholas Schwartz ready to catch "the BIG ONE" at Scotts Creek.



Aboriginal Theme Day

On Thursday June 26, the Year 4/5's had an Aboriginal Theme Day. One of the activities we took part in was English. Our English task was to write a Dreaming story. We had to make an original story, so we couldn't use one already made up. My Dreaming story was called "How The Koala Lost Its Colour". It was a story about a pack of Koalas and their fur was red and purple and they lived in trees, because if they didn't they were laughed at. One day there was a terrible storm and the colour was blown away. I really enjoyed the Aboriginal day. All the subjects were good especially Society and the Environment with Mr Harris.

Cameron White 5H

Aboriginal Theme Day

On Thursday June 26 the year fours and fives combined for an Aboriginal Theme Day. I was in the Boomerang group which consisted of about thirteen boys. Sam Eley, one of my friends, was in the same group. One of the activities I did on the day was Art. The teacher that took this activity was Mrs Polain. We had to design a picture which had to have a story about it and it had to be symmetrical. My story was about two men with spears chasing after an emu, just after a storm had finished and the sun and a rainbow had come out. In my picture I used a variety of colours. I thought my picture was good and I thought all the other pictures were good too. Overall I thought the day was great.

Scot Tyndall 5H

Little Bull's Perspective

The huge wooden door creaked open. Bright light poured into the huge pine scented room. I saw a giant human 100000 times bigger than me. His heavy breath brushed against my shocked face as he looked down on me with as much surprise as I looked at him. In the background was a thick, repeating boom that rattled me every time. I soon realised that it was the giant's heartbeat. I pulled my stubby silver dagger out of my belt. The dagger glistened from a small sun, burning in a small case above me. There was an earthshaking thud as the giant stepped towards the wooden mountain I was on. I held my dagger up as if in war. Although it wouldn't scare a huge giant like him, it might have some effect. All I could see from the dim sun was a rock platform on four posts with soft covering.

Jonathan Nguyen 4/5L

Take Over 97

On the April 3, the year fives went to Elder Park to see an Indonesian shadow puppet play. It was about two men who wanted to marry the same girl, but only one could marry her. The men had to fight an evil sorcerer to see who would be able to marry the girl. We were allowed to go back stage and see the man operating all the shadow puppets and the men playing the musical instruments.

William James 5H

The Royal Show

As I enter the show the excitement spreads through my body,
The crowd builds,
I look away from my parents,
When I turn back,
I can not see them.
I run towards the direction we were heading,
But by running away I am getting more lost.
Where should I go?
My eyes are filling up with tears, which is making it harder to see.
I can taste the saltiness in my mouth.
Suddenly, my dad's hat catches my eye.
I run towards him and hug him.
Once we are reunited we go off and enjoy the show.

Nicholas Schwartz 4/5L

Flight

During week 10 of term one, the Year 4/5's had a Flight Day and I was in the Helicopters group. At the start our group went to the Chapel, where a man from the Unley Kite Factory gave us a talk about kites. Other activities we took part in included Maths with Mr Harris, poetry with Miss Learmonth and parachute making with Mr d'Unienville in the library. It was fun.

Michael Dodd 5H



Mr Harris, James Elwood and Robert Olver learning some new dance steps.

Year 6 1997

Ngunyawaieti

During March we took part in some activities and stories from the Aboriginal culture as part of the Take Over Festival. First we listened to some songs and then we listened to some stories about how the birds got their colours and how things came to pass.

After that we had recess and had a break for a while before we continued with the activities. Later my group went and did some tracking. That involved making animal tracks in red dirt, that was the most fun. After that we walked back to school. My opinion is that tracking is an art and should not be lost because of modern technology.

Johan Gustafsson 6W

Dreamcatcher

During the Take Over Festival we went to see a performance called "Dreamcatcher" which was held at Elder Park. The people who ran the show were from North and South Dakota in the United States of America. They were North American Indians from the Standing Rock Reservation.

To start the performance the three people did a welcome dance. That was followed by an eagle dance with wings made from eagle feathers stitched on to material. The man played a flute-like instrument while another man danced, resembling an eagle. After that he played another song for us on a larger wind instrument. This song was about the period of time which occurs when the sun and moon are together in the sky.

After the sun and moon song, one of the men put on a large hairy head dress and performed the buffalo dance while the man who played the flute sang a song in his native language.

The next item was the last and my favourite. This was called the North American Indian hoop dance. Using 28 flexible plastic hoops in four colours - white, red, yellow and black depicting the four seasons - he manipulated them around his body to form pictures of flowers, birds, stars, a globe of the world and a chain. He then invited some people from the audience to try the dance with him. I thought the show was really good and I would recommend it for kids.

Ryan Cogan 6W

The Bamboo Flute

On Monday February 24 the whole Prep School went to see a performance in the Prince Philip Theatre. The performance was called the "Bamboo Flute". It is a Vietnamese folk tale story and it was acted out by a group of people from the Patch Theatre Company.

The story was about a peasant and a Princess. The peasant's mother worked for the king and her job was to cook and prepare food for the king. The young boy enjoyed playing his bamboo flute. When the Princess heard the music she would dance. The boy and the Princess were caught playing together and they were separated. One day the girl and the boy went into the forest to play but a demon caught the Princess. After that the boy trained for 3 years and then went to fight the demon. When the boy went into the forest to fight the Demon a butterfly told him that the demon had changed where he lived and he now lived in the mountains. The boy asked the butterfly if she could show him the way. The butterfly agreed and he followed the butterfly. The boy tripped and lost his sword. Eventually the boy got to the mountain and he defeated the demon by playing his bamboo flute. The princess and all the other people who the Demon had captured over the years were all set free and the children were able to play in the forest because the Demon was dead and he could not capture anyone.

I liked the way the two actors acted out the different terrains. I also thought that it was clever how the two characters changed the scenes by turning four boards around. On one side there was a house setting and on the other side there was the demon's lair painted on it. I could tell where they were because the acting was that good. I also thought that the man was very good at Martial Arts. I liked the way the two actors acted out eight different characters by changing where they put the sashes on their bodies.

I enjoyed the performance because I liked the acting and the way that the scenes were set up. I also enjoyed the story because it was told very well.

Richard Warneke 6HN

The Beach

The faint buzz of an aircraft overhead sends the seagulls into a mad frenzy. The beach, the strong smell of seaweed and sand, the roar of the ocean and just the greyish-blue of the sea compared to the much paler blue of the sky and the goldish-brown colour of the sand. The squawking of the gulls signals their landing after the plane. The sand feels warm and satisfying, and the sea is a deep blue film stretching as far as the eye can see. Yachts of brilliant red, spectrum blue, dazzling white and bright yellow pass with the ocean current. Schools of fish dart from beneath my feet as I wade deeper into the sea. A dogs barking echoes along the beach and a crab crawls out of the water to catch sandflies.

A wave rolls in and breaks on the sand, its white caps running in unevenly. Cockles dig themselves into the soft sand near the waterline and a huge sandcastle topples over with the sheer force of the ocean waves. I love the beach . . . . my beach. . . . .

The sun is bright in the sky. A few small white clouds like mashed potatoes move across a pale blue background. A seagull soars into the beach and lands with a thump on the sand. Pieces of driftwood float in from the sea. I wade out to get them.

Back on the beach an imaginary campfire burns merrily. An imaginary coolibah tree made of a big piece of driftwood and clumps of seaweed stands tall over the campfire. I always feel safe, reassured on the beach, because it is such a restful and peaceful place, any vandal's bad thoughts would be taken away by the flight of the gulls and the roar of the ocean tide.

The sparkling salt water of the sea chatters and leaps on the sand, which fondly accepts its mischievous attitude. A crab waddles past, catching a sandfly in its nippers. The white horses on top of the waves buck their heads and cry out. I love the beach . . . . my beach. . .

Stuart Moffatt 6W

A Dark Stormy Night

It was a dark and stormy night
While someone was drinking sprite,
The cruel lightning cracked,
The thunder smacked.
As the lightning flared up the city.

Edmund Khoo 6HS

The Boy and the Bamboo Flute

On Monday February 24 we saw the presentation of "The Bamboo Flute". The play was presented nicely with only two actors in it. I thought the change of characters was brilliant. With the sash around the man's waist he was the young boy, with the sash over his shoulders he was the King. The miming was great, from the people to the eagle, it was really good. The characters were the King, Princess, servant, the young boy, eagle, dolphin, butterfly and the Demon. The eagle and the dolphin were played by the girl. The dolphin was the girl with her arms out in front of her, to play the eagle her arms were to her side. The play was about a young boy who wants to play with the Princess, so the Princess made the boy come to the forest to play. It was there where the princess was taken by the demon. The boy grows up and gets revenge on the demon. The boy lost his sword so he played his flute to defeat the demon.

I enjoyed the way they made more characters with the sash, and the good acting of the man and the woman. I enjoyed the the presentation and I think everyone else did too.

Adam Temple 6HN

Lightning

A lightning bolt exploding dangerously.
Flashing brightly,
blowing cities burning brightly.
It'll attack fiercely and really strong.
If you don't run you're going to be ash.
Just black dusty old ash rotting
and behind you cities blowing,
nothing surviving.

Kamahl Mashtoub 6HS

Lightning

The lightning is striking dangerously fast. A weak, unsafe building is being struck.
A building is being struck seriously.
But not to worry!
It has a lightning conductor on top.
The people are running speedily to shelter
As the lightning flashes fiercely above.
The building is struck once more in a flash of fire.
The building is reduced to rubble.
The explosion sends out a flame ball at speeds you've never seen before.
Imploding anything in its path.
This city is surely DOOMED!!!

Matthew Kahl 6HS

The Snake and the Ant

A long time ago there was a great snake that protected all the little animals from other predators. One day the snake heard a little cry it was an ant the ant was terrified because a 10 year old boy was trying to step on her. The snake quickly slithered out from the bush and hissed at the boy. He got so scared he ran into his house and locked the doors. The little ant said, "Thank you for saving my life because you saved my life I will save your life someday too. " The snake said, "Thank you but how can you save me?" The ant said, "You'll see," and he scrambled off. The next day when the snake was sunbaking the little boy's father saw the snake and he got out his gun but before he was about to shoot the snake the snake hissed loudly. Suddenly all of the snakes came up from under ground and started to bite the man. He ran away and the snake lived because of a small little ant. The moral of this story is not to judge something by its size.

Matthew Stoyanoff 6HS

The Delicious Spaghetti

The delicious spaghetti tasted very strong and looked about 1 foot long.
The boys said it was a delight to eat, it then became their Sunday treat.
The mum responsible for the treat replies it is better to eat instead of any cut of meat.

Michael Chrisohoou 6HS

Lightning Bolts

Lightning bolts in the sky
crashing down on buildings below.
Destroying buildings with one strike
it is a truly unstoppable might!
After the damage is done
there is nothing to do
but pick up the pieces
which is not much fun.

James Clarke 6HN



Book Week "dress up day" brought out the best in these boys from 6W.



Paul Rech, 6HS, and Hugh Perks, 6HN, working in the Clipsal Innovation Centre.

PACE in the CIC

Throughout 1997 Year 6/7 PACE groups have been organised to utilise the facilities of the Clipsal Innovation Centre to extend and challenge boys' thinking, knowledge and group interaction skills.

Using the centre's resources of Technic and Pneumatic Lego together with the Electronic kits, we allowed the students to acquire some knowledge of engineering and electronic systems which they may not have been exposed to before. Once the basic knowledge and understanding of these systems was acquired the students were then able to use their knowledge to fabricate machines, models and circuits which have applications in everyday life. These have ranged from scanning devices for security passes to electronic systems which are triggered by heat, light and pressure. From the outcomes achieved by various groups throughout the year I am sure all boys who have taken part in these activities have enjoyed their time spent in the CIC and certainly learnt skills which they otherwise would not have acquired.

Mr Paul Hodgins

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Tom Kernot from 6W showing his weather station to Thomas Glesson-Hammerton, his R/1Bk "buddy".

Mysteries

Imagine if you could explore
The different countries of the world,
The bleak vast outback,
The never-ending reach of Space,
The icy depth of Antarctica,
The freshness of a lost world,
The dimensions of a black hole,
The deep, blue sea,
The dangerous wrath underground,
The inside of a computer,
Time warps,
Or even your backyard.
These are all mysteries to one or another.
Some exciting,
Some scary,
And some fun.

Tom Kernot 6W

Avalanche

It is a cheetah racing over buildings, destroying them.
It stretches and claws at its prey, the people.
It pounces on cars and crushes them with a single strike.
It chases the sun, trying to reach it,
with no mercy to any in its way.
When it has stopped it has brought devastation to all in its path.
The speed of this is bewildering, astonishing.
The cheetah is stronger, sharper, quicker
than anything anyone has ever seen.
It is an avalanche.

James Hoimes 6W



Year 6 boys digging in the garden which they designed, prepared and planted in 1996.

Reception-Year 6 Buddies

This year the boys in 6W and R1Bk have been buddies. We were each 'given' a buddy at the beginning of the year and since then we have been working with them. So far this year we have done many things with them including treasure hunts, story writing, letter writing, reading, spelling and publishing.

For Book Week we went on a treasure hunt with them. This involved us making clues or drawing treasure maps that would guide them to the treasure. They then followed the maps or the clues and found a small treasure - a small gift. We also wrote many stories for them during the year. The main one was an electronic story which we did using Kid Pix and Slide Show on the computers. We wrote stories for them and about them and included some things they liked. We then had to draw pictures for blocks of text on Kid Pix and put them on the Slide Show.

In Term 2 we wrote letters with them. We wrote them to each other and then we wrote them to fairy story characters. Some of these letters were published in the Newsletter. Since then we have written other letters to each other. We have also done many activities with them that involve their class activities such as reading and spelling. We also did some publishing with them in the form of books about "Goldilocks and the Three Bears" which they had written. We also took weather recordings when we had made weather stations in Term 3.

Overall this year we have had a lot of fun with them and we have enjoyed it very much.

Mark Hosking 6W

What's in a Boy's Head?

A boy's head is an interesting place.
It thinks of sport and games;
It thinks of stupid things
Like . . . who invented chocolate?
It thinks of food all the time.
It gets some bumps and bruises
But still survives in the long run,
Although it may not be so smart.
It dreams of holidays in the middle of class
And what might happen in the future.
"When I grow up I wanna be a fireman!"
That's what it's like.

Hugh Fincher 6W

Sam's Spellbinding Life

Hi my name is Sam Horne. I am 11 years old and go to Prince Alfred College in Adelaide. I am going to tell you about my spellbinding life. My life has been full of travelling, so I am going to tell you about the very important events that have occurred so far. My story begins with my birth, and concludes with me sitting behind this desk, so enjoy!

Before I was born my Dad met my Mum at a party in Sydney. They met because my Mum (Ginny) was drinking alone at a bar so my Dad (Paul) went to see if she was okay. When they met it was love at first sight. Seven years later my brother was born and they called him Tom. Another two years later I was born in full glory.

When I was three I was really dumb because I tried to reach a very expensive vase which was on a four foot high shelf. There was a two foot height difference so I needed a prop to boost me up. In the end I found an arm chair with wheels on the bottom, so I started to push it under the shelf. When it was directly under, I climbed to the top and reached out. I was just about to grab it when the chair slipped and sped backwards. I fell on my front teeth. In the end I lost one of my front milk teeth!

When I was four my parents decided to move to England so my brother and I could see our relatives and to settle down and to go to a private school. We ended up in a town could Dorney, about an hours drive southwest of London. We stayed there for a few years.

During the Christmas of 1992 I caught an infectious illness called glandular fever which makes you very tired and sick. I just had to get it in the Christmas holidays. This meant I couldn't go to my friends and talk about what I was going to get for Christmas. I was also unable to build or use any of my Christmas presents.

A month after that was my family's first camping trip. I still felt slightly queasy but I was okay. We went to a place called Kent, which is where my Grandpa died and was buried. The place we stayed at was a camping area with an inn and a camping garden in the back.

It was a pleasant campsite except the weather was awful with hail, rain and very strong winds. We ended up going to the inn. The second time we went camping we went to Wales where it was nice and cool. This was the best campsite because the inn (next to the camp site) had a lot of arcades, swimming pools and saunas. After that camping trip we went to the same place every year.

The only time we didn't go to Wales was our last camping trip which was in 1995. Instead we went to Cornwall, which is in the country by the coast. We stayed at a farm where they rent small cottages out to people. It also had a pool, spa and right next to the cottages there were lots of smelly farm animals. I have so many memories of the place. Cornwall was also the place where I caught my first wave at a beach. I really like Cornwall and I would like to go back.

Straight after the trip to Cornwall we packed and left for Holland, which is on the coast of Europe next to Germany. The only problem about having Holland next to Germany is that the Dutch hate the Germans because of World War 2, when the Germans attacked Holland. We lived in Holland for 6 months and thoroughly enjoyed it. We lived in a town which had such a long name I can't spell it or remember it. We lived in a very nice, small apartment in the centre of the town. This was so close to the beach that you could walk there in less than 2 minutes. It was such a peaceful town that Tom and I caught the bus to school every day and no one would hassle us.

It was very sad when we left Holland because we had to say goodbye to all of our friends.

The next country we went to was Portugal, which boarders Spain on Spain's left. We lived in a town called Cascais, pronounced Cash-ki-sh. We lived in a very nice cottage with a great carport, where you drove your car in a lift and it took your car to the basement where you parked your car. It was a funny town which was totally politically incorrect. The town was full of really strange people who did lots of funny things.

We went to school in Portugal by train. Our school was in a town called Carcavelos, said kar-ka-vel-osh. My best friend, Simon Watson, lives there. I would love to go back there after University. After Portugal my family came to Australia and settled in Adelaide. That is how I came to be sitting in front of this desk typing this story. That concludes my life story and I hope you enjoyed it.

Sam Horne 7W

Public Speaking

During 1997, 32 year six and seven boys competed in the JSHAA Junior Orator of the Year Award. We held four heats at school, each involving between 8 - 10 speakers. Each boy had to prepare a four minute speech for his heat. After each speaker had given his prepared speech, he was given a list of unseen topics. He then had to choose one and prepare a three minute speech. Each boy had 20 minutes to prepare this speech. Every boy gained experience and confidence out of this competition. The winners of each heat were:

HEAT 1: George Raptis

HEAT 2: Jordan Welden - Iley

HEAT 3: Paul Kapiris

HEAT 4: Matthew Myhill

These four boys then progressed to the semi - finals. Each of these boys achieved a lot from these semi-finals. George Raptis won his semi-final and then went on to participate in the grand final. The grand final was harder because the boys and girls had to prepare five minute speeches. George came third, gaining a medal. Thank you to all boys who competed and all staff, parents and boys who supported this years competition. We would also like to thank the chair people and timers who gave their time to fill these roles.

Half way through term 3, the Year 7 Lodge Public Speaking Competition was held in the Prince Philip Theatre. The competition was started by the Prince Alfred Old Collegians Lodge and this was the second year the competition has been held. The competition was very close, with Aaron Garry gaining first place, Matthew Myhill second place and Dino Vrynios coming third. Once again thank you to everyone who helped in organising this event.

George Raptis & Matthew Myhill 7W

Year 7 1997

Maths - "Let's Do It"

On August 7 1997 nine boys from Prince Alfred College were selected to participate in a night of mathematics. The group was made from year 6 and 7 boys. The boys who participated from year 6 in this night from PAC were Lucas Goode (6HS), David Harrison (6W) and David Leung (6HN). The boys from year 7 were Matthew Kildea (7D), Aaron McLaughlin (7D), George Raptis (7W), Michael Davies (7W), Aaron Garry (7M) and Nikonus Pappas (7M). The night was about maths and having fun with maths. It was also a night to meet other people from other schools. There were forty-eight students who attended the maths night at St Peter's College.

After learning other people's names and counting the number of people who were attending we were arranged into our groups. Boys and Girls from other schools were put together into groups of three and they were put into groups by their number. When all the groups were made everybody was seated on the floor in their groups to do a little warm up activity which involved using prior knowledge of mathematics. At the end of that activity groups were sent off to different areas to attend different activities but my group stayed in the same spot.

Our task at the start was to pair off and I went with Lucas Goode. Our first task was to make a 3 dimensional shape using sticks and plastic holders which sticks stood in. After everyone completed that we went onto making a cube. When that was done the major task hit the whole group. As one big group we had to make a half an Icosahedron. The reason why we only had to make half of the shape was because the group had to sit inside it. We then set about making the dome. With some confusion at the start we finally got it together as a group and started to work mathematically. With a smaller model to help we did it and we did just in time. This was extremely challenging and enjoyable but my group completed it. After this supper was served which was some nice hot Pizza which vanished in a matter of seconds. We had some time to chat and digest and then we had to be organised back in our groups. My group was then sent off to meet the manager of maths from PAC, Mr Harradine.

Organising ourselves into groups we then began the task. Two boys and two girls were selected to stand up. They were to play a game of horse racing using prime numbers. The rules of the game were that every time you were given a prime number you took a step forward. The winner of the race was the person who was positioned in lane number three.

As one group we then discussed the reasons why the person in lane three won. After that we were put back in our groups to solve another problem about finding the most common number which would be rolled by two dice in ten rolls. Using a table we discovered that the number seven would be the most common and several groups proved that by rolling the number seven the most amount of times.

Yet again this task was enjoyable and it was very interesting to learn about. The last task we did was to make origami boxes. Everybody got two pieces of paper to make a lid and a base and following instructions we completed our origami boxes. When we had finished that we had to design a base which would hold 25 jellybeans without them over flowing and with the base being filled to its maximum capacity. I was unsuccessful. Aaron Garry was successful but he wasn't in my group. This was challenging as well.

Overall the night was fun and I think everybody there had a good time. I learnt some new things about maths and I think it was brought across in an exciting, challenging way.

Nikonus Pappas 7M

My Mother

I loved my Mother very much,

She took great care of me.

She helped me on my way through life,

Till I could help myself.

The rose is growing strong,

I help take care of it.

So it shall bloom many beautiful flowers

In the memory of my mother.

Aaron Clothier 7M

Transition Day 1997

Year seven Transition Day. It shows up like a comet streaking through the night sky on your calendar. Transition Day is a day where students get the first real look at Senior School. First it's in the Chapel for a welcome with the year seven boys, teachers, parents and the Headmaster. The day included a quiz, mathematics, technology, science and some time in the Senior School Library. The quiz involved mind-boggling questions and groups of eight staining their brains to come up with an answer. Prizes are awarded for first, second and third. Boys all start licking their lips at the sight of first prize, chocolate frogs. When the quiz is finished and grins are all around, it's back to the Prep school for a huge recess provided by a happy bunch, the Parents and Friends. All boys thank them for putting on recess and a barbecue lunch. Thank you very much! Full stomachs? If so then it's on to our next activities. Technology provided boys with a great look at the computers in the Technology Centre working with the architecture program. Boys explored the ways in which the interesting program worked and did some drawings, with help!! Library was a scavenger hunt. Exploring the library and finding the information needed to answer a question. Some questions were tricky and creative. Everyone was tricked by one question about a clock on the western wall. The most common question was "Where's the clock?" But eventually boys got the idea. Science involved many things with the most interesting activity being involved with our favourite game - footy! Mix the chemicals together for the right football team colours. Quite easy and fun. Mathematics. Well, this is where boys had to put their talents into full action. Groups did a lot of different activities with different teachers. Creative thinking questions were quite common with some truly unusual questions. Pulling pictures and words to get an answer, anything you can think of it is just for fun. So at the end of the day it was goodbye Transition Day. Another major event passed for the year seven's.

William Dorsch 7M

Scotts Creek

The thing I enjoyed the most about Scotts Creek was our Magic Spot. At our Magic Spot we had to fill in our diary and listen to all of the sounds around us. We had thirty minutes each day to sit and think. I had a really good view. Another thing I enjoyed a lot was fishing. Our class caught about twenty-four fish. I caught three. Once you caught your fish, you had to kill it and bury it. Everyone buried them in the wrong spot so a few of us had to dig a big hole and put them in. The fish stunk. George Raptis caught the biggest fish and Leon caught the smallest fish.

Cameron Garry 7W

7M's Trip to the Adelaide Zoo

In late term two all the year seven classes cancelled their classes for a day so they could visit the delights of the Adelaide Zoo. Throughout term two all of the year seven classes had been researching Endangered Animals. The main purpose was to see the animals in their habitat and see the McDonalds South-East Asian rainforest which has many endangered animals due to the deforestation in that area of the world. Also one of the activities that we had to complete was to design, make and appraise a zoo enclosure for an endangered animal, so we looked at the wide range of enclosures that the zoo provided. The best reason was to have fun! We started at the back gates of the zoo where there was a bit of confusion of where to go. We started moving into what looked like a house, and in the building there was a room with parts of dead animals everywhere. All of them were REAL!!! We had a look around the room and we touched many things, before congregating on the floor. The Officer talked to us about the importance of animals all over the world. The Officer showed us some products that used endangered animals bones and parts of First Aid and toys. He also showed us a turtle shell that had been turned into a musical instrument. I was shocked that people would do that to get some money. The main reason we went was to see the animals in their habitat. Many of the enclosures were new or refurbished from the old ones. I was quite surprised that the giraffe enclosure was an old one and the animals didn't have any room to roam around. The enclosure that I was most impressed with was the South East Asian rainforest. The animals weren't coupled in a corner. This was very good because we could see the animals which would most likely be extinct in a few years. The monkeys were a delight to everyone. They were used to having visitors around. My favourite animal was the Malayan Tapiar, they seemed very tired all the time we saw them. Many of the enclosures had electric fences around the perimeter, which were very small and quite ingenious too. Throughout this visit the year sevens saw many strange, beautiful, ugly, weird, and rude animals. It was very enjoyable to walk around and see all the animals living their pretty lonely lives. It certainly showed on the faces of the orangutans. Of all the times I have been to the Zoo this one was the best.

Hugh Milton 7M

ISOBELLE CARMODY

On Wednesday of Arts Week during 7M's music lesson I saw a poster saying that Isobelle Carmody was going to be appearing in the Assembly Hall at 1:45. After that I forgot about it. During the second half of lunch I remembered the poster. I went and looked at the programme and the appearance was not in the Prep School program so it was obviously for the senior school boys. My chances were looking slim as the performance was during school time and I was not sure whether Jade Eley would come with me because he was the person who had recommended I read one of her books that I thoroughly enjoyed called "The Gathering".

Despite my doubts I asked Jade Eley if he would like to come and he was more than happy to. We both asked Mrs Magain and explained that we were completely up to date so she let us go.

Isobelle's speech was absolutely fascinating. She spoke about her life story until she was about twenty but had to cut it short because of time which was very disappointing because I wanted her to keep on going. I plan to write to her to find out more about her. She started talking about when she was a young girl and the games she used to play with her seven brothers and sisters when her mum went to work at night. She explained that her father had died in a car accident when Isobelle was at a young age.

Isobelle's mother used to go and work at night. The mother did not want anyone to know that she went out at night. To stop them from being stolen she used to make up stories to stop them going outside. To stop anyone from finding out she went outside at night she would simply not let the children go outside or talk or let alone allow them to be friends with anyone at anytime of the day, so they were the weird kids of the neighbourhood. She told us about the game she used to play every night with her brothers and sisters called the monster game, where she used to go out side and turn off all the power from the circuit board to keep them from turning on the lights so it was extra scary. She would wait a while then go looking for them. The way the game worked was that Isobelle's brothers and sisters would go and hide. She had to catch them but she purposely never would. She would only chase them so they were petrified because there was always the slight chance that the person chasing them was not Isobelle. She also made us all laugh by the horrific injuries of this game because eight kids running full speed around a pitch black house was very dangerous.

After she talked about her life as a child she started talking about her writing. She said that the first book she wrote she entered in a competition. She meant to put the book in the adolescent section but the book got mixed up and went into the adults category and it won and she got a lot of money. From then on every book she wrote won, or was nominated for, some sort of competition.

After she finished talking about her books she had to stop because the senior school boys had to leave and go to lessons which really disappointed me. I am going to write to her because I am eager to know more about her because she is a brilliant writer and has lived and is still living a fascinating life.

Alex White 7M

Year 7 1997 & Prep School Captain's Report

Aurora Camp

In week six of term two, ten boys were selected to attend Aurora Camp. The boys went to explore subjects like English, Maths, Science, Leadership, Drama and Art. The boys representing our school were:

English: Matthew Myhill and Christian Blair.
Maths: James L Thomas and Edward Heddle.
Science: Aaron McLachlan and Jon Tamblyn
Leadership: William Dorsch and Luke Richards
Drama: Evan Lucas
Art: Jeremy Close
Activities included Challenge Hill, electives and many more. We all enjoyed our time and learnt a lot from the extremely enthusiastic teachers. All of the boys came back with a better understanding of the subject they went for.

Everyone who went to the camp enjoyed their stay at Woodhouse. Thanks to all teachers who helped or visited the camp.

Matthew Myhill & James L Thomas 7W



Andrew Pomery from 7W working with the Lego Tectronichs in the Clipsal Innovation Centre as part of the PACE Programme.

Captain's Report

For all Year 7's it has been a very enjoyable year. We were finally the oldest in the school. Just think next year we will be the youngest again! At the start of the the year we were introduced to the laptop computers. In the first week the athletics and swimming captains were chosen. This year there were still three classes with only about 8 new boys. In week 2 of term 1 the swimming carnival was held, Chapple won easily. In week 3 my class, 7W went on camp to Scotts Creek. One week later 7M went there also. None of us could go on the rope swing or go canoeing in the lagoon because there was blue-green algae. 7D's camp got cancelled because it was too hot, they went in term 3. A lot of boys did very well in public speaking this year. We ran 4 heats for the Junior Orator Of The Year, with four winners going through to the semi's. From these George Raptis made it into the final, which was held in term 2. He came third. At the end of the term scholarships were given out for the Senior School, Michael Davies won the main scholarship.

In term 2 Dr Brown left for Tennessee, USA on an exchange with Dr Stephen Weisz who came to PAC for two terms. Ten boys represented PAC at the Aurora Camp. They were chosen for English, Science, Maths, Art, Drama and Leadership. The boys were chosen to extend their abilities in these activities. In week 7 the Chapel Choir hosted the Knox Grammar Gallery Choir who performed for us. At the end of term 2 Edward Goodworth, Mr Shepherd's assistant, left the school to go back to England. He had been with us for six months and was missed by the boys.

In term 3 there was a Short Talk competition held for the boys at PAC. Aaron Garry ended up with the first place. At the end of term 3 Arts Week was held. Monday night was opening night and was a big hit. All the Junior school participated in the procession. The night ended with the best fireworks ever. Through the year there have been many House competitions. Some of the sports results were not known when writing this article, they will be published in the 1998 Chronicle. 1997 has been a great year for all year sevens, with its ups and downs through the year.

Luke Richards, Prep School Captain

School Leaders	
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Vice Captain	William Dorsch
House Captains	
Chapple	James Bonner
Mitchell	Evan Lucus
Robertson	Aaron Garry
House Swimming	
Chapple	Joseph Tapley
Mitchell	James Dalwood
Robertson	Nicholas Alvaro
House Athletics	
Chapple	Matthew Mitolo
Mitchell	Sam Hurburgh
Robertson	Cameron Garry
Football	
Chapple	Luke Richards
Mitchell	James Dalwood
Robertson	Leon Morton
Hockey	
Chapple	Jeremy Dufour
Mitchell	Scott Bromell
Robertson	Hugh Milton
Basketball	
Chapple	Nikonus Pappas
Mitchell	Jade Eley
	Michael Almond
Robertson	Jon Tamblyn
Chess	
Chapple	Nikonus Pappas
Mitchell	Sam Koh
Robertson	Simon Moschou
Soccer	
Chapple	John Besir
Mitchell	Andrew Sicilian
Robertson	Austin Toner
Debating/Public Speaking	
Chapple	Jordan W. I.
Mitchell	Leigh Schelvis
Robertson	George Raptis
UNICEF	
7W	Leon Morton
7M	Alex White
7D	Paul Kapiris
Music Captains	
7W	Matthew Myhill
7M	Jordan Allen
7D	Paul Kapiris

House sports results up to term 3, 1997

Swimming	Chapple
Standards	Robertson
Athletics	Chapple
Football	Mitchell
Hockey	Chapple
Soccer	Chapple
Basketball	Chapple
Cross Country	Robertson

Open Day March 16 1997

Technology on Open Day

During Open Day I participated in the 4/5 Choir and I played the piano. The set up of open day was quite good and we had an impressive crowd. I went into the dark room with Andre Na in the Senior School and we couldn't see properly. Then we went to the technology centre and played on the electronic sets. After that we went and had a look at the Sunboat 2.

Justin Lian 5H

Open Day

On Sunday March 16 the school had Open Day. The first activity I took part in was singing in the 4/5 choir. We sang Senor Don Gato and Clap Your Hands. After that I walked around for an hour and visited the new Innovation Centre with all the new computers. I played with pneumatics. Then I took part in my second activity, "bridges", with Mr Harris. We had to fold a piece of paper in a particular way so that it would be able to hold as many twenty cent pieces as possible. Mine was one of the strongest. Later I went and had a turn on the rowing machines. I really enjoyed the day.

Chris Davies 5H

Music Activities on Open Day

March 16 was the 1997 PAC Open Day. We had lots of music items going throughout the day. The music items involved children from reception to year 12. These activities included lots of music from younger primary music lessons. There were all sorts of displays from Beethoven to Silverchair. It showed the enormous music talent here at Princes. We had over twenty performances by boys of all ages. The senior school showed a tremendous amount of talent with twelve of the eighteen performances in the music area. The prep school also showed talent with two Concert Bands, three music lessons plus ensembles and choirs. Thank you to each person who took part in the music activities. You all did well and showed an extreme amount of skill and talent.

Matthew Myhill 7W

Open Day Cricket

Open Day 97 was on Sunday March 16. It was a very successful and enjoyable day. I was involved in two activities, one of them being Cricket. It was played in the Junior School Hard Cricket Nets. There were a lot of people wanting to see the PAC cricketers in action after all PAC has a reputation to live up to. We have produced some excellent cricketers including Greg Blewett, the three Chapple Brothers and Tim May, all famous cricketers. The standard of Open Day training was high, as everyone wanted to show off their exceptional skill. After the half hour of cricket everyone was very happy about what they had done to promote PAC cricket.

Sam Hurburgh 7W

French Open Day Activities

Every second year Prince Alfred College has an 'Open Day', this involves all of the boys in the school. The 'Open Day' for this year was held on Sunday March 16 1997. Each boy was put into a group. This group then participated in an activity. I was chosen to do French activities, this included demonstrating French board games, speaking in French to parents and visitors and playing French Bowls. During my half-hour session in the Language room I handed out French cheeses to visitors and spoke to them in French. I also played the French version of lawn bowls, Le Boules. I came first in my first game and I came second in the second game. I enjoyed this day a lot.

James Thomas 7W.

Open Day for the Year 5 Boys

During Open Day the year fives took part in a number of activities to help make the day successful. The year fives along with the year fours, formed a choir and sang Clap Your Hands and Senor Don Gato, in front of a large audience consisting of parents, relatives and friends in the Chapel. It was a wonderful way to begin the afternoon, with such promising talent performing. Throughout the rest of the afternoon parents, relatives, friends and visitors to the school, were able to see the boys participate in lessons with specialist and classroom teachers.

French and Chinese students took part in a challenging game of Battleships. Mrs Polain's class performed an Indonesian shadow puppet play and 5H took part in a Technology lesson on bridges.

The boys and staff thoroughly enjoyed participating in the day.

Mr Chris Harris

Open Day

Open Day was on Sunday 16th March, 1997. Open Day is the day when our families and friends come to see what we do at school. Some people come to look at PAC to see if their sons would like it.

2P boys worked on Technology activities in their classroom and had a Music lesson in the Music Centre. Chris Harry and Joseph Cuzzocrea played a duet on the piano and violin. It was called Swingalong. Chris Brown sang in the Junior Choir.

2P Class



Mrs Brook and some boys from R/1BK during Open Day in March this year.

Camps 1997

Scotts Creek

The river,
Ripples breaking the water.
A water-skater darts quickly over
The glistening surface.
Tadpoles swim slowly and silently
Moving their tails side to side.
Bubbles float to the surface
Like bullets from a gun.

Stephen Ghabriel 6W

Look Out - Scotts Creek

As I look out into the water
So peaceful, nothing moves
But a fish who is surfacing,
Then a bird swoops down.
It makes a groove in the water.
I watch
I listen,
The kookaburra laughs a mocking laugh.

Robert Cook 6W

Scotts Creek

We went on the bus to Scott's Creek and arrived there just before Lunch time. We could swim but the disappointing thing was that we couldn't go on the rope swing. We had a tour of Scotts Creek. We met our leaders who were Matthew Dietman, Hamish Perks, my cousin, and Sam Williams. After lunch we started our first activity in Earth Keepers programme level two. We went out to learn about energy flow. (Example; the sun gives sunlight to the trees so they can grow. The trees give berries or fruit to the animals). We had Magic spots up at Scotts Creek and my magic spot was down by the water front on a log next to Tom Hicks. Magic spots are a time to get close to nature, listen to the birds, watch the water ripple and think. You write in your log book about what happened at your magic spot. The fun things we did at Scotts Creek were swimming, canoeing and fishing. We went on three concept trails depicting Energy Flow, Interrelationships and Cycles. At Scotts Creek we had to do good work and follow our pledges to earn Keys.

Hugh Perks 6HN

Do you know where the missing passenger could be?

Tonight on a special edition of "The Sun Ship Monitor" we will answer all the big questions about the missing passenger. Also tonight in this special edition we will interview the soil, the bush, the tree and the bugs from our studio in Scotts Creek Field Centre. They have assigned twenty-two of the nations best detectives to investigate the case. They left for the site this morning hoping to solve this case. We wish them the best of luck, but now the interview. First we will talk with the soil. Mr Soil what do you know about the missing passenger? All I know is he gave me nutrients and in exchange I helped a plant to grow. Thank you Mr Soil. Mr Bush what do you know? He gave me warmth when I gave him shade. Well that sounds fair enough, thank you Mr Bush you have been most cooperative. Well Mr Tree what do you have to say? I gave him oxygen in exchange for carbon dioxide. And last of all the bugs. Bugs what do you have to say for yourselves? Well he gave us a home and we, well we gave him, him.. him.., oh yes we gave nutrients to the soil, who helped the plants to grow, to feed the animal. Very interesting thank you for your time. Next week on our show we will be talking about how big the hole really is in the ozone layer and what we can do to prevent it getting any larger. This is Michael Chrisohoou signing off from this special edition of The Sun Ship Monitor.
Have a good night.

Michael Chrisohoou 6HS

7M's 1997 Scotts Creek Camp

In term one 7M went to Scotts Creek Learning Centre. On Monday night the boys from 7M were packing their bags and crossing off all of the things that they needed for the week. They went to camp to finish off level two of Earthkeepers.

The bus trip went for two and a half hours. The boys were singing and telling jokes. As soon as they got to the campsite the boys settled into their dorms and then went off to their first activity. It took a while for them to get into the working mode but the first activity was fun.

The best activity was giants and leprechauns. Some of the activities were a bit hard for the new boys who had not been to the Earthkeepers camp before. The fishing at the campsite was very good. 7W caught twenty-three fish and 7M caught forty-six fish. Some of the fish were really small and some really big. Evan Lucas of 7M caught fourteen good size fish.

The dorms were very clean. There were not too many spider webs. There were four bunks in one half of each dorm room. The boys said that they would like to have more free time to play games and to go fishing.

The duties were very fair because just about everybody got a turn at all of the them. Some dorm groups did not have to do all of the duties.

The boys agreed the discovery trail was terrific fun.

Mackenzie Jarvis 7M



Year 6 boys about to enter the "Giant Leaf" during their Earth Keepers Level 2 programme at Scotts Creek camp this year.

Year 6 and 7 Trip to New Caledonia 1997

In the April holidays Miss Gregory and Mr Bowyer took ten students and a Mum for a week's visit to Noumea, New Caledonia. In the students' opinion, some of the highlights of the trip were playing soccer on the beach right in front of our hotel, our day trip to Phare Amedee Island where we snorkelled and swam in crystal clear water (just like the photos in the brochures), shopping for souvenirs and learning new essential French phrases every day. From a teacher's point of view, extra highlights included the enthusiasm with which the boys approached not only the leisure activities, but also the daily routines and French lessons, and hearing staff from other school groups compliment our boys on their French skills. It was a highly successful week in everyone's opinion, and plans are already under way for a similar trip in 1999.

SA InterSchool Skiing

On August 5 this year, the SASKI Junior Interschools' Skiing Championships were held at Mt. Thebarton. Our teams did very well, with one team gaining third place and another gaining second place. PAC came third overall. George Raptis gained the fastest individual time in his division and fastest time all night, but was not awarded the gold medal for the fastest time, as he had competed earlier in the year at Mt. Buller. Congratulations to all of the competitors on the night and again to George for organising the event for the school.

George Raptis & Matthew Myhill 7W

The Year 7 Boys Enter the Pedal Prix.

"Next year the Prince Alfred College year sixes then year sevens will be entering the Annual Clipsal Pedal prix competition. " These were the first words that we heard about our pedal entry last year. We were all excited that we would be able to enter into this prestigious event. No one really knew what we would be getting into but it sounded like fun anyway. The following year we found out more about the race and all of the details. "This race will be a twenty-four hour endurance race and there will be twenty riders selected to race for their school. They will not get much sleep and generally a lot of teams pull out because riders are not able to stay awake. " That was the point when around about thirty of the sixty people who wanted to enter pulled out (for obvious reasons) and then it came down to the most committed. The car was beginning to take shape although it looked more like a boat than a car. Unfortunately some boys did not make it because they were either too tall or they did not turn up for the making of the vehicle. On Tuesday we had our practice. It was great fun but we only got about two minutes in the vehicle around a quarter of the old Adelaide race track. We went basically without a hitch except for one or two people who almost crashed it. On Friday two boys went up to the track and scrutineered the vehicle. It went through safely and looked the best, we thought anyway. The big day arrived. Everyone had to be at the track by 8:00 although hardly anyone was. The time had come for us to be judged. We thought we did fairly well and we did. We explained all the materials we used and it was lucky they asked Richard Denton two questions about the frame (as he was the only one who knew anything about the roll cage material). After the judging we were all excited and couldn't wait to get out there and start racing. Finally the time came for us to begin the race. There was a huge line of vehicles numbering around one hundred and twenty all up. We were around the back area of the track because there was Open, Senior Secondary, Junior Secondary and Primary. We were in Primary that was at the back because the Primary division was obviously the slowest but it eventually panned out over the 24 hours. It was tiring and long and we didn't get much sleep, some none at all thanks to the sponsorship of Jolt Cola! There was fierce competition between the teams and boys to get the fastest pit changes and lap times. Unfortunately we had some of the slowest pit changes. Thanks to our hard to place canopy we had some fifty second pit changes whereas some teams had fifteen second pit changes. We thought about taking off the canopy but that was impossible because our lap counter was attached to the canopy. The time passed and we started to get used to the vehicle. There were some really quick times being clocked and each lap got quicker and everyone got more tired. Then the night came. At some parts of the track it was pitch black, the only guide you had was the cars red beepers at the back and our tiny lights. The event went without a hitch until 12:30 with thirty minutes to go and Aaron Garry turned the corner and SNAP! The steering mechanism broke off and Aaron went flying into the wooden barrier with no control over the vehicle. Pandemonium broke out and a "quick fix" solution was found. Then we were lucky to finish the race with care because the corners were harder to get around because you couldn't jolt the steering wheel. The race had come to a end and PAC NITRO raced home with pride. After that it was presentation time. PAC won two awards and went home feeling proud.

Austin Toner & Paul Kapiris 7D



Mathew Rex flying down the main straight in "Nitro".

Chess, Public Speaking and Debating

Preparatory School Chess Teams with shields & pennants at the conclusion of the 1996 season.



Chess 1996

In term four last year a team of ten people consisting of Toby Miller, Tom Bridges, Lachlan Scott, Tom Magain, Michael Buxton, Simon Moschou, Joseph Crosby, Cameron Doody, Sam Koh and Richard Warneke entered the Koshnisky Shield Competition. Our team was very successful and won the shield. The C Red chess team consisting of Dudley Buxton, Matthew Myhill, Stephen Gabriel, David Harrison and Adam Temple won the C grade chess shield. At chess presentation night some people received medallions, certificates and trophies for their efforts during the year.

Sam Koh 7M

Chess

This year has been an outstanding chess season for all teams. We have had eight teams consisting of forty boys and boys from years two to four playing and practising at lunch times. This year our A teams results were very tight and were fought out to the last minute. A Red consisting of Simon Moschou, Sam Koh, Richard Warneke, Tom Kernot and Chris Tidswell, finished in fifth place and A White consisting of Chris Spencer, Andrew Pomery, Nick Pappas, Jordan Allen and Paul Wong, finished in fourth. These two teams will combine to make a team to compete in the Koshnitsky Shield in fourth term. The B's were successful with B Red second, B White third and B Gold finishing fourth.

The C's played extremely well as C Red came first winning the C Central division, C Gold were second and third C White. All three teams will play in fourth term playoff. Congratulations to David Harrison and Andrew Ramsey as both players managed to stay undefeated. Well done! Special thanks to Mrs Shirley Mildren, Mr Richard Thorne and Mrs Nan Williamson for all their encouragement and support towards our teams and also to Dr Selby who coached boys in year 2 to 4. Congratulations boys on a wonderful season!

Simon Moschou 7M

Prep School Debating

This year debating in the Prep School has been very successful. Many students in years 6 and 7 have shown interest in debating. As a result of this, with the support and encouragement of our teachers and parents PAC entered seven debating teams in the inter school debating competition. Even though only three students compete in one debate the reserve for that debate supports their team, helps them with their arguments and speeches as well as helping to time, chair and organise the debate. Team one and team three did remarkably well and made it to the quarter-finals where they competed against each other. Team one consisted of George Georgiadis, Edward Grieve, William Dorsch and Jade Eley. Team three consisted of Alex Politis, Tom Ellison, Matthew Davis and James Cuthbertson.

From there team three won and moved into the semi-finals. As you can see PAC has done very well this year in inter school debating. As well as inter school debating there has also been debating within the school. There have been many PACE lessons to help people who are involved with public speaking. In these lessons students learnt many debating techniques and how to rebut other teams points. Mrs Magain and Mrs Wright have given a lot of encouragement and support as well as helping out with inter school competitions. In term four there is also a House debating competition. This is a competition where all the houses in the Prep School compete against each other. The teams in this competition consist of 3 students and one reserve. There are many good debaters in the school so it will be a very good debate of a high standard and there will be a lot of competition.

Aaron Garry & George Georgiadis 7M

Public Speaking

This year thirty four boys from years 6 and 7 participated in the Junior Orator Competition. Four preliminary heats were held at PAC and we congratulate all boys on their fine performance. The standard of all speakers was excellent. The winners of these heats progressed to the Inter School Semi Finals. Our representatives in the Semi Finals were Jordan Welden-Iley, Paul Kapiris, Matthew Myhill and George Raptis. These boys performed extremely well in a very tough competition which required all speakers to deliver a four minute prepared speech and an impromptu speech of three minutes duration. Preparation for the impromptu speeches was a mere twenty minutes.

The confidence and poise of all speakers was outstanding and we were especially pleased with George Raptis who won his semi-final heat and went on to compete in the Grand Final which was held at Walford early in term two. George was a fine representative for PAC and we congratulate him on gaining third place. Well done George!

Thank you to Mrs Wright, Mrs Williamson, Mr McLaren and Mrs Bauer for their support and encouragement throughout the season.

Football & Soccer 1997

A Football

The A Football teams first term was very good. We only lost four games including the one in the SAPSASA knockout. It was quite obvious that the team had improved a lot during the course of the season. Even though the conditions in the second half of the season got worse and worse, our mid field, consisting of Sam Hurburgh and Evan Lucas worked hard. Leigh Schelvis and James Dalwood swapping ruck worked superbly winning most of the centre breaks. Luke Richards at centre half back nullified the best players on opposition sides. Todd Jones proved to be the centre half forward we were looking for, using good speed, agility and also height to make the most of our forward movements. Our team was at its prime going into the last two games against St Michaels and St Peters. Against St Michaels we were pumped and ready, but our forward lines were not functioning and also were very wasteful, kicking fifteen behinds. It was in the last quarter that we started putting some goals on the board, but it was too late. We came within one point and when the siren went there was bitter disappointment in the PAC camp. Then it wasn't long before Intercol. It was the most important game of the year and we weren't going to let the worst happen again. We went out there and were down at the end of the first quarter, but an excellent two quarters after that had us up by three or four goals at half time. Then the worst happened, Saints came back. . . . . Just beating us to it, they ran out winners by two points. I would like to congratulate the whole team on a great effort for the season and make a special mention to Evan Lucas for being named Best and Fairest for 1997 and winning the Knight Shield.

Sam Hurburgh 7W

B White Football

The 1997 season was one of considerable growth for all of the boys involved with the White team. After a slow start we able to develop quite a strong team rapport despite weekly movement of some players between the A and B teams. Individuals settled into positions as Term two closed, allowing us continued success into Term three. I was able to observe growth in the players' skill and self-belief which is always a satisfying experience to any coach. The final score of this years Intercol did not reflect the effort and competitiveness with which we hit Saints. It was a tough, hard fought game and we managed to get closer to Saints than any other competitor they faced this year. Throughout the season the team enjoyed the support of parents in the roles of goal umpires, timekeepers and vocal urgers. This was greatly appreciated by the boys and myself.

Mr Paul Hodgins

B Red Football

1997 saw a good season for the B Red footballers whose skill and confidence increased markedly under the able direction of coach Adam Wills. We played our matches with a core of B Red players plus other boys each week from other squads.

Each week the boys worked well together and were able to use team work to good effect. My thanks to all parents who came to cheer for their sons and to those who volunteered to be goal umpires and time keepers.

Mrs Jenny Gilchrist

Year 5 Football

This football season the year five players had a great time, being coached by Mr Harris.

We were only defeated once during the season, unfortunately to Saints in the Intercol. We had defeated them twice in the season previously.

In most games we led at each change and won easily. However, in some games we had to make major comebacks. One memorial game was against St Ignatius, when we were four goals down at three quarter time and had only kicked one goal up until that time. A desperate final term enabled us to win by one point.

Overall, the year five footballers have many aspects to be proud of, with their team and individual efforts this season. The players would like to thank Mr Harris our coach, Mr Hurn for helping at training and all the parents who goal umpired and vocally supported us on the sidelines each week.

Michael Healy 4/5L

Year 4 Football

The Year 4 Football team performed very well this season. Congratulations to all team members! We had some good wins with the boys playing to the best of their ability every game. The boys attitude to the game, their good team spirit and their willingness to listen and learn resulted in all team members improving their skills and their understanding of the game. We began the season with Mr Nicholas Smith as coach. Nicholas was ably followed by Hamish Dillon. Dr Malcolm Wicks coached the Lightning Carnival games and Cameron Lampshed and Neil Billerwell coached our final game against St Peters. We thank all coaches very much for their efforts with the team. Last but not least go our thanks to all the wonderful parents who braved the elements each Saturday to support the team (with a special thank you to our enthusiastic goal umpire).

Mrs Lyn Bauer

A Soccer 1997

It was a very successful season for the A Soccer team with only three losses and some fantastic wins. There was no best player as the team was bonded together and played incredibly well. Thank you Glen Dodds, you were an excellent coach and the team wouldn't have done as well without you. Glen was very persistent. Overall, it was a fantastic season with superb defending by Dino Vrynios, William Dorsch, Ki-tae Park, Shep Weisz and Nick Radbone. Also fantastic forwards and midfielders like Michael Bethune, Austin Toner, John Besir, John Seely, Lucas Goode, Daniel Tsagouris, Nick Alvaro and Matthew Mitolo, and our skilful keeper Andrew Siciliano.

Michael Bethune & William Dorsch 7M

Year 5 Soccer

We started off the year with many players who had not played soccer before. We improved with each game. Although we had a bad season many players picked up the skills of the game. Our season consisted of only one win with very few goals scored. Some of the strong players were Ben Stewart, Nick Schwartz and Matthew Cherry. Alex Dorsch, Tom Denton, Athin Christou and Brett Willsmore joined us for a few games towards the end. During the year we learnt to play as a team, which is the main thing.

Ben Stewart 4/5L

Soccer, Basketball & Hockey 1997

Year 5 Soccer

The Year 5 Soccer Team played throughout the season with great enthusiasm. This proved to be a season for developing basic soccer skills, as many of the players had little or no previous experience in the game. The team responded well to coaching and gradually started to improve their ball skills and subsequently began to develop as a team. Towards the end of the season the squad was boosted by the return of more experienced Year 5 players who had been making up numbers for the B2s. With this extra support the team quickly gained confidence, began to score, and won their first game. I would like to congratulate all the boys for their positive team spirit throughout the season. Many thanks to all the Year 5 parents for their support each week.

Mrs Hilary Cayley

B1 Soccer

Our B1 soccer team was quite successful. Our team was coached by James Mackie. Our forwards were Paul Rech, Scott Taylor, and Adam Rinaldi. Our mid-fielders were; James Clarke, Simon Moschou, James Hoimes, and George Georgiadis. Our defenders were Michael Chrisohoou, David Leung, Jamie Pillarinos, and our goalie was Michael Davies. Also in our team were Sam Horne and Sam Koh. We won about half of our games and experienced a really great year. Our skills improved and we enjoyed the Saturday morning competitions. We are looking forward to another good season of soccer in 1998.

David Leung 6H & George Georgiadis 7M

A Basketball

In this year's Basketball season we played games against three bigger and stronger teams. These teams were Pulteney, Saint Peters and Pembroke. At the end of the season we finished 4fourth on the ladder. We had to play the top two teams. In our first game we played the best team, Pulteney, who gave us a shock and not a lot of confidence when they won by 34 points. We won our next couple of games and beat teams we had never beaten in past years. Then we played Saints for the first time, but not as a full team due to some injuries. This made it much easier for Saints to win by a much larger margin. In the bad weather and on a bad court we didn't move the ball well. At the end of the season we had won more games than we had lost and had beaten better, taller teams. Although we had a few losses this could not put our battling team off! Boys who played in the A team were; Jon Tamblyn, Edward Grieve, Nikonus Pappas, Michael Almond, Ryan Cogan, Andrew Pomery, Joseph Mencel, Jade Eley, Paul Wong & Chris Spencer.

Jon Tamblyn 7W & Edward Grieve 7M

B Basketball

This year the B Basketball team played nine games during the winter season. They were able to win five of their games only loosing to Westminster three times and Saints once. Throughout the season the boys worked on their offensive and defensive skills and their team work. The improvement they made in these areas was evident when they played Scotch in the last game of the season winning by sixteen points in a high standard game.

The highlight of the season was the game against St Ignatius where they scored a very comfortable win scoring 48 points to St Ignatius' 16 points. The team was well served by the point guards; Michael Popp, Christian Blair, Alex White. Paul Wong and James Perkins. Michael and Christian set up many fast break opportunities. This season the back court was controlled by Andrew Hobby, Tom Huxtable and Gareth Roberts.

Mr McLaren

Year 6 Basketball

During the basketball season Duncan Lock and Miss Lindner gave up their time to train the year 6 basketball team. Throughout the season the year 6 basketball team won 2 out of 11 games. [Not the best they could do!] Towards the end of the season they picked up the pace and you could see the progress they had made. Boys from year 6 who had played basketball the year before improved a lot. The boys in the team were Sam Tirrell, Alan Hickinbotham, Jordan Platis, Trent Stolery, Justin Teal, Toby Findlay. Adam Tassone, Sam Eley and Jonathan Nguyen all came up from the year 5 team to help provide some strength and extra ball handling.

Jordan Platis & Sam Tirrell 6HS

Year 5 Basketball

The year 5 basketball team consisted of nine players who were Sam Eley, Chris Donaldson, Nic Blair, Tom Ricketts, Phillip Selby, George Nicholas Baranik -Vlahakis, Andre Gascoigne and Chris Nelson. The year 5 team won five out of eleven games. Our most memorable game was against St. Ignatius a 78 to 11 win for us. The highest scorer for the game was Nic Blair with 26 points, Sam Eley with 24 and Chris Donaldson with 20. Unfortunately we lost the Intercol. We would like to send out a special thank you to all the parents who came along and supported us all along the way. A special thanks to our coaches Duncan Loch, Susan Lindner and Leisa Moore for helping us become better at basketball.

Sam Eley & Chris Donaldson 5H

Hockey

Throughout this year PAC have won, and lost a few games. We have not gone quite as well as PAC has in previous years but we all had a lot of fun and learnt heaps of new skills. This year we had two teams, PAC Red and PAC White. Although we lost a high percentage of our games we put in a lot of effort and had great determination. Our whole team enjoyed the year and played a great team game. The boys who were new to the sport played well and developed some useful skills. These boys will be a good asset to the teams next year.

WELL DONE BOYS!!!!!

Nick Hosking 7W, Jordan Allen 7M & Tom Treloar 7D.

Cross Country, Athletics & House Sport 1997

House Cross Country

In week five of term three the boys from grades 3-7 participated in the House Cross Country. The boys from under 8 to under 10 had to run 2km's and the boys in the under 11, under 12 and Open categories had to run 3km. The placings were:

1st	U/8	Jake Stacy
1st	U/9	Adam Cunynghame
1st	U/10	George Choimes
1st	U/11	Lucas Goode
1st	U/12	Cameron Garry
1st	U/13	Toby Medlin

The results of the House Competition were:

1st	Robertson
2nd	Chapple
3rd	Mitchell

District Cross Country

In week four of term three, the District Cross Country was held in the park lands. It was a very cold day, but that didn't stop us from performing well. In the Open age group, Toby Medlin had a great win followed by Even Lucas. In the U/12 group, Cameron Garry had a very comfortable win, followed by a puffed Shep Weisz. In the U/11's Lucas Goode was beaten on the line, but still won overall for the boys. Unfortunately the U/10's, 9's and 8's weren't as successful as the older age groups.

State Day

In week five of term three, SAPSASA Cross country was held at Bonython Park. Some of the place getters were Aaron Garry, who came second in the U/12 in division two. Paul Rech came second in division 3 for U/12. Toby Medlin had the fastest time of the day, which was 11:04 for the Open 3km run. Toby also came fifth in this run. This year the boys have been very competitive and have been very successful in cross country. Let us hope it will continue for years to come.

Cameron Garry & Toby Medlin 7W

Athletics Standards

During term one this year the three Houses were involved in the Athletic Standards program. Each boys receives points for gaining either an A, B or C standard in the major athletic events. This year the RW Hurn Shield for House Athletic Standards was won by Robertson House.

House Sport 1997

During this year we have had a series of contests between our three houses, Chapple, Mitchel and Robertson. We have contested every house sport including cricket, tennis, football, soccer, hockey, swimming, public speaking/debating, chess, cross country and athletics. All of the houses have had their fair share of wins in these events. All students who have played have contested with enthusiasm and fair play. They have been a credit to their houses.

The results have been: Football - 1st Mitchell, 2nd Robertson and 3rd Chapple. Hockey - 1st Chapple, 2nd Robertson and 3rd Mitchell. Soccer - 1st Chapple, 2nd Robertson and 3rd Mitchell. Basketball - 1st Chapple, 2nd Robertson and 3rd Mitchell.

James Bonner 7D

House Athletics Sports Day

House Sports day was held on the last Thursday of term three. Chapple went into the in day with a narrow lead after the field events which were held earlier in the week. They extended upon the lead throughout the day to win quite convincingly. At the end of the day they were on 170 points, Robertson was second on 121 points and Mitchell came third on 97 points.

Individual age group champions were;

U/9	James Spriggins	Chapple
U/10	Christopher Davies	Chapple
U/11	Lucas Goode	Chapple
U/12	Cameron Garry	Robertson
OPEN	Evan Lucas	Mitchell

Evan Lucas also won the Milner Senior Athletics Cup for the best Year 7 Athlete.

Congratulations to all the boys who participated in individual or team events for their houses on the day.

Matthew Mitolo 7D

Sports Teams 1997



A 1 Cricket

Front: D Vrynios, M Bethune, L Richards, P Kapiris, E Coombe, B Murray

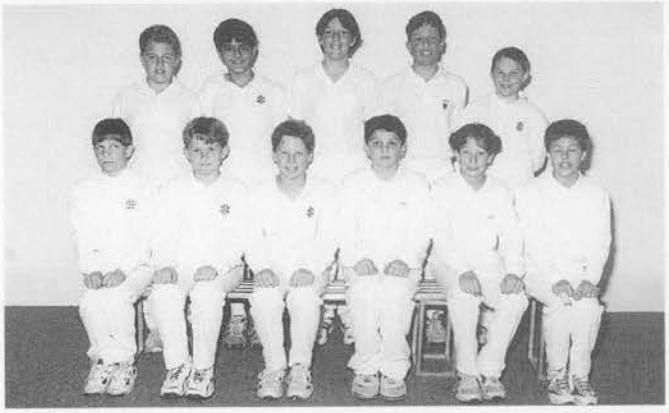
Back: R Denton, S Knight, L Schelvis, E Lucas, S Hurburgh, Mr R Hurn



A2 Cricket

Front: T Medlin, A Temple, M Mitolo, M Broadbent, M Myhill, A Politis

Back: D Tsagouris, J Dalwood, E Grieve, B Galea, Ms T Learmonth



B 1 Cricket

Front: M Kahl, A Ramsey, M Popp, A Siciliano, H Fincher, T Acott

Back: S Hains, J Hoimes, J Thomas, M Davis, B Harry



B2 Cricket

Front: M Stoyanoff, T Kernot, A Doolette, N Mockford, A Rinadli, T Phillips, J Eley

Back: H House, R Cogan, M Davies, M Jarvis, S Taylor, Mrs S Wright



B3 Cricket

Front: T Wheeler, J Clarke, B Walrut, N Hosking, T House, R Cook, D Harrison

Back: R Warneke, A Kelly, J Perkins, C Traianos, T Ellison, A. Hickinbotham, Miss J Gregory



Year 5 Cricket

Front: B Stewart, D Oetjen, B Noske, C Nelson, C Gosling, G Buxton

Back: D Romano, T West, C Prior, H Penhall, J Nguyen, A West, Mr I Penny

Sports Teams 1997



Year 5 Cricket

Front: H Hawkes, N Cervelli, N Schwartz, M MacIntosh, J Lian, S Eley

Back: A Christou, B Willsmore, T Brebner, C Davies, T Lambert, N Blair, C White.

Mr Hawkes and Mr Schwartz



Year 5 Cricket

Front: S Skirianos, P Selby, C Raeside, N Blanch, C Spencer, D Toh, B Nobbs

Back: R Olver, T Denton, T Ricketts, M Healy, J Pugh, Mrs Blanch



A Tennis

Front: M Turner, A Toner, C Garry, S Bromell, S Moschou, T Hicks

Back: A Garry, J Dufour, J Selway, J Besir, D Leung, Mr S Shepherd



B Tennis

Front: W Dorsch, C Phillis, B Raggatt, M Kildea, L Goode, H Perks, P Wong

Back: A Pomery, J Na, T Jones, N Pappas, T Huxtable, Mrs E Parker



C Tennis

Front: J Welden-Iley, A Dorsch, W James, A White, N Radbone, W Phillips, M Dodd

Middle: Mrs L Brook, S Tyndall, N Bromell, C Donaldson, G Gerogiadis, T Treloar, N Rees, A Tassone, Mrs C O'Leary

Back: A McLaughlin, T Stollery, P Rech, J Platis, J Bonner, J Gustafsson, M Neale



Preparatory School Chess Teams.

Sports Teams 1997



A Basketball

Front: J Eley, P Wong, J Mencel, A Pomery, R Cogan
Back: N Pappas, E Grieve, M Almond



B Basketball

Front: A White, P Wong, T Huxtable, J Perkins, M Popp



Year 6 Basketball

Front: J Nguyen, A Tassone, A Hickinbotham, J Teal, T Findlay
Back: T Stollery, J Platis, S Tirrell, Mr D Lock



Year 5 Basketball

Front: P Selby, G Baranik-Vlahakis, C Prior, T Ricketts, N Blair, A Gascoigne
Back: M Neale, C Donaldson, C Spencer, S Eley, Mr D Lock



A Soccer

Front: D Vyrnios, N Radbone, W Dorsch, A Siciliano, M Mitolo, M Bethune, D Tsagouris
Back: A Toner, N Alvaro, J Besir, S Weisz, L Goode, K Park, J Seely



B Soccer

Front: D Leung, J Clarke, J Hoimes, M Davies, P Rech, G Georgiadis, S Taylor
Back: S Moschou, J Pillarinos, Coach, A Rinaldi, M Chrisohoou

Sports Teams 1997



B Soccer

Front: A Dorsch, B Willsmore, M Kahl, S trains, D Nesbitt, D Marshman, T Denton

Back: A Christou, J Gustafsson, R Cook, S Reid, B Van der Zee, T Wheeler, Mrs L Polain



Year 5 Soccer

Front: H Hawkes, D Toh, S Skirianos, N Schwartz, M Cherry, D Oetjen, B Stewart

Back: B Nobbs, D Bezborodow, J Lian, C Gosling, C Davies, A Cavanagh, Mrs H Cayley



Minkey Teams

Front: B Magain, M Simounds, J Sullivan, T Haskard, P Sadlier, J Bahnisch, M Roberts

Back: B Wingate, A Antoniadis, S Spiel, S Rex, S Ellison, R Gilott



Year 6 & 7 Debating Teams

Front: J Welden-Iley, C Vrynios, A White, C Garry, M Bethune, J Bomner, C Tidswell, A Garry, J Eley

Middle: D Harrison, M Jarvis, J Pillarinos, C Traianos, E Grieve, N Hosking, T Kernot, W Dorsch, A Politis

Back: Mrs S Wright, S Moschou, M Davis, T Ellison, E Lucas, L Schelvis, J Allen, G Georgiadis, M Myhill, Mrs J Magain

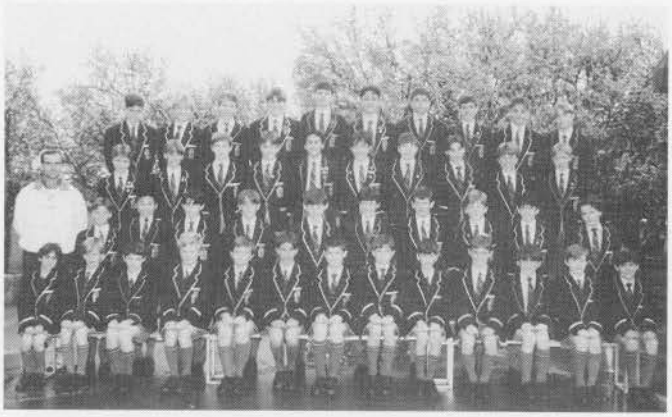


SAPSASA Swimming Team

Front: M Simounds, A Tassone, T Lambert, T hicks, T West, W Phillips, J Babuisch

Middle: C Davies, N Alvaro, E Lucas, L Richards, M Kildea, B Murray, Mrs S Shepherd

Back: N Rees, P Kapiris, N Hosking, L Schelvis, L Goode, A Brown



SAPSASA Cross Country Team

Sports Teams 1997



A Football

Front: A Temple, B Galea, P Kapiris, L Schelvis, T Jones, G Raptis, M Jarvis, M Myhill
Middle: H House, C Phillis, B Raggatt, E Lucas, JR Thomas, M Broadbent, R Denton, C Garry, Mr G Dalwood
Back: A Politis, B Murray, S Hurburgh, L Richards, J Dalwood, E Coombe, A Garry, T Medlin



B Football

Front: M Turner, D Harrison, H Fincher, S Scaglione, T Acott, A Ramsey, H House
Middle: C Phillis, M Jarvis, M Kildea, T Ellison, H Perks, J Bonner, B Walrut, Mr P Hodgins
Back: B Galea, S Gilchrist, C Traianos, L Schelvis, M Davis, A Doolette



B Football

Front: T Medlin, B Harry, E Coombe, A Temple, R Sandow, M Stoyanoff, T Hicks, N Bourne
Back: Mrs J Gilchrist, T Kernot, N Monksfield, J Na, S Knight, J Thomas, T House, T Phillips, Mr A Wiles



Year 5 Football

Front: D Romano, N Martin, A West, T Brebuer, T Lambert, T West, C White, G Choimes
Back: C Raeside, S Tyndall, H Penhall, N Blanch, M MacIntosh, N Rees, M Healy, A Na, Mr C Harris



Year 4 Football

Front: F Rech, A Barletta, T Walrut, G-M Chronis, L Wicks, C Bonesmo, T Oliver, N Giulianetti
Back: M Simounds, B Wingate, O Wearne, W Badge, A Brown, P Savvas, B Brew, T Haskard, Mrs L Bauer



Hockey Teams

Front: A Clothier, J Welden-Iley, R Dodd, G Buxton, E Wylie, M Dodd, A Stevens
Middle: R Olver, A McLaughlin, S Bromell, H Adamson, N Bromell, B Noske, J Pugh
Back: Mr M d'Unienville, N Cervelli, M Sullivan, N Hosking, J Dufour, T Treloar, W Phillips, Mrs J Magain.

The Making of a Princes Man Through Leadership Roles



Prefects – 1997

Back Row (L to R): *M.S. Gobolos, M.W. Henderson, M.A. Jones, M.D. Rasheed, A.G. Rosser, D.M. Forbes, S.M. Nalder, M.D. Hobby, D.E. Polomka, L. Williams*

Front Row(L to R): *K.K.H. Khaw, A.M.J. Linn, T.J. Tamblyn, T.J. Wickham, Dr. B.J. Webber, T.O. Pledge, J.W. Adams, C.R. Drew, D.J. Fung*

New Leaders for New Times
(Judges 2: 6-7, 14-19)

"These are the best of times, these are the worst of times" (Charles Dickens, A Tale of Two Cities) is the beginning of a story set in a time of turmoil and revolution, of hope and despair, of power and opportunity. These words could have just as easily been written about today, about 1997, about the year that is just beginning and for which you are about to be inducted as prefects.

1997 is a year full of promise, full of opportunity. It is a year where more new things will be discovered, developed and change the way that we think and work. There will be technological advances that even you, the children of the technological revolution could never imagine. There will be more changes to the way you learn than there have been in the lifetime of those of us who work and teach in this place. You will continue to deal with topics that only a relatively short time ago were only dealt with in universities. This is a time of revolution but it is also a time of turmoil.

There are challenges that face you that did not really confront me when I was your age. In spite of all the advances in areas such as transport or communication, medicine or energy you are still entering the countdown to issues that will put you on your toes.

Not only are there issues that wait for you once you leave this place there are also issues that are here now, waiting to push your patience and ingenuity.

1997 is not 1996 even if 1996 was with us only a few short weeks ago. Last year's leaders have gone, last year's problems will take on a different shape, last year's year elevens have disappeared and been returned as year twelves. You cannot hide in the past anymore than anyone else can hide in the past. You cannot even use last year's solutions even if there might be resemblances. 1997 is not 1996, all 1996 can do is to prepare you for 1997 and 1997 demands new leaders for new times

At the end of last year there was grief in the air as students who had been part of this place for a long time were farewelled. Teachers reflected on the loss that they and the school would feel because this student or that would no longer be here. There was reflection over the difficulties associated with trying to replace people who had been leaders in a whole range of ways and in a whole set of circumstances. But even as the year drew to a close change was in the air, new leaders for new times were already emerging as so many of you, as year elevens, volunteered to fill those gaps left by the departing year twelves.

As prefects you represent those who have emerged out of the shadows of 1996 into the spotlight of 1997. You will surprise us in many ways as you travel through the year. We will see some of you who have been quiet achievers, shadowing figures in

some way, we will see you emerge into the spotlight and respond to the challenges of leadership. We will see others of you confirm the promise of the past by doing what you have always done, lead. We will also see some of you struggle with the challenge and it will be an effort to carry the leadership torch. And it is always possible that you might actually trip and fall.

The reading this morning could well have been about today and about you. It is about the best of times and the worst of times, it is about hope and disappointment. Above all though it is about the way in which God always raises up new leaders for new times.

Joshua was an understudy to Moses, the man who led a desperate group out of slavery towards freedom. Moses died before they actually entered the promised land. His death was a major blow and there were those who wondered about how they would cope. But it was Joshua who emerged from the shadows to take the lead, to encourage, to challenge and to show the way. Joshua became the new leader for a new time.

Maybe the burden and opportunities that are yours are not quite in the same league as Joshua's. After all, Joshua had the responsibility for the founding of a new nation. However, that is not to say that you can sit back and relax or imagine that what you do is not of any real importance.

You still stand in the same tradition, you still stand in the same tradition of those prefects who have gone before you, you still carry with you that expectation that has been carried before you.

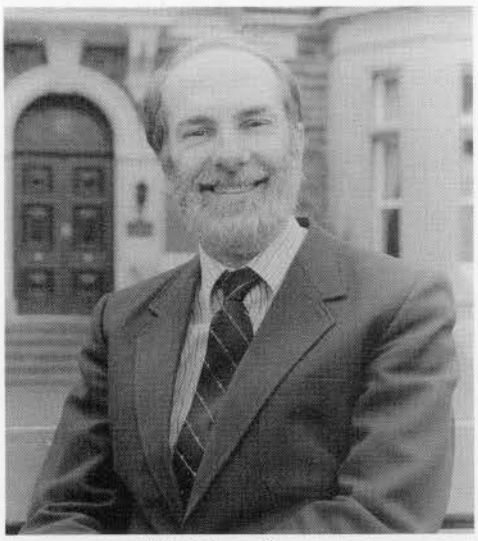
While you stand in that same tradition, though, you do not, and should not, stand in the shadow of those who have gone before you. There is neither any need to hide nor any useful purpose to be served by looking to move into the shadows.

In many ways, all the past is just that, past. You remain new leaders for a new time. You have both the opportunity, the responsibility and the support to be leaders for now.

Your leadership will mean that you will need to look for ways to exercise it in the context of this year. You will need to seek out ways to show others what it means to be part of this community, to seek out ways to demonstrate that even the most unlovable are important, to show that it matters nothing whether you look, speak or act differently that you are to be valued; to be in the forefront of practising justice when injustice has occurred; to adopt behaviours that are responsible examples to others; to support your colleagues when they seek to act as leaders.

As the year unfolds there will be times when you will be faced with situations that will be new and/or uncomfortable. As and when they arise remember that you are new leaders for new times; that you stand in the tradition of others who have also been new leaders in new times; that you do not take on this task without help and counsel being available; and that, like Joshua, you will need to challenge, to lead, to encourage and to show the way. And also, like Joshua, you can be assured that God will be with you whether you seek him or whether you do not.

Dr. Adrian Brown
Chaplain



Dr. Adrian Brown



Dr. Stephen Weisz with Shaun Nalder

The Making of the Modern Prince Alfred College: Enrichment from the Cultural Diversity of its Families



It is important that this school embraces the ideas of diversity for many reasons. First of all, many boarders come from overseas. This shows that Princes has a reputation as an excellent centre of learning. It would not do that reputation much good if we seemed ignorant, bigotted and backward. Secondly, this school is Australian, and I believe that it is tolerance and acceptance that makes this country special. It is because the Australian culture does not force itself onto people of other cultures that people adopt the Australian culture. Thirdly, this school is a place of learning, and much can be learnt from people of other origins. It is our understanding of other people that makes us knowledgeable and not ignorant. I come from an ethnic background, and although I am uncertain of what it is I have contributed to this school, I can justly say that I have been enriched by the diversity of culture that Princes has to offer. (*Huy Nguyen*)



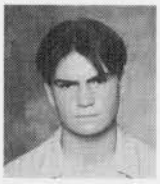
I think cultural diversity in our school is valuable. It gives us a chance to find out more about different cultures, languages, and ways of life from around the world. Cultural diversity helps us to understand how people of different backgrounds behave and probably brings racial groups together, with less chance of racism developing in later life. I find it valuable to have such a wide range of people in our school. (*Alexander Silz*)



With the friends we have in the Princes community, we are enlightened as to the ways of other cultures, and learn to respect everyone as an equal. Australia is a multicultural society, and if we are to be successful in life, we must learn as much as we can about other cultures. (*Matthew Fisher*)



The students from various cultures have brought with them their ways of life and are able to share them with us. Together we can celebrate various ceremonies and festivals of different cultures. We are able to understand and learn things about our friends' societies. We reflect, at Princes, the multiculturalism found in our country, Australia. (*Cheng Chen*)



I think it is a good thing to be part of a school with a rich multi-cultural mix. In our world in general, the human race needs to be brought together as one family. It is unacceptable to be divided because of colour of skin or country of origin. By being in a culturally diverse school such as Princes, we are able to develop the attitudes and skills of human relationships which will be of enormous benefit to us as adults. We also come to know ourselves better by interaction with friends from different cultures. (*Mitchell Raeside*)



I think that boys from a wide range of cultures attending Princes makes the school more interesting. If everyone was of the same background, it would be quite boring. I like sharing my Chinese background with my friends, and I like learning from their different backgrounds. (*Eric Cheng*)



Cultural diversity is very evident in the classroom, where we express different points of view, often related to our upbringing, religion and way of life. It gives us a chance to see into other cultures and learn first hand about life in other countries and cultures, rather than learning from textbooks, or depending on newspapers and T.V. programs. (*Alexander Gobolos*)

PRINCE ALFRED COLLEGE

1997

ANGLO-CHINESE SCHOOL (I) EXCHANGE

SINGAPORE ITINERARY

7.7.97

Arrive at the Adelaide International Airport at 9.30 am for departure on Malaysian Airlines flight MH 128 for Kuala Lumpur via Melbourne. 10.30 pm Flight MH 609 to arrive in Singapore at 11.30 pm. Hotel formalities to meet PAC party at the airport.

8.7.97

Free day with hotel formalities. Public holiday in Singapore.

9.7.97

School Day

10.7.97

Meet at The Speed Frame (ACS(I)) for a 7.30 am start on SBS #14 to the Singapore Mandarin Hotel in Orchard Road. Road will pick up the PAC party at 8.30 am for a City Tour of Singapore Cricket Club, Lady Hills, Supreme Court City Hall, Merlion Park, Esplanade & Anglican Church, Parliament House, Raffles Hotel, Thian Hock Keng Temple (Taoist Buddhist temple, built in 1841 by peasant farmers) for a photo session, Chinese Chamber of Commerce, Sri Mariamman (Hindu) Temple, Singapore Botanic Gardens, Tanglin Shopping Centre, Lunch at the Lucky Plaza Food Centre.

11.7.97

School Day

12.7.97

After Dr Ong welcomes the PAC party to ACS(I) at the whole school assembly in the Speed Frame, MED will reception and present gifts.

Take SBS bus #78 to the Bukit Timah MRT station. From there travel by MRT to the Ang Mo Kio MRT Station and transfer to SBS bus #138 at the bus interchange station to complete the journey to the Singapore Zoological Gardens, 80 Mandai Lake Road, Singapore 72 2826.

Return to school by 2.15 pm.

Meet at ACS(I) at 7.30 am to catch SBS bus #166 to the World Trade Centre. After a walk around the WTC, meet at the Cable Car Towers, 109 & 110 Km (~7 min) ride to Sentosa over Keppel Harbour. Enjoy the Singapore Cruise Centre. After a visit to Images of Singapore, you have time to explore Sentosa and meet at 1.15 pm at the Ferry Terminal, 2.30 pm meet at Watson's on the WTC for a Guided tour of the Port of Singapore and a visit to Kusu Island on the Harbour Cruiser. You will be transported to Kusu Island in a Chinese Temple and a Malay Kampong. Return to the mainland on board.

13.7.97

Sunday

14.7.97

Monday

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Tuesday

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Wednesday

17.7.97

Thursday

The Making of a Princes Man Through the Performing and Creative Arts

Once again Prince Alfred College has enjoyed a year rich in performing and creative arts. The enthusiasm and talent of students is well represented in the following pages.

READ ON AND CAPTURE THE PRINCES 'EXPERIENCE!'



Sir Joseph Porter K.C.B. (Tom Pledge) adresses the crew of the HMS Pinafore

HMS Pinafore

To have seen HMS Pinafore, and to have been a member of the audience was to have witnessed a true spectacle, epitomising the artistic talents of Princes men and the role cultural enrichment plays in the studies of Princes men.

Opening night was brilliant. I'm not one for musicals, but I admit, Pinafore was sensational. The fact that you know the people on stage, that you know they make mistakes and where and that you helped them through the weeks before, preparing their singing encourages you to admire the skill and dedication of all who took part in the musical, and to finally see it run through unabridged.

Sitting in the milieu of a hearty crowd, the anticipation was electric. Everything seemed just fine; 1...2...3...4..., the orchestra was a few bars into the overture. Suddenly from the aisle of Stanton block, came a panicked screech - some girl's co-ordination enabled her to drop a box of Maltesers. One way or another, the upturned box managed to expel all the little brown balls, which dribbled down the slope. Not surprisingly, they were crushed during interval, decorating the floor like a Pro-Hart.

The curtains opened and the crew of the HMS Pinafore were busily scrubbing the deck. I'll refrain from giving a synopsis of Pinafore as the proverbial nutshell doesn't exist here, but I will tell of the brilliant performances from individuals who played their roles both impressively and convincingly.

Buttercup appears on stage...Alexandra Mackie certainly does have stage presence! Her flamboyant singing and acting dominated the stage and caused riots in the stalls, only slightly masking the talents of her brother Ammon, singing as sailor Becket, has a truly classical voice. A regular in musicals, he sings difficult roles with great confidence.

James Pratt as Botswain's mate deserves much credit. His promising voice will no doubt play a major role in musicals to come. Ralph Rackstraw's determination not only convinced him he could reach those painful notes, but also win the heart of Josephine. I had helped with Kevin Khaw's singing on previous occasions where many frustrated notes were broken. He was ready to quit after a few weeks yet he persevered; his diligence was evident, and his performance was astounding.

Dick Deadeye, played by Chris Simcock, reminded us of his masterful role in last year's musical as Conrad Birdie. He added much to the humour of the evening. Corcoran's colourful antics and elegant singing were a pleasure to view, not to mention the laughs exercised from his and Buttercup's facial contortions. Andrew Linn's precise and melodious voice dominated his character, evident from once being a chorus boy in operas. Congratulations to Andrew on his first principal role in a musical!

Sir Joseph Porter's fiery brow was only mildly overpowered by those feathers and that hat. A musical performer, Tom Pledge showed us once again how much he loves the stage, and how he can work the audience successfully.

Josephine, the girl with *that* voice, amazed me. Those vertiginously high notes she had to pierce with her powerful voice were sung to perfection. Lara Eastick proved only *she* could have played Josephine.

Unfortunately, Freya Wilson, playing Hebe, suffered from a severe cold. As a result, her usually strong voice was masked (although I believe she had some of the best lines to sing), as were her introductions to that chorus who ignited the vocal chords. Thanks also to Emilie Schulze for the faint when Ralph warns not to love above rank and so, plans to kill himself. How dramatic!

The orchestra, as usual, was impressive. Gilbert and Sullivan tunes are very catchy, and the orchestra played melodiously, never overpowering the singers.

The musical seemed to have been produced in such a short time span - I was amazed at how performance week just sprang up on us all. However, sheer determination and encouragement from every member of the cast and crew made sure of the success of the musical.

And so, the accolades must be presented. Thanks to Mr. Gubbins for directing, Mrs. Penna for conducting, Mrs. Freeman, Mr. Dawe and the other vocal trainers for their well used time, Mrs. Howland for choreography, and also the set designers who used their ingenuity and creativity to transform common, practical things into an effective backdrop, and also to the costume designers and makeup assistants. Thanks to the technical crew, especially John Greiner and Mark Pettman.

Congratulations to all; the guys at Princes and the "sisters, cousins and aunts" from Annesley, who together produced a brilliant musical. No doubt they'll all want more of the stage - three nights of fame really isn't enough!

But let me ask one thing. "A many years ago, when she was young and charming, she practised baby farming" - how old *is* Buttercup - if she marries the person she farmed?

Lincoln Law 12 Stanton
Damian Fung 12 Delbridge



Ralph Rackstraw (Kevin Khaw) & the carpenter (Ammon Mackie) sing Sir Joseph's anthem



Buttercup (Alexandra Mackie) flirts with Captain Corcoran (Andrew Linn)

The Sneeze



The cast of "The Sneeze"

Plays about nothing, in the style of Seinfeld: that was what had Prince Alfred College talking after 'The Sneeze' and four other plays by Anton Chekhov were presented by Mr. Tom Eastland and his cast in the Prince Philip Theatre. These plays focused on the way that people behave in different situations, and although they were written in the nineteenth century they are still relevant and funny today. Ranging from the very short to about twenty minutes, the plays held the attention of the audience through-out its three night season; playing to a full house on all three occasions.

The presentation began with 'Drama' - the story of an aspiring playwright named Murashkina, played by Bec Lawson, who is trying to get her work recognised by a well known author, Vaseliyevich (Hugh Rowland). Unfortunately for her, the play is unoriginal and boring for Vaseliyevich. His interaction with the audience as she drones on is hilarious and there are numerous occasions when he i"s caught out by Murashkina. In the end though, this doesn't matter because he finally becomes so frustrated that he plunges a letter opener into her back in an effort to stop her from annoying him further.

There followed the story of a Russian land-owner Kamyshev, played by Paul Rofe, and his French servant, Champagne (Lachlan Williams) and their conversation over a meal. 'The Alien Corn' looks at the different ways that people can interpret what is said and how they react to those interpretations. Kamyshev makes many disparaging remarks about the French and eventually Champagne snaps and tells Kamyshev that he is leaving. He is unable to do this however, because Kamyshev has his passport and can't remember where he put it twenty years earlier when Champagne had come to work for him. The conversation and acting is riotous, with Paul Rofe superb in his role as the arrogant and racist Russian and as a result the straight role of Lachlan Williams was made all the better.

The final play before the interval was the title play, 'The Sneeze' which describes a night at the opera. In the stalls sits a highly ranked government official, played by Duncan Tan, and a more lowly ranked official, Chervyakov (Hugh Rowland). With no dialogue, the emphasis here was certainly placed upon the actors' expression which was excellent. A faux pas by Chervyakov is only emphasised as he tries to rectify the situation. The farce is finally halted by Duncan Tan's resounding right hand as he slaps Hugh Rowland who promptly has a heart attack and dies.

'The Bear' is a play about a widow named Popova and her refusal to pay her dead husband's debt to Smirnov played by Sam Barlow, a man whom she despises from the beginning. The feeling is certainly mutual as Smirnov stands firm against Popova's declarations of poverty. He remains in her sitting room despite the gallant efforts of Luka (Lachlan Williams), her servant, who tries to expel him but is too old to do so. As the play progresses the audience knows before the characters how it will end. We see the two characters become less and less anxious for the debt to be settled and in the end they realise this themselves... and act on it.

'The Proposal' tells of the pettiness that can stand in the way of the more important issues at hand. Lomov (Marcus Coates) asks Chubukov (Paul Rofe), for the hand in marriage of Natalya, his daughter played by Nicola Denton. Chubukov enthusiastically agrees and sends his daughter in so that Lomov can ask Natalya himself. Before he can do this however, Lomov and Natalya get into an argument over the ownership of some land and they vow not to talk to each other again. Lomov storms out and then Chubukov tells his daughter about the true purpose of Lomov's visit. She is also very happy with the idea and sends her father out to retrieve Lomov and ask him back. He returns and things are settled but then the couple get into another argument, this time over the relative merits of their dogs. This results in Lomov collapsing of heart failure and when he is revived after an hilarious scene in which Paul Rofe was very animated, Chubukov announces their marriage and says that they have started well; they are already behaving like a married couple, arguing all the time.

Over all, these five plays were presented superbly by the well prepared cast and were received very appreciatively by the audience. Congratulations must go to Tom Eastland and all involved, especially the backstage crew who made slick scene changes, allowing the action to proceed without losing the interest of the audience.

Mark Henderson
12 Delbridge



From Left: Paul Rofe, Duncan Tan and Lachlan Williams in "The Alien Corn"



Hugh Rowland and Bec Lawson in "Drama"

ARTS WEEK 1997



Pipes, tins and colourful things..... no, it's not the sound of Music, but rather the PREP PERCUSSION PARADE - the Grand Opening to Arts Week 1997, supported by Living Health, and masterminded by David Jacquier.

Every boy from Reception to Year 7 collected household items and made them into rattles, shakers, J-Pipes and Drums. They made costumes and dressed as pirates, space creatures, plastic men and visitors from the Orient.



The boys rehearsed their rhythms and learnt the "Gahu Song" (Welcome Song), learnt how to march, and with two full school rehearsals, put it all together.

The Parade began outside the Library in Prep School and marched past the Chapel and the front of the Main Building to gather outside the Assembly Hall, with each class beating its rhythmic way. The Senior Percussion Ensemble enhanced by Simon Varga's "Rhythm Works" performed the Opening Piece, composed by Simon. The Opening Speech prepared by Captain of Prep School Luke Richards, was also presented in French by Lincoln Law and in Chinese by Andrew Linn.

Then followed the food and festivities in the Undercroft, where everything from Indian Curry to Aussie pies and icecream was consumed to the accompaniment of "Sounds Big", "Rhythm Works" and Peter Leckie's student band "Aftertaste ". The traditional Fireworks display on the Front Oval brought a most enjoyable and exciting evening to a close.

The week's activities this year included storyteller Isobelle Carmody, cartoonist Michael Atchison, Shakespeare interpreter Vanessa O'Neill and exhibitions of sculpture by Guy Detot and photography by Joel Parrish. Performances of "Noises from the Bush", "Rivett 'n' Tuft", "Pandora's Box" and Pantomimes "Goldilocks" and "Three Little Pigs" (produced by Year 10 Drama classes) all inspired and entertained the younger audiences.



Our Musician-in-Residence was Lindsay Bingham from Canberra; in addition to a marvellous Recital on Thursday, Lindsay conducted Masterclasses every day for all the piano students. Adelaide Composer Kerin Bailey, whose pieces are now widely used in the AMEB, came to hear our students perform his music, then to share his latest pieces with a very enthusiastic audience. "Rhythm Works" and "Guitar Showcase" featuring some of our very talented Single Studies staff presented exciting Concerts for all year levels. Following Thursday Assembly, "The Hellenic Ensemble" presented a program of Greek music for the whole school.

This year, the students also took part in several concerts, including the "Student Showcase", "The Ensemble Showcase" and the "Choral Spectacular".

The film "Shine" was screened on Friday afternoon, following a very interesting forum by two of the Production team - Chris McGuire (Production Accountant) and Vicki Niehus (Production Designer).

Patron-of-Music, Rex Hobcroft conducted the final Masterclass on Friday afternoon, with some of our senior pianists displaying a high level of skill on the Grand Piano in the Chapel. Our thanks to all the staff, colleagues and parents who supported us in Princes' Biannial Arts Week.

Roger Marshman and Pam Freeman



Musician-in-Residence Lindsay Bingham works with Mark Woodforde

Music Report 1997

We were delighted to welcome Candace Kruger to the Music Faculty to teach Prep Class Music, and Thomas Eastland to teach Speech and Drama in the Senior School. Matthew Carey joined us as our Curriculum/Administration assistant; George Grifsas (Guitar), Richard O'Loughlin (Trombone) and Jim McCarthy (Percussion) were newcomers to the Single Studies Staff.

The year began with auditions and rehearsals for the annual Musical Production - this year HMS Pinafore (see separate report). Lots of energy went into our performances for Open Day in March, with all the ensembles and choirs performing at venues around the school, and several music classes presenting demonstration lessons in the Music Centre.

The Annual Service the following Sunday gave the new Festival Choirs their first liturgical performance, together with the Chapel Choir, Brass Ensemble and Chamber Orchestra.

The Music Faculty put on its annual Recital in April in the Assembly Hall, demonstrating an enormous depth of talent, versatility and dedication. It was also an opportunity for boys new to the school to hear all the instruments available to learn through the Single Studies program. Over three hundred and fifty students are enrolled in tuition this year, with many boys also playing in an ensemble or singing in a choir.

The Assemblies in both Prep and Senior School have continued to feature performances by our Choirs and Ensembles, including the newly formed Intermediate Concert Band and the long-awaited Big Band. Both have become very popular and have been much in demand during the year for various performances including the Big Band in the Rotunda for the Rowing Carnival, and the Intermediate Band in Rundle Mall.

The first planning meetings for Arts Week began in Term 1, for what turned out to be one of the most comprehensive and spectacular events in the 16-year history of Arts Week. (See separate report).

Tom Eastland's first Drama Production followed closely after the Musical in June. "The Sneeze" was an enormous success in the Prince Philip Theatre, with packed houses every night.

The Independent Schools Orchestra began rehearsals in second term, in preparation for their combined concert with the Vancouver Youth Symphony Orchestra early in Term 3. Four Princes Men took part - Jesse Adams (flute), Matthew Just (trumpet), Alexander Politis (violin) and visiting Work Experience Student Will Odell (Oboe) - in a spectacular Concert at the Westminster Performing Arts Theatre, featuring a combined Orchestra of over 100 musicians performing the Tchaikovsky 3rd Symphony.

In June, the Knox Grammar Gallery Choir arrived for a 5 day visit with our Chapel Choir. The Choirs combined under the direction of Meg Matthews (Knox) and Robert Dawe for rehearsals and performances. Led by our exchange Chaplain Dr Stephen Weisz, we presented an uplifting combined Service on the final Sunday Night. The Chapel Choir is looking forward to a return visit to Sydney next July.

The newly formed Big Band performed for the Old Old Boys Assembly at the end of July, indulging in some nostalgic tunes from the 40's prior to leading the singing of the School Songs during the Service.

The Music Advisory Committee has continued to meet on a regular basis, bringing various musical issues to our attention and assisting in all our musical functions, most particularly Arts Week and the Year 7 Social, which demonstrated excellent co-operation between the senior and prep students.

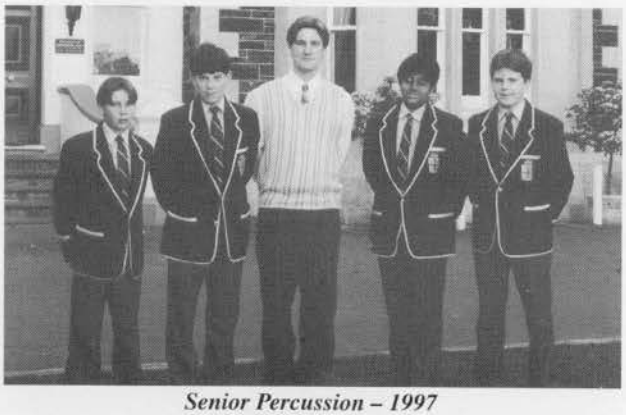
The Sunday Recital Series has continued to provide an important platform for our soloists in the Single Studies program. The range of instruments and variety of music has been stimulating and interesting for the enthusiastic audiences. With over 100 students learning piano, we were pleased to have the expertise of Musician-in-Residence Lindsay gingham during Arts Week this year. In addition to daily Master classes, Lindsay gave a 40 minute Piano Recital, and combined with Patron-of-Music Rex Hobcroft for the final senior master class. We are looking forward to the Annual Piano Graduation Concerts in November.

Music is an important part of life at Princes; it brings a great deal of pleasure to performers and listeners alike; it is a wonderful form of self expression and communication; it is a rigorous discipline and a umque mode of sharing.

Chapel Choir

The Chapel Choir has continued to maintain a high profile this year, singing for all the School Services, including the Easter Service, Carol Service, Old Boys Service and a number of Boarders' Chapels, including the Knox Gallery Choir visit and Dr Weisz' farewell Service. In addition to Weddings at Princes, the Chapel Choir also assist with Weddings at Kent Town Uniting Church.

At the Choral Spectacular in Arts Week, four choristers were presented with their "5-Year Medals": Michael Buxton, Micha Jensen, Tom Magain and Kahn Barnett. They join the inaugural S-year Choristers awarded in 1996: Tom Farrant, Mark Woodforde, Andrew Line, Sam Williams and Ben Fornarino.



Senior Percussion – 1997

L to R: *A.C. Rains, C.E. Paterson, Mr. S.E. Varga, B.J. David, W.M. Trowse*



Saxaphone Quartet – 1997

L to R: *Mr. I Drinkwater, A.J. Rogers, L.J. Sernecki L.G. McDonald, C.J. Leung*



Intermediate and Senior Band – 1997

Back Row L to R: *A.D. Cooper, T.C. Bourlotos, A.E. Saxon, A.J. Van Bavel*

Second Row L to R: *C.J. Leung, T.C. Nicholls, C.E. Paterson, L.J. Sernecki, A.J. Rogers, M.A. Brinkley, J.W.M. Pratt, L.D. McDonald*

Front Row L to R: *A.J. Markwick, M.J. Tysoe, T.N. Jackson, T.A. Donaldson, M.W. Rogers, A.P. Hough, S.D. Guthrie, A.J. Raptis*

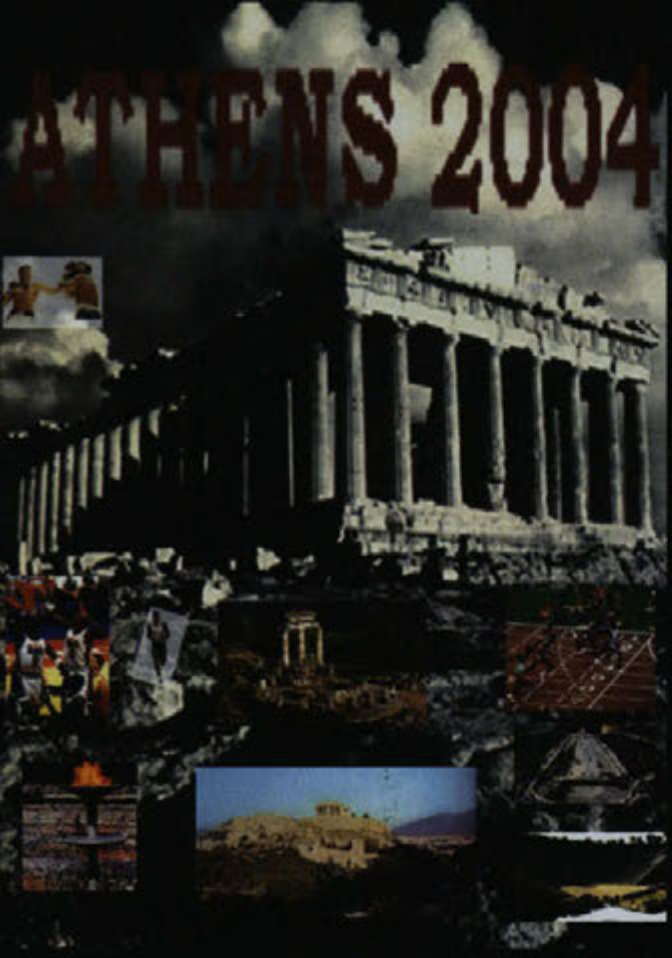


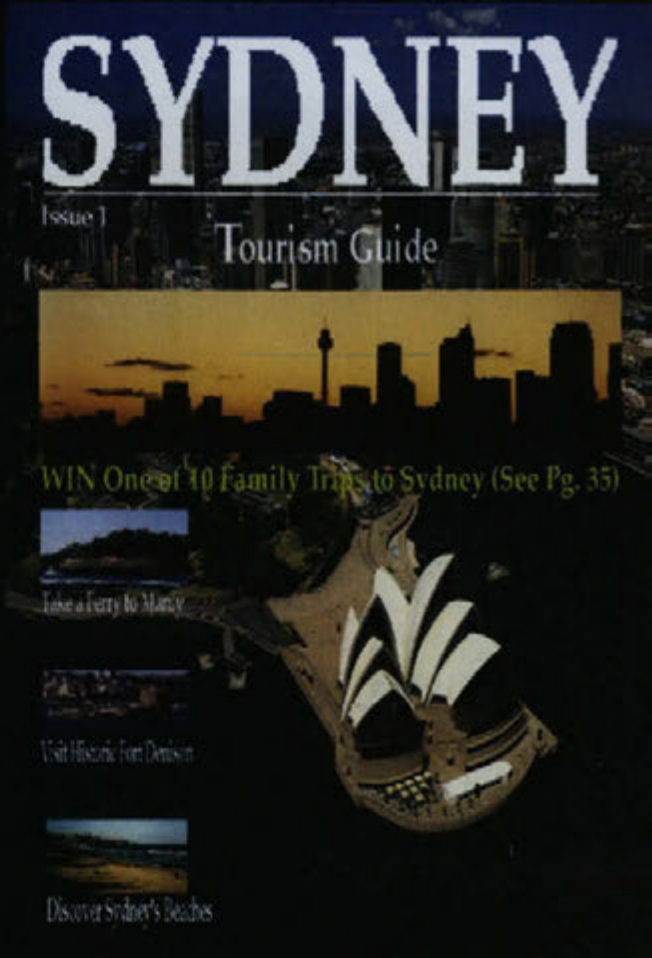
Chapel Choir – 1997

Back Row L to R: *N.D.T. Overbeeke, G.M. Raptis, S. Williams, A.M.J. Linn, D.R.M. Pilcher, D.M. Forbes, K.H.J. Barnett, J.W.M. Pratt, P.C. Kapiris*

Second Row L to R: *Mrs. P. Freeman, T.C. Bourlotos, R.A. Nache, B.R. Fornarino, N.J.A. Ritter, C.J. Leung, L.W. Richards, A.D. Hobby, J.F. Mitchell, B.J. David*

Front Row L to R: *A.J. Brook, J.I.C. Pugh, D.K. Leung, J.P. Bonner, T.C. Farrant, T. Margain, M.J. Buxton, H.D. House, G.A. Buxton, S.F. Keith, S. Moschou*





Year 9 Computer Graphics













"Seize the Day"
Princes Men and Opportunities Taken



Arts Awards – 1997

Back Row L to R: *J.J. Messner, T.N. Jackson, A.J. Markwick, J.F. Greiner*
Second Row L to R: *M.J. Pettman, A.M.J.Linn, Mrs. P. Freeman, Mr. R.H. Marshman*
Front Row L to R: *S. Saint, K.K.H. Khaw, M.J. Hartstone*

Arts Awards

Debating

Two Arts Awards were this year awarded in the area of debating. ***Jamie Messner***, in Year 11, is an active and committed schools debating participant and Intercollegiate debater. He has contributed his expertise as coach of an undefeated 1997 year 8 side and as an adjudicator in junior debates; he has willingly supported debates in various competitions and festivals in addition to interschool fixtures. He is a talented public speaker who has participated in the Rostrum and Plain English Speaking Competitions, achieving outstanding results at state and national levels. ***Michael Hartstone***, also in Year 11, has a long record of generous and skilled service to debating. He is an active and committed schools competition participant and Intercollegiate debater. He has also coached an undefeated 1997 year 8 side, adjudicated in junior debates and has supported debates in various competitions and festivals in addition to interschool fixtures. Michael is an unusually successful creative writer and is editor of the school's literary journal.

2nd Awards

Andrew Linn gained an Arts Award in 1996, when in Year 11, for outstanding contributions to music at Prince Alfred College. His commitment and dedication have continued into his final year where he has maintained a high musical profile as Head Chorister in the Chapel Choir and in his lead role as Captain Corcoran in this year's production of *HMS Pinafore*. Andrew has become very proficient on Pipe Organ, and has provided anthems for numerous services in the Erik Freak Memorial Chapel. Andrew's leadership and compassion for the younger musicians have shown him to be a superb role model and mentor. ***Simon Saint*** is a committed and dedicated musician and supporter of the Performing Arts at Prince Alfred College. In Year 11 last year, he received an Arts Award in recognition of his service to various orchestras, Ensembles and Productions since year 8. Simon has also made a significant contribution to the operations of music in the school through the music advisory committee, this year being a senior Member and a representative on the Arts Week Committee.

Technicians

John Griener is a competent musician and composer, but his real interest lies in technical production support, so necessary for every concert, performance and presentation. John has developed very specialised skills in sound and lighting and is this year the Head Sound Technician for Prince Alfred College. John's services have been in high demand for functions in every venue, indoor and out within the college and he has also assisted with assignments off-campus. John's willingness to train younger technicians, his obvious competence and calm commonsense have made him an excellent role model. Similarly, ***Mark Pettman's*** interest in technical production began in the Preparatory School, when he assisted behind the scenes as lighting technician in the year 7 production. Such are his talents that he is regularly sought after not only school demands, but those outside the school. In musical and Drama productions, Weekly Assemblies, Socials, Open Days, Arts Week, Concerts and Speech Night we have come to rely on Mark for his 'no-fuss' expertise.

Music

Andrew Markwick started his instrumental career on euphonium, changing to trombone in his second year of tuition. This led him into the Senior Brass Ensemble, the Chamber Orchestra and the recently formed Big band. His dedication and contribution to music as a performer and as a valued member of the Music Advisory Committee throughout senior school have been greatly appreciated. Although not an elective music student, ***Kevin Khaw*** has made significant contribution to arts and music during his time in senior school. As a singer, Kevin has contributed to the Chapel Choir, the Barbershop Singers and three productions, including the leading role of Ralph Rackshaw in this year's *HMS Pinafore*. Kevin's disposition, dedication and enthusiasm have made him an excellent role model, particularly in the musical productions. ***Thomas Jackson*** is a skilled performer on trumpet and a versatile musician. He has been actively involved in every ensemble available to him since year 7, including Concert Band, PAC/Annesley Orchestra, Chamber Orchestra, Senior Brass Ensemble and the Big Band formed this year due to Thomas' initiative. Always full of enthusiasm and determination to play at the highest level, Thomas is a great asset to the Music Department.

Debating



Debating – 1997

L to R: *M.J. Hartstone, S.I. Olver, J.J. Messner, A.P. Hough, B.S. Kurylowicz*

INTERCOLLEGIATE DEBATING

COACH: *Mr. W. Rayner*

Team: *M. Hartstone, A. Hough, B. Kurylowccz, J. Messner, S. Olver*

In the seventh annual Intercollegiate Debating contest, Prince Alfred College was represented by the Captain of Debating, Ben Kurylowicz, first speaker Scott Olver, second speaker Michael Hartstone, James Messner at third, with Andrew Hough as Chairman.

One and a half hours prior to the debate, the two sides were given a choice of three topics, from which "That we care more about the Crows than the State Election" was selected. On the basis of a coin toss, Princes were given the negative side of the debate.

Scott Olver opened the attack for Princes, with an iron-clad argument that left the Saints rebuttal floundering. With no answers to Scott's opening advances, the St Peter's team blundered their way through a second speaker, paving the way for a ruthless Reds attack.

With a burst of energy, Michael Hartstone launched into the very bare bones of the opposition's arguments. Having so much erroneous information to pick up on that his own prepared speech was cut short, he followed up Scott's attack of the Saints definition leaving the St Peter's third speaker almost conceding his side's definitional problems. With a witty style, Mike left the opposition's final speaker with almost no comment.

To close the debate, James Messner followed up with a stinging rebuttal of the St Peter's argument, especially in relation to its own definition. James' identification of St Peter's argument left the Blues with no ground to stand upon. It was this point that head adjudicator, Victoria Bannon, praised as having placed PAC ahead of their opponents.

After the disappointment of 1996, the John Bannon Trophy returned to Princes for the fourth time in its seven year history. Thanks must go to coach, Will Rayner, and co-ordinator Ms Altus for their unwavering support.

Michael Hartstone and James Messner
11 Delbridge & Blacket

YEAR 12 DEBATING

COACH: *Mrs. J. Hodgson*

Team: *Ben Kurylowicz (C), Nick Glaetzer, Andrew Hough, with guest appearances by Jamie Messner and Michael Hartstone.*

Some might say that the Year 12 team this year had a fairly unsuccessful season, but I disagree. It all depends on the standards by which you judge success. In terms of wins and losses, we did poorly - the only debate that we won was from a forfeit by the opposition.

However, that was not from lack of trying. Throughout the season, all of the Year 12's, and the Year 11's who filled in, put in their best effort. We didn't win, but we we all had fun, and we came pretty close.

Special mention must go to Nick Glaetzer, who competed in his first official debates this year. Nick spoke well, and showed a great deal of improvement throughout the season, especially in his ability to speak at less than 180 mph.

Andrew Hough was another regular who showed great promise and skills. His laid back, humorous style gained us a lot of personality points from some adjudicators, as well as providing many laughs in our practice sessions.

Our season was a success, for me, because I came out of it a better debater, having reamed a lot and been defeated by stronger, more experienced opposition. I think that it was a success for all of us, because we have all improved individually, and gained greater skills at working together as a team.

Thanks must go to Mrs. Hodgson, our coach, who gave us some good foundations and encouraged us through some hard times. Thanks also to my mum, Sally Dixon and all of the other parents and friends who came along to support us. I wish the Year 11's every success in the future.

Ben Kurylowicz 12 Hemsley

YEAR 11 DEBATING

COACH: *Ms. M. Altus*

Team: *M. Hartstone, A. Hough, J. Messner, S Olver*

The Year 11 team had a very long - but successful - season in 1997. It was a varied season that saw the team compete in many events other than the standard South Australian Debating Association league. In fact, the team received invites to events such as the Take Over Festival, and a new competition run by the National Association for the Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect. The season also saw the beginning of what is hoped to be a long-term commitment, with an annual series of debates against Seymour College. This debate was a major highlight for the team, with Andrew, Michael and James engaging the Seymour audience with a very witty performance.

The season was one of mixed success, with the team winning only one of their three debates. The highlight of the normal season was a very convincing win over the St Peters team which will be PAC's Intercol opponents next year. Though unfortunate, a loss to St Ignatius was perhaps the catalyst for an upswing in the team's fortunes and performances as the side put in a marvellous effort against St Dominics, and in anybody's language, must be deemed unlucky not to have won.

But there were better fortunes ahead, as three of the squad were selected in the Intercol team for 1997. With first speaker Scott Olver, second speaker Michael Hartstone, and James Messner at third, the Year 11s put in a polished performance in Intercol, enough to beat St Peters' three Year 12s, and bring the John Bannon shield back to Princes, which must certainly rate, above all else, as the highlight of the year for the Year 11 team.

James Messner
11 Blacket

YEAR 10 DEBATING

COACH: *Mr. W. Rayner*

Team: *J. Antonas, P. Crossley, S. Guthrie, M. Raeside*

The Year Ten Debating team, in 1997, performed to expectations. This may, at first, seem somewhat ordinary, but it must be said that our hopes were quite simply to make the finals on the way to the state championships. Throughout the year, the team - consisting of Simon Guthrie and James Antonas (1st Speakers), Mitchell Raeside (2nd Speaker), and Paul Crossley (3rd Speaker), with coach Will Rayner - contested a number of diverse topics. Ranging from 'the eleventh hour' to the influence of McDonalds' Restaurants to the role of education, the team performed admirably. Out of the five 'normal' debates (including one 'secret' topic), four were won by Prince Alfred College, with Simon and James introducing their team and the argument with skill, Mitchell arguing with amazing skill and brilliance to stamp PAC's authority on the debate, and consistent best speaker Paul confirming our superiority over the opposition. Unfortunately, we lost one of our debates, but we attributed this to 'questionable' adjudication decisions. Luckily, many of the other schools' teams were in the same boat, and we made the finals, and then the semi-finals, putting us in a good position for future debates.

Paul Crossley 10 Stanton

YEAR 9 DEBATING

COACH: *Mrs. L. Clark*

Team: *B. Fornarino, N. Hallion, S. Johnson, T. Michael, A Nguyen, J. Waye-Harris*

This year was a one of mixed success for the Year 9 debaters, yet all enjoyed the season for the experience that was gained and for the pleasure of debating.

The team consisted of Jacob Waye-Harris, Anthony Nguyen, Nathan Hallion, Thomas Michael, Simon Johnson and Benjamin Fornarino. It must be mentioned that this team was a relatively young one, with Nathan, Thomas and Simon never having debated competitively before.

Our first few debates went smoothly, with victories all round and we were looking good for a finals appearance later in the year. However, disaster in the form of the Heights school appeared and although we put up a spirited performance, they were triumphant by the narrowest of margins, with only one point separating the two teams.

The hands of fate then struck us another harsh blow when we squared up against our traditional rivals, Saint Peter's College, and in a high standard debate, highlighted by a strong showing from novice Simon, we were again pipped by the smallest amount possible.

Having lost two debates and with our finals hopes dashed, the remainder of the season was a rebuilding one, as such. Impressive was Thomas Michael's growing maturity as a speaker, his fluency and skill already showing. Also of note was Jacob's new found flexibility. On more than one occasion, he was able to make the transition from the familiarity of third speaker, to- the first and second speaker roles.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the team, to thank our coach, Mrs. Clark, for her outstanding guidance and support, both morally and on paper. We are appreciative of the time and effort she willingly devoted to us.

Anthony Nguyen
9 Blacket

YEAR 8H DEBATING

COACH: *Mr. M. Hartstone*

Team: *T. Donaldson, C. Olver, M. Tysoe*

The year 8H debating team was coached by Michael Hartstone and consisted of Chris Olver, Tim Donaldson,-Michael Tysoe, Trent smith and David Lillie. However after only a few rounds lost two of there debaters due to other commitments. The team one all five of the minor rounds mostly very comfortably.

The 8M debating team who also won their 5 debates went into the quarter finals against us. In the PAC vs. PAC debate us, the 8H Debaters came out victorious by a narrow margin. We will now face Brighton in the semi- Finals and hope to make it to the Grand Finals.

Overall all the Debaters in the team have debated outstandingly throughout the whole year . We would like to thank Michael Hartstone for coaching us as well as everybody who has supported us through the debating season.

Chris Olver Year 8JD

YEAR 8M DEBATING

COACH: *Mr. J. Messner*

Team: *J. Lehman, T. Morgan, A. Saint, A. van Bavel*

The PAC II team had a very successful year in 1997, recording five wins from five starts in the minor rounds. As coach, I had the unenviable problem that the squad contained four very high class debaters, but unfortunately, only three may speak in any one debate. The team was very impressive in the way they picked up skills and knowledge throughout the season that augurs well for their remaining years of senior debating at PAC.

The hallmark of this side was the way they were able to put the opposition on the back foot from the very start with their sophisticated team arguments. In the minor rounds, the team of Jason Lehman, Tom Morgan, Alexander Saint and Anton van Bavel made light work of schools such as Loreto, Gleeson, St Peters, St Dominics and St Ignatius.

Unfortunately for the team was the fact that under the debating association's rules, the two PAC Year 8 teams had to play off for a place in the quarter finals. The repechage final was one of high class that was decided only by a narrow split 2-1 decision by the panel of three adjudicators, displaying the bright future that PAC Debating has. The PAC II team was beaten over the line narrowly by their school colleagues, but the side is able to reflect now on what has been a very impressive season that saw the team go from strength to strength. The team would like to thank Mrs. Manton for her critical help throughout the year and Gavin Jones for his support at debates.

James Messner, Coach
11 Blacket

Chess



Chess Premiers – 1997

Back Row L to R:	*C.E. Paterson, D. Buxton, R.C. Edwards, T.L. Bridges, F.A. Lin, J.R. Waye-Harris*
Second Row L to R:	*J.B. Crosby, M.S.Y. Low, P. Khoo, M.P. Stankiewicz, T.J. Miller, A.R. Nguyen, A.E. Saint*
Front Row L to R:	*Mr. R.E. Thorne, E. Wijeyekoon, P. Matthews, H.S. Gaunt (Captain), A.W. Saint, N.J. Simmons, Dr. D. Rowston*

CHESS

COACH: *Mr. R. Thorne*

MANAGER: *Dr. D. Rowston*

This year has been successful again with Prince Alfred College once again winning the Champion School Trophy for the 23rd time in the past 24 years. The interschool competition was, however, by no means won easily with very narrow outcomes and the decisions made only in the last round.

"A" Grade was won very narrowly by Princes with the final outcome beating St. Peters College by only half a point. There were great performances by Andrew Saint who played on board one for most of the season as well as Eshan Wijeyekoon and Peter Mathews who perfommed very strongly on their boards. All three players also perfommed outstandingly in the state junior chess championships. Peter Mathews won the U/14 division while Eshan won the U/16 division. Andrew Saint won the U/18 division and became the 1997 state junior chess champion. Peter Mathews was awarded a certificate for winning six and a half games from seven.

The two "B" Grade teams performed well this year with the Red team coming 1st ahead of Loretto College by three points while the White team came 8th out of a total of 14 teams. Certificates were awarded to Toby Miller and Alex Saint who both won 7 out of 8 games and to Anthony Nguyen with 6 out of 7 wins and Nicholas Simmons who won 6 out of 8 games.

The PAC White "C" Grade team performed exceptionally well compared to the other teams with a blitzing 9 point win over Marryatville High School and St. Peters College Blue who drew in second place. The Red team also played well in the season and was ranked 12th after the final round out of a total of 22 teams. The strong performance was enhanced by the Certificate winners Michael Stankiewicz, Michael Low, Tom Bridges, Joseph Crosby and Tom Magain.

Prince Alfred College also secured the top position in the "D" Grade with Princes defeating 2nd place winner St. Ignatius College by four and a half points. Certificate winners Jacob WayeHarris, Richard Edwards, Feng-An Lin and Craig Paterson all helped to contribute to this outstanding victory.

PAC had won the "A", "B", "C", and "D" Grades as well as the Championship School, a marvellous result for the chess team and all should be congratulated for the strong performances throughout the season.

Towards the end of the season, a Lightning Toumament was held and a team of 6 members, the bottom board being altemated each game, was assembled to compete. With only 5 minutes on the clock, players had to think quickly and those people who think chess is too boring, should have watched this tournament, because moves are usually made in a matter of seconds. With only the last round to go, PAC was coming third but a win on all boards propelled PAC to the front beating St. Peters by one a half points and clinching the Trophy.

The annual school championship was interesting to follow over the series of lunchtimes in which it was held. The Reserves tournament was won by Thanh Nguyen. The Junior championship was shared by Peter Mathews and Alex Saint. Andrew Saint, however, played strong enough to clinch the title of the 1997 PAC Chess Champion, while Nicholas Simmons claimed second place.

After performing admirably throughout the season across all of the grades it was felt that PAC would have a good chance of winning the Intercol. After assembling the team and attending training sessions at the school with our chess coach, Mr. Thorne, we were as ready as we would have ever been.

Toby Miller was unlucky on the night and ran into time trouble and was defeated early in the night. Anthony Nguyen proved too strong for his opponent and was able to swiftly grab victory levelling the scores. Alex Saint accepted a draw with his opponent which kept the scores even. A loss on board 10 by Joseph Crosby put Saints in the front but there was still a lot of chess to be played.

Hayden Gaunt lost under the dead accuracy and perfection of his opponent who wouldn't falter on the night. This gave St. Peters a two point lead. Peter Mathews played a great game and was able to close the gap. Andrew Saint ran into time trouble on board one and this increased pressure meant that his opponent would win. PAC now needed to win the last 3 games to win on the night. Nicholas Simmons played another great game and closed the gap. Then as adjudication time came, Eshan won levelling the scores, and it appeared that the tournament was going to be drawn, as the last game was dead even. Then Michael Low, surrounded by people and under immense pressure, took a poisoned pawn and was adjudicated against, after he had offered for a draw. The outcome was unfortunate but it was clear that St. Peters was stronger in the lower boards, winning 4 and a half from the bottom 5.

PAC's dominance in chess should continue because of its very young squad. With only two senior players in the intercol team, competition should be fierce in the years to follow. I would like to thank Dr. Rowston for his exceptional management skills and ensuring that everything went to plan in the chess season. Our coach, Mr. Thorne, has been extremely dedicated this season and it has only been with his hard work and talent that PAC has been able to aeate and put forward teams which are so competitive. I would lastly like to wish the PAC chess team the best of luck for success in the many years to follow.

Hayden Gaunt, Captain of Chess
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Intercollegiate Chess – 1997

Back Row L to R: *J.B. Crosby, M.S.Y. Low, P. Khoo, M.P. Stankiewicz, T.J. Miller, A.R. Nguyen, A.E. Saint*

Front Row L to R: *Mr. R.E. Thorne, E. Wijeyekoon, P. Matthews, H.S. Gaunt (Captain), A.W. Saint, N.J. Simmons, Dr. D. Rowston*



P.A.C.C.C. – 1997

Back Row L to R: *A.K. Newman, J.H. Chalmers, B.K. Clothier, J.J. Stewart, M.T. Girgolas, D.M. Trim, J.S. Tirell, T.N. Jackson, P.G. Sheehan, A.J. Mooney*
Second Row L to R: *S.R. Barlow, A.N. Green, C.J. Lovell, T.A. Lovell, T.J. Williams, S.R. Roach, H.M. Perks, S. Williams, T.J. White, M.F. Redmond, S.I. Olver*
Front Row L to R: A.P. Hough, *T.D. Clark, J. Low, T.A. Newman (Secretary), P.C. Rofe (Vice-President), Mr. K. Watson, H.D. Cartledge (President), S.A. McDonald, P. Khoo, C. Rundle, H. Jones*

P.A.C.C.C.

Prince Alfred Care and Concern Committee is set up by year 11 students under the guidance of Mr Watson to help raise money for charities and to provide extra-curricular activities for students. The committee came together in the later part of first term. At that first committee we elected our office bearers for the year. Henry Cartledge was elected as President with Paul Rofe as his deputy and Tom Newman was elected Secretary. During that meeting we also decided to split into several sub-committees each with a leader of that committee. The committees and leaders were:

Lunchtime Activities:	Stuart Roach
Winter Sleepout:	Josh Tirrell
Social:	Patrick Khoo
Fundraising:	Scott Olver
Development:	Tim White and Matt Redmond

One of PACCC's first activities was to sell sweets and serve supper at the Drama and Musical Productions. This activity was a very successful one and over a hundred dollars was donated to charity.

Our next activity was run with Stuart Roach's tireless effort. After a setback of not being able to get enough Junior entries the PACCC 3-on-3 Basketball tournament got off the ground. Even though nobody could figure out the way Stuart decided which teams would play in the next round, the tournament was successful. Julian MacIntosh, Andrew Timbs, Daniel Forbes and Ryan Woite eventually ran out victors in a tight fought final over Damien Williams, David Lock, Scott McKay and Daniel Polomka.

This year's Winter Sleepout was held in conjunction with Annesley College in the PAC undercroft. About 70 boys and girls attended with entertainment ranging from the live band Indulgence to basketball in the sports centre and several movies. At the beginning of the night we were shown a video describing the way homeless people lived. It was valuable to see why we were sleeping out in the cold for a night and boy was it cold. It definitely made us realise what homeless people have to go through every night. Approximately $1000 was raised for Mission SA through this event.

The main role of PACCC is for fundraising and this year we supported the Hackney Mission with our money collections. Members of PACCC spent tutor periods venturing to other tutor groups collecting money for this worthy cause. A tin was also placed in the Tuck Shop for people to put their change into. Also several Friday mornings were spent on the Parade selling badges for different charities.

PACCC is about raising money for charity, but another important part is to run a really good social for students in years 8 and 9. Patrick Khoo was in charge of this event and should be congratulated on his fine organisation of it. It was a very successful night apart from a few mishaps like the DJ table falling down, a band without its usual members and power cords being pulled out from the wall. Despite these problems it appeared that the night was well enjoyed. I would also like to thank Mark Pettman, John Greiner and their technical crew for the fine job they did setting up as well as all the people who set up the decorations and cleaned up at the end of the night. From this social we were able to donate several hundred dollars to charities.

One of the most important roles PACCC had this year was to help the Parents and Friends Association at a function to farewell Mr Haseloff. It was a pleasure to be present on such an important evening to farewell one of the most loved members of staff at this school.

Finally I would like to thank Mr Watson for all the hard work he put into PACCC to make sure that it all ran smoothly. I would also like to thank every member of PACCC for their valuable contributions.

Tom Newman



Science Journal – 1997

Back Row L to R: *J.R. Day, A. Liston, N.C. Glaetzer, D.A. Taylor, H.H. Cooksley*
Second Row L to R: *T.J. Raeside, C.J. Doody, B.S. Kurylowicz, J.J. Messner, P.S. Walsh, W.E. Kerr, M.J. Hartstone*
Front Row L to R: *T.A. Newman, D.J. Fung (Sub-Editor), G. Morfey (Editor), Mr. R.B. Holloway, M.W. Henderson (Business Manager), H.S. Gaunt, (Sub-Editor), A.M.J. Linn (Sub-Editor)*



Literary Journal. – 1997

L to R: *M.F. Redmond, J.J. Messner, M.W. Henderson, M.A. Beard, M.J. Hartstone (Editor)*

LITERARY JOURNAL 1997

Towards the end of last year, the Princes' community saw the publication of the first volume of the 'Prince Alfred College Literary Journal.' Subtitled 'Uncle Alfred's Bedside Companion' the journal contained some of the best creative works that students had composed earlier that year. Thirty two young men contributed either prose or poetry which was combined by the Editorial Committee (Tim Clark Michael Hartstone, James Messner, Tom Newman and Matthew Redmond) to form an high quality and varied collection.

The Editorial Committee faced many tribulations throughout the year. One of these was deciding how long the journal should be. It was decided that a shorter journal would be published which led to only the poetry and prose that was of high enough standard being included. The layout of 'Uncle Alfred's Bedside Companion' was made much easier with the finished construction of the Clipsal Innovation Centre. Unfortunately, due to budget constrictions, only one hundred copies were printed so the distribution was to a small audience.

'Uncle Alfred's Bedside Companion' exposed many of the fine writers in the PAC community ranging from Yr 8 to 12. Some of the students submitted work that had been highly commended by the 1996 Young Writers' Awards as well as the winning essay for the Jack de Vidas English Prize.

This year, under the expert guidance and infinite patience of Jane Nelson, the 1997 edition is taking form. With a slightly changed editorial committee (Michael Beard, Mark Henderson, Michael Hartstone, James Messner and Matthew Redmond) this year's edition should prove to be quite formidable. Prose and poetry still continue to fly in as students enter competitions such as the school's own creative writing competition. This means that the editorial committee will still be reading works right up to publication.

Michael Hartstone, Editor

NETWORKS 96 AND THINK QUEST

Last year a group of four PAC students, and one from another school, entered an internet design competition called Networks 96. Competitors were required to design a web site in one of five categories - SportsWorks, TechWorks, EcoWorks, ArtWorks or BusinessWorks - over a period of several months, and were judged on technical merit, artistic design, quality of content, usefulness, and several other factors. We formed a team called the WebCrew, entered, and eventually took out first place in our category (winning a cool $2000!).

The WebCrew comprised (the competition required team members to have nicknames - no, we don't understand it either):

- On programming - Joel 'Siva' Williams (from Glenunga International High School)
- On content - Hayden 'NaCl' Gaunt
- On proofing - Owen 'Fireball' Morfey
- On graphics - Duncan 'Wookie' Taylor
- On stress overload - Gwyn 'Grim' Morfey (team leader)

We entered the EcoWorks category, which is sponsored by MFP Australia, and created a site called the EcoWeb. The EcoWeb aims to encourage South Australians to be aware of the environmental problems facing this state, and to take action to help solve them. On the site are detailed reports on the problems, and step-by-step guides to possible solutions, including pre-written letters which can be printed and sent to local government and industry representatives. There is also a very strong focus on interactivity; the EcoWeb includes message boards where people can share ideas and comments, and a database where councils and businesses can make available information about their environmentally friendly policies. For example, you could search for supermarkets in your local area that prominently feature 'green' products or provide string (as opposed to plastic) bags for customers.

The EcoWeb is being hosted at http://www.networks.sa.com.au/NW96_35, although an error in the web server (not our responsibility... in fact, they wouldn't let us mess with it) currently prevents the discussion areas, pre-written letters and database from operating. We did have it working. Honest.

Anyway, we hope this will be fixed soon. We are also making arrangements for the continued hosting and maintenance of this site to be taken over by PAC students - talk to your computing teacher if you are interested in becoming involved.

Everybody says this, but it's true: in large teams (comprising more than one person), it's the ability to work together, rather than individual brilliance, that makes the difference. As team leader, I was very impressed by the way the WebCrew worked together, and am sure that it was this - along with considerable dedication and large quantities of very hard work (I have the email timestamped at 3:30am to prove it) - that brought us victory. This is despite the fact that the rest of the team flatly refused to help in writing this chronicle report.

I'd like to thank the sponsors of the competition, namely the Department of Health and Childrens' Services, MFP Australia, and WebMedia, for their generosity and insight in assisting with making Networks 96 possible. It was a truly educational experience.

But the story isn't over yet:

Having had such success with Networks 96, J6el Williams and myself decided that an action replay was in order. At the start of this year, we found a new team member (the "Fantastic Robust Energetic Devils" nearly beat us, which is why we recruited their team leader) and prepared to do it all again. We produced a site called Global InSite, which is hosted at :

http://hyperion.advanced.org/11662,

and entered it in ThinkQuest, an international web competition

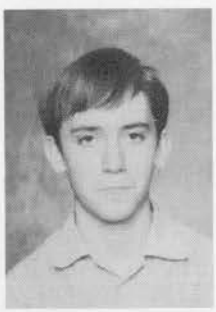
(http://io.advanced.org/Thinkquest).

So far, we have made the semifinals, and are expecting finalists to be announced Real Soon Now. If we are successful - or

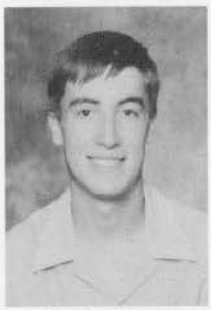
even if we aren't - the three of us are planning to go into part-time web design on a commercial basis.

Gwyn Morfey
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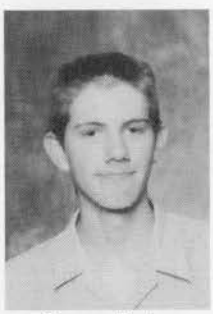
After Gwyn 's report went to press, his group received the news that they have made the finals, which means they will be flying to Washington in November to attend finals judging.



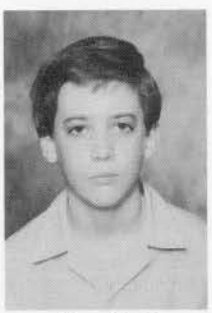
Gwyn Morfey



Hayden Gaunt



Duncan Taylor



Owen Morfey

1997 ETSA Solar Cycle Challenge

Adelaide - Alice Springs - Adelaide
27th September - 6th October

The Prince Alfred College Solar Cycle team left Adelaide on Saturday 27th September to take part in the inaugural Adelaide to Alice Springs Solar Cycle Challenge. The team consisted of riders Miles Crawford, Adam Grogan, Paul Bulley, Stephen Thomas, Mark Woodforde and Alex Silz and pit crew Eddie Lane, Fergus Adamson, Matthew Fisher and Chris Pyragius.

The event took the boys on a 3015km journey through the outback of Australia facing extreme conditions of heat, whirlwinds and the inevitable road trains. The riders were required to pedal their vehicle they had designed and constructed, with the help of a solar assisted electric motor around 300km a day, competing against teams from USA, UK, Malaysia, Germany and of course Australia.

There were many highlights along the way with the Yr 10 team competing against professional riders and certainly holding their own. Miles Crawford was able to get the vehicle named 'SPR' up to a top speed of 70.5km/h which was the event highest for 9 of the 10 days of racing. There were the 94 cattle grids which needed to be covered in timber to allow the delicate, racing rims to glide over them and certainly the arid landscape which added the perfect backdrop to the race.

The boys certainly surprised the other entrants with their competitive spirit and endurance and were able to place 2nd in their category (Aerodynamic Experimental) and 3rd Outright.

Special thanks must go to team manager Mr Paul Balestrin, Mr Phil McLaughlin, Mr Peter Sillet and Mr Colin Woodforde for their time and effort in coordinating the team and to Rowan Coles, Mark Powell and James Denton who unfortunately could not make the trip.



Solar cycle – 1997

L to R: *J.L. Denton, M.R.P. Fisher, E.J. Lane, M.C. Woodforde, R.H. Coles, A.K. Silz M.A. Crawford, A.D. Grogan, F.G. Adamson, M.J. Powell, S.G. Thomas C.A.P. Pyragius (kneeling), P. Bulley, Mr. P.M. Ballestrin*





The Making of a Princes Man Through the Sporting Tradition

Honours Colours 1997
We have pleasure in recording extracts from the citations for Honours Colours.

Athletics: *Sam Nicholls*

A member of the Athletics S. A. Development Squad from 1994 to 1996 Sam competed at a School's track and field championships and won the 100, 200 and 400 metre events at the U/17 level. As a member of a group of about 50 young athletes, Sam travelled to the United States on an International Athletics Exchange to train and compete in 1996. Against good quality competition he was placed consistently in the top four for the sprint events. During this tour Sam reached the U/16 Australian qualifying standards for the lOOm and 200 m.

In 1997, Sam was captain of Athletics and in this capacity he worked assiduously to build team morale and to assist in improving athletes' performances underlining his worthiness as an Honours Colours Recipient.

Australian Rules Football: *Ryan Woite*

Ryan came to Prince Alfred College in 1996 as a Year 11 student and immediately made an impact in Australian Rules Football. He was chosen in the S.A. Under 16 football team, and he also earned selection in the Combined Independent Schools team inboth 1996 and 1997. In 1997 he was invited to join the Port Adelaide Football Club pre-season training list and later in the year the State U/18 practice squad. His commitment to Princes football has never been compromised, and he furfilled his role as vice-captain of the 1st XV111 with great distinction.

Basketball: *Damien Williams*

A recipient of honours colours in 1996, Damien has maintained the exceptionally high standards required of an honours colours recipient. Captain of the Open A Basketball team in 1997, Damien has been named Best and Fairest for a third consecutive year. He was selected as captain of the combined Independent Schools Basketball team in 1997, and as a member of West Adelaide's senior men's training squad and U/20 representative, Damien is highly regarded within State basketball circles.

Cricket: *Luke Williams*

A recipient of honours colours in 1996, Luke has enjoyed quite remarkable success since that time. He was named vice-captain of the S.A. under 17 team which contested the Australian Championships in January 1997. He broke all batting records, recording the highest individual score in the carnival's history, 225 not out against the N.T., as well as breaking the all time aggregate record by scoring 530 runs at the imposing average of 106. He was adjudged player of the championships, and was selected in the Australian U/17 development squad. Luke scored an impressive 91 runs in his final A grade district match for the 1996/7 season, and was selected in the Redbacks winter training squad and in the State U/19 squad. He received the Sir James Invin Award from Adelaide Cricket club, and was named the inaugural winner of the prestigious Lord Taverners Award for outstanding achievement in junior cricket.

Luke was also a member of the PAC 1st X1, winners of the 1997 Coca-Cola Amatil cup, and soon to contest the Australian Schoolboys Championships.

Hockey: *Jesse Adams*

Jesse has represented the State at national junior championships, and has been a regular member of the elite State development squads for several years. He has been a key member of the 1st X1 for three years, and has been the recipient of the John Cawrse Memorial Trophy for Best on Ground during the Intercol, and the PAC Medal for Best and Fairest for the '97 season. It is noteworthy that Jesse was awarded Best and Fairest at Years 8,9,10 and 12, an honour achieved by no other player in the 25 years of hockey at PAC.

Hockey: *Mark Gobolos*

Mark's regular inclusion in the elite SASI Development Squad since 1993 is testimony to his standing in the wider hockey community and he has been identified as a player who has the potential to play hockey at the highest level. He has been a key member of the 1st X1 for three years, and has been the recipient of the PAOC Award for Best on Ground in the 1996 Intercol, and the Brian Leach Award for Service to Princes Hockey in 1997.

Rowing: *Joseph de Maria*

Joseph's development as an excellent coxswain culminated in his selection in a SA crew which competed in the Trans Tasman Regatta in Penrith in 1996, and earlier this year he was chosen as cox for the SA Kings Cup crew which contested the National and Kings Cup regatta in Tasmania, the most prestigious event in the Australian rowing calendar. Joseph is the first schoolboy to achieve this honour.Joseph's career in rowing at Princes has been outstanding, and he has coxed highly successful crews.

Table Tennis: *Ryan Manuel*

In 1996, Ryan led the PAC Junior Table Tennis Team to a National title, winning the Australian Schoolboys Teams Championship. He won the Junior Boys Singles title at the same championships, and was awarded the trophy for Excellence in sportsmanship. As Captain of the PAC Open teams in 1997, he led them through an undefeated ISSA season. Ryan is highly ranked in his age group in SA and was awarded the trophy for the Most Promising Junior in the Woodville Table Tennis Club.

1997 Colours

Athletics
Christopher Lovell
Paul Rofe

Badminton
Darren Chan
Tim Chong
Woon Feng Chong
Ryan Manuel

Basketball
Paul Rofe
Justin Williams

Chess
Peter Mathews
Andrew Saint
Eshan Wijeyekoon

Cricket
Michael Jones

Football
Mike Hobby
Michael Jones
Adam Rosser
Travis Simmons
Tennyson Wickham

Hockey
Jonathan Low
Tom Newman
Craig Rundle

Rowing
Henry Cartledge
Trent Collins
Shane Masters
Sam Nicholls
Daniel Polomka
Matthew Rasheed
Jason Roberts
Ryan Thomas

Rugby Union
Con Pappas
Ryan Thomas

Soccer
Tom Tamblyn
Andrew Timbs

Squash
Tom Farrant
Mark Henderson
Chris Simcock
Luke Williams
Sam Williams

Swimming
Chris Leung
Justin Secomb

Table Tennis
Daniel Antonas
Alex Swanson

Tennis
Daniel Forbes
Andrew Timbs



Intercollegiate Cricket - 1996

Back Row L to R *C.R. Drew, M.D. Hobby, S.M. Nalder, P.C. Rofe, C.M. Parrish, M.A. Jones, T.J. Tamblyn*
Front Row L to R *S. Williams, M.W. Jenson, L. Williams (Captain), Mr. M.E. Dawe, C.J. Watson (Vice-Captain), L.P. Foot, S.K. Moore*

Intercollegiate Cricket 1996

The 118th Annual Intercollegiate Cricket match between Princes and Saints commenced on the 6th of December on PAC's front oval. Unfortunately heavy overnight rain delayed the start by two entire sessions and it was a credit to the PAC ground staff that play was possible on the first day.

The toss was conducted just before the scheduled afternoon tea break with, PAC winning the toss and electing to field first after an anxious wait. In a tense session, PAC bowled well to capture two Saints scalps, but failed to capitalise on all opportunities presented by tight bowling. At stumps with the score at 2 for 85, the game was in the balance with Saints' most experienced batsman, Taarnby and Adcock at the crease.

With clear skies for the start of play on Saturday, PAC started well with a steady flow of wickets to have Saints 5 for 154 due mainly to the guile of Chris Watson's off breaks. However the middle session belonged to Saints and in particular Chris Taarnby who in a 91 run sixth wicket partnership with Ryan Sheridan changed the course of the game. PAC continued to battle hard in the last session and found success with the new ball with Michael Jones bowling accurately removing the Saints tail. Saints finally declared late on the second day at 9 for 309 with the highlight of the innings being a magnificent 189 in 412 minutes by opening batsman Chris Taarnby. PAC paid dearly for dropped catches but full credit must go to Chris whose concentration, temperament and skill stood between a low first innings score and a score that had left PAC with a draw being the best result we could hope to achieve.

The first innings for PAC was very disappointing. Tight medium pace bowling and quality fielding led to PAC being bowled out for a meagre 110 with Matt Jenson (26), Sam Williams (22) and Shaun Nalder (20) the only batsmen to offer an@y resistance. Saints decided to enforce the follow on with PAC needing to bat for four sessions to save the game. By stumps, three PAC wickets had fallen with the not out batsmen Sam Williams and Vice-Captain Chris Watson being the main hope for PAC.

Both batsmen put a supreme value on their wickets but when Nathan Adcock had Sam Williams (43 in 254 minutes) and Chris Watson (40 in 186 minutes) dismissed in quick succession after lunch the game reached its inevitable conclusion just before tea. PAC was dismissed for 148 with the final result being victory to Saint Peters by an innings and 51 runs.

Although this year's intercol was particularly disappointing Saints were a much more experienced side and this was one of the major reasons for this result. However with many members of this year's intercol side returning to Princes in 1997, this augurs well for future intercol success.

In conclusion I would like to take this opportunity to thank the umpires Len Howard and Russell Schumacher who officiated professionally throughout this testing match. I would also like to commend the PAC ground staff for their efforts and the PAC mothers and in particular Jill Williams for their preparation of afternoon teas over the four days. Finally, I would like to thank personally and on behalf of previous PAC Intercollegiate cricketers, Mr Malcolm Dawe whose efforts over the last 15 years as First XI coach have been instrumental to PAC's success as evidenced by just five intercol losses under his tenure. His efforts have been much appreciated and wish him well in his future cricketing endeavours.

Luke Williams
Captain of Cricket



Luke Williams



Chris Watson



Secondary Schools Cricket Statewide Knockout Champions - 1997

Back Row L to R *T.J. White, M.A. Jones, M. Bilyk, P.C. Rofe, O.C. Thomas, L. Williams, J.F. Mitchell*
Front Row L to R *C.M. Parrish, S.M. Nalder, T.J. Tamblyn (Captain), Mr. P. Williams, S. Williams (Vice-Captain), M.D. Hobby, A. Marantos*

First XI Cricket

Coach: Mr. P. Williams

Team: Tom Tamblyn (c), Sam Williams (vc), Luke Williams, Mike Hobby, Shaun Nalder, Chad Parrish, Alex Marantos, Michael Jones, Oliver Thomas, Paul Rofe, Mark Bilyk, Tim White.

The first XI team had a very successful first term, going undefeated and winning the state knockout Coca-Cola Shield. This shield was a one day contest for all independent, state and country schools of South Australia.

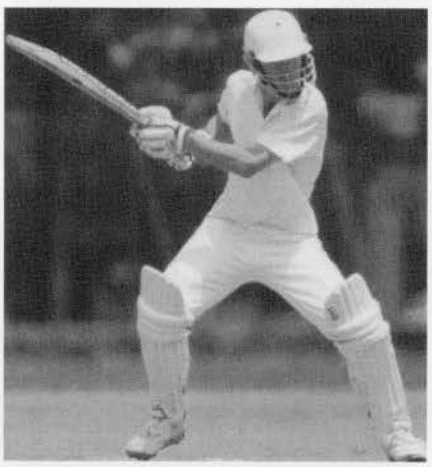
In the holidays a game was played against St. Pauls, a touring school from New Zealand. They were a very strong team and it turned out to be an ideal pre season game. Sam Williams batted very well batting throughout the innings, knocking up his century on the last ball, with P.A.C. scoring 172. Oliver Thomas bowled well with figures of 3 for 38, but St. Pauls won comfortably, scoring 211.

Our first game of the season was against St. Peters. P.A.C. batted and got off to a very slow start, with the top order failing, at one stage 5/43. Oliver Thomas came in and scored an unbeaten 68 to get P.A.C. a defendable total of 137. P.A.C. then bowled out St. Peters for 94 with Michael Jones getting 3/5.

Our second game was against Pembroke. P.A.C. again batted first scoring 131 in the 45 overs, with S.Williams scoring 41 and A.Marantos 23n.o. P.A.C. then bowled out Pembroke for 36 in the 24th over with Parrish 4/7, Thomas 2/8 and Rofe 2/13. Everyone in the field supported their bowlers well with good fielding.

The next game was against Pulteney and was a rain shortened 2 day game to a one day game, which wasn't a knockout game. P.A.C. batted first scoring 148 with Bilyk scoring 51 on debut, A.Marantos 29 and Tamblyn 29. P.A.C. again showed their bowling strength knocking over Pulteney for 116 with excellent performances by Rofe with 5/11 and Parrish 3/17. P.A.C. again out fielded its opposition saving many runs.

P.A.C. then faced last year's state champions Rostrevor in a knockout game at Adelaide Oval No.2. This was rescheduled to a Sunday because of a washout earlier in the season. P.A.C. batted first with a slow start and two early runouts. L.Williams came into the team and played an anchor role scoring a solid 63 with P.A.C. scoring 5/111. P.A.C., in trouble, turned to their bowlers who responded with brilliant performances, starting with a wicket from the first ball of the innings from Jones. In finals like atmosphere P.A.C. bowled out Rostrevor for 81 in the 27th over, with Rofe 4/26, Thomas 3/22 and Jones 2/16.



Sam Williams

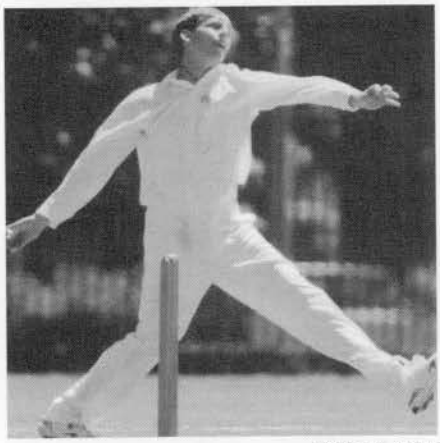
We then played a 2 day game against Immanuel. P.A.C. scored 244, with Marantos 64, Thomas 46 and Bilyk 36. This was a solid innings with all players contributing. P.A.C. once again showed their bowling strength dismissing Immanuel for 34 and having them at 8/106 at stumps. In the first innings the bowling figures were Rofe 3 /4, Thomas 3/5 and Parrish 3/17. In the second innings Rofe bowled well again getting 3/14 and White bowled well to get 3/24.

On the Wednesday in the middle of the Immanuel two day game the First XI went to Bordertown to play Mt. Gambier's Grant High School in the semi finals of the knockout series. P.A.C. had a good opening stand on the unfamiliar hard wicket with S.Williams 67 and Nalder 47. We then fell away slightly but kept a good run rate scoring a respectable 200. P.A.C. bowled tightly to get early wickets but some big hitting down the order kept Grant High in the game. We bowled them out 23 runs short of our total with 4 overs to bowl. Jones bowled very well with 4/22 and Thomas 2/14.

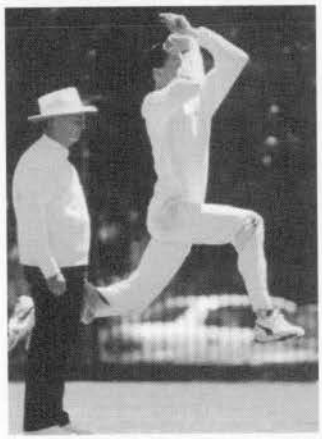
P.A.C. then met Adelaide High in the Grand Final at Adelaide Oval No.2. P.A.C. were sent in on a good wicket. S.Williams 34 ,ô Tamblyn 26 and Thomas 18 batted well to give us a good total of 8/157. P.A.C. came out determined to win and bowled excellently. Thomas bowled out from his opening spell dismissing the top five batsmen with 5/19. S. Williams also bowled well with 3/ 7, helping P.A.C. dismiss Adelaide High for 77. This victory meant that P.A.C. was pool A Statewide Knockout Champions for 1997. The P.A.C. First XI will now be travelling to Victoria to represent South Australia in the national competition for schools in December. It is the first time that the school has reached this competition.

All team members should be proud of their achievements this season. Our thanks go to Mr. Williams for his inspiring coaching, Jono for scoring for us and Wally Simpson for umpiring this season.

Tom Tamblyn
12 Delbridge



Michael Jones



Paul Rofe

2nd XI Cricket

This year PAC had a very strong second's cricket team not losing any games and having both bowlers and batsmen contributing well each week. Our first game was against Immanuel College and was played in extreme heat. After winning the toss we decided to bat. Two quick wickets put PAC on the back foot but Marc Bilyk performed exceptionally and took control of the game posting 124 n.o. He was supported well by Peter Sheehan (52) and Sam Faehse (40 n.o). After a batting performance of 5/284 we were looking forward to bowling Immanuel out, but the game was cancelled by Immanuel due to the heat.

Our second encounter was against Westminster and we fielded first. PAC was in total control from the start with Chad Wyatt (2/3), Stephen Moore (3/18) and Sam Faehse (3/13). This great bowling ensured that Westminster were all out for 42 in 21 overs. With the remaining overs Rupert Kelly (52 n.o) and Chris Lovell (83 n.o) performed well. The rest of the game saw Chris completing his century (108 n.o.) and Stewart Wehr attaining 67 Stephen Moore also compiled a aggressive 31 Declaring at tea 9/327, we were looking for an outright victory but we just ran out of time. Westminster only managed 42 & 7/88.

Our last game of term 1 saw us play Pultney and we bowled first. Chad Wyatt (4 /16), Stephen Moore (3/14) were dominant early. A lapse in concentration saw Pultney go from 6/5 off 11 overs to 83. We batted then for the rest of the day and were 4/84 with Trevor Wadham (23), Sam Faehse (16 n.o), Brett Hill 14 and Adam Richardson (12 n.o.). The rest of the innings saw Sam finishing with 47 and Adam with 37. Then we had to bowl Pultney out in 2 1/2 hours but Pultney just avoided outright defeat ending with 9/108. Chad Wyatt (3/22), Stephen Moore (3/22) again performed well and Stewart Wehr chipped in with 2/6.

It was a great season and we hope to continue well, going into term 4.

3rd XI Cricket

The 3rd XI enjoyed a reasonably successful first term winning four of their six games. The term began on a high note when the thirds combined well to easily defeat Marryatville by 66 runs. The main contributors with the bat were Trevor Wadham 38 not out, Ben Rosenzweig 28, Brett Hill 22, Pij Olijnyk 22 not out and Tim James 42 not out. The Marryatville team was bowled out for only 88 thanks mainly to fine performances from Scott Gunning 3/17, Brett Hill 2/17, Tim James 3/8 and Aaron Baker chipping in to clean up the tail taking 2/8.

The second game was the most disappointing performance of the season. Batting first on the back oval PAC only managed 134 with Hill 29, Olijnyk 32, Wadham 28, James 27 the main contributors. In reply Sacred Heart punished PAC's undisciplined attack by making 211. Alex Laver 3/25, Tim James 4/16 and Rosenzweig with 3/37 were the best of the bowlers.

The next game was against Trinity at home. After a long rain delay PAC was sent into bat on a soft unpredictable pitch but got off to a flying start thanks to a swashbuckling knock of 14 from Rosenzweig. Brett Hill carried his bat through the innings for a superb unbeaten 82 pushing the team total to 179. We managed to easily bowl out the opposition for just 96 with Scott Olver taking 3/22 and Man of the Match, Brett Hill taking 4/13.

Our last home game came against Westminster. We batted first and compiled 4/208 against a quality attack. The innings was anchored by Ben Rosenzweig who carried his bat for a chanceless 67 while Rundle chipped in with 31, Tim James 56 not out and Girgolas 32 off only nine balls. In reply Westminster managed 164 with Tim James taking 5/19.

The next week we again faced Westminster. This time we had to travel down to Westminster and due to circumstances beyond our control only nine people were able to make it to the match. We bowled and fielded superbly to dismiss Westminster for 112 with Ammon Mackie taking 5/18. Unfortunately we were unable to produce with the bat band fell 20 runs short, Mackie made 30 while Rosenzweig made 18.

The final game of the term was against Rostrevor away. We elected to bowl on a damp pitch and destroyed the Rostrevor batting line who only managed 49. It was a great display of tight bowling and fielding to end the term. Special mention be made of Tim Tomblin who had the ball on a string taking two magnificent catches as well as preventing numerous runs with his solid fielding style. Olver took 3/10, Mackie 3/11 and James 3/4. PAC easily scored the required runs with Mackie making 62 and James 47.

On behalf of the 3rd XI, I would like to thank Mr. Bowyer for coaching the team and f4or umpiring each Saturday.

Ben Rosenzweig
12 Stanton

10B CRICKET

The Allstars started fourth term strongly with a convincing win over Immanuel, scoring 9/124 off 26 overs, managing to contain them to 6/85. Wadham top scored with 44 and Dawe was best with the ball taking 2 for 19 off six overs.

Our next match against Sacred Heart was one of our best, producing a nail biting finish. We bowled first, restricting them to 185 with Williams and Olver taking three wickets each. The next week with the bat Wadham again led the way, scoring 85. Wickets fell constantly and we didn't pass their score until our last wicket.

The following game against St Peters was our first loss for the term. Saints scored 7/146 with Williams and Stewart taking two wickets each. We then continued to 8/104 with Wadham again standing out with the bat, scoring 34.

Against Rostrevor we suffered our second loss for the season. We bowled well and dismissed them for 110 with Ranpura's left arm hand grenades destroying their middle order. Our batting left us down again,

however, with Wadham being the only batsmen to score double figures, an impressive 30.

Our final game of the season was our best all round performance of the season. In this two day game we bowled first, dismissing Pultney for 76 off only 24 overs with Ranpura taking 4 wickets and Olver 3. With the bat we managed 225 off 44 overs with Victory scoring 56, Rose 42 and Wadham 39. Batting again to fill in time, Pultney managed 6/145 with Victory taking 3 wickets.

Overall it was a fantastic season and thanks must go to Dr Rowston for being a great coach.

Scott Olver
11 Blacket



10A Cricket (undefeated) - 1996

Back Row L to R *S.A. Roach, P.C. Rofe, P.G. Sheehan, P.J.M. Olijinyk*

Front Row L to R *C.L. Wyatt, S.J. Faehse, T.J. White, Mr. D.J. Wiese, S. Williams, R.G. Kelly, S.A. McDonald* Absent: *C.J. Lovell, T.A. Lovell, M. Bilyk*

10 A Cricket

This year's 10A cricket team started its 1997 fixtures with a two day match against Rostrevor. PAC won the toss and elected to bat. After only 33 overs the side was dismissed for a dismal 43 runs. The Rostrevor team never looked back and by the end of play had already passed the total. The next week Rostrevor had no mercy on us and continued to bat all morning finishing at 4/228 off 60 overs. Newcomer to the team Ryan Byrne bowled well early to finish with 2/56. Mark Roma 1/22 and Ben Haylock 1/68 contributed well and were unlucky through the morning.

The next match was against the old rivals St Peters. The four bowlers used in the one day match all contributed well. Byrne (2/18) and Roma (1/11) bowled well early to have Saints 3 for 15, and Tsagouris (3/21) and Haylock (1/31) continued the good work. After the allocated 27 overs St Peters had reached a competitive 7/90. The batsmen, determined to improve on their last effort, took to the task well. The openers, Haylock (21) and Britton (11) formed a good platform for the middle order, but losing Darsow and Ferguson cheaply added to our worries. However Brad Knight with a fantastic 34 and Ryan Byrne with a quickfire 13 carried us to victory with only a few balls to spare.

Immanuel, unbeaten for 2 years proved to be a tough opponent. PAC won the toss and decided to bowl on an under prepared wicket. The Immanuel top four took to the bowlers and cruised to 3/168. After the break Princes came out and played some good thinking cricket. From that point onwards the batsmen struggled to score and got themselves out due to good bowling from Roma (3/51) and Haylock (2/54). It was also good to see the feeling improve after the break with Alex Gobolos taking two catches and a run out and Sam Knight with a spectacular catch and two run outs. The majority of batsmen did not contribute much and at one stage losing 4 for 0 did not help the chase . However Haylock, batting the majority of the morning contributed 31 and newcomer Luke Bates a solid 14 which carried the total to a disappointing 97.

Finally, I would like to thank Mr Dawe for his efforts through term 1.

Ben Haylock
10 Blacket

9A Cricket

Team: M.Hocking , P.Holmes , T.Martin , N.Jackman , T.Angel , C.Hancock , T.Hudson , H.Perks , C.England , A.Chapman , J.Harrod , N.Hallion , M.Chapman.

After having a good start to the season by defeating Blackfriars and Westminster we were unfortunately unable to complete the game against Saints due to rain. In these three games there were some great individual efforts with both bat and ball.

The next two games did not have the most favourable results for us. The first of these was played against St.Ignatius but lost due to a scoring error. Against Rostrevor we did not play to our full potential and went down despite a gallant batting effort from T. Angel.

In the second half of the season we went undefeated with meritorious victories over Pultney, Saints, and Rostrevor. Some good scores were posted in these three games with Nick Jackman consistently making runs and Matthew Hocking, Chris Hancock and Tim Hudson chipping in with some good batting. Jamie Harrod performed well with the ball in all games and both spinners, as always, bowled fantastically.

Although not everyone was mentioned for taking wickets or getting runs, I can assure

you everyone played well throughout the season. Of course I cannot forget our coaches in Mr.Williams and Mr. McGuire who must be thanked for their efforts during the season.

Nick Jackman
9 Delbridge

9B1 Cricket

Coach: Mr. P. Layton

Team: James Campbell, Richard Drew, Ben Fornarino, Nick Hoffmann, Nick Hugo, Michael McDonald, Anthony Ngyuen, Nathan Rice, Nick Rogers-Dryden, Michael Siciliano, Josh Southon, Andrew Teale, Sam Thomas, Jacob Waye-Harris.

Three year 9 teams from P.A.C. entered the term 1 competition necessitating that the 9B1 team be entered in the year 10B draw.Wins were recorded against Concordia, St. Peters and Woodcroft and a tie with Gleeson College.

Sam Thomas and Jacob Waye-Harris capably captained a co-operative and disciplined side. All players contributed with bat, ball and in the field. Our ground fielding was efficient and our catching at times brilliant. Memorable moments were a caught and bowled by Jacob Waye -Harris, outfield catches by James Campbell, Sam Thomas and Nathan Rice. Sam Davies took a spectacular reflex catch at point of a full blooded square cut.

Most improved aspect of our game was the running between wickets. Sam Thomas was the most consistent batsman who with Nick Hoffmann and Michael McDonald figured in partnerships which resulted in an exciting tie with Gleeson College when our position was precarious. All players received the opportunity to bat and bowl which was completely justified and there were never any "easy pickings" for the opposition. Thank you to those parents who supported the team in many ways. The players arrived at matches on time, immaculately attired and displayed a high degree of sportsmanship.Well done.

P.Layton

8A Cricket

Coach: Mr. Wiese

Team: Sam Tyler, Hugh Denton, Henry Kelly, Sam Richardson, Greg Carmody, Alastair Dillon, Jack Dent, Trent Smith, Goshaka Kannagarra, Lachlan Scott, Alex Ockenden, Noah Redmond.

The first term of cricket for the year 8A's was a very good one with three wins from three matches.

The first match was a two day game against Scotch. After bowling them out for 38 with Goshaka Kannagarra taking 3/14 and Trent Smith 2/6, we completed the day on 1 for 67. Sam Tyler was 38 n.o. and Sam Richardson made 13. Scotch then forfeited on the second day due to the very hot weather.

Our next game was a one day match against Saints. We bowled very well to get them out for 62 with Trent Smith taking 4/11 and Alex Ockenden bowled well to take 2/2. We then ended the day on 3/ 97. Sam Richardson made 29 n.o and was well supported by Sam Tyler 26 and Greg Carmody 12.

Our final game was a two day game against St. Ignatius. They batted first and scored 113. Lachlan Scott took 3/ 33 in a long spell and Kannagarra took 2/ 2. Our innings then commenced on the second day. On a wet, difficult batting pitch, we eventually reached their total. Sam Tyler 54 n.o., Hugh Denton 23, Alastair Dillon 14 and Jack Dent 13 n.o. batted well to amass a total of 9 / 152.

On behalf of the team I would like to thank Mr. Wiese for coaching us and all of the parents who supported us throughout the term.

Sam Tyler
8 CK

8B Cricket - SW

Coach: Mr.Sweeny

Team: Adam Bratasiuk, Joshua Guelzow, Adam Kahl, Lachlan McDonald, Arthur Raptis, Alexander Bond, Matthew Cannan, Bjorn Cartledge, Anthony Economou, Anthony Feig, Adam Phillis (captain), Noah Redmond, Peter Salagaris, Luke Sernecki, Anton van Bavel.

The cricket season for 8BSW showed a marked improvement over a disjointed season. Due to cancellations we played only four matches. The first match against Pulteney was not one of our best. P.A.C made 72 runs with a good bowling attack by Anthony Feig, 2/12 and Adam Bratasiuk, 1/15. Adam Phillis made 13 not out with Peter Salagaris and Lachlan McDonald in support with 9. Unfortunately, we failed to restrict Pulteney's batting and Othey made 160. Our next game was against Blackfriars. P.A.C. made 55 with contributions from Noah Redmond, but failed to restrict Blackfriars from reaching the required score.

As the season progressed the team began to develop in all aspects of the game, winning the next two games. Saint Ignatius were defeated by 18 runs. Adam Phillis made 20, Anthony Fieg, 17 and Adam Kahl 11 not out. Anthony Fieg took 5/2.

Our last match for the term was against Westminister. We made 111 to beat Westminister by 11 runs. Adam Phillis made 34 and Joshua Guelzow made 20. We also had a very good bowling attack with Adam Phillis who took 3/8 and Anton van Bavel 2/7.

We hope to carry this positive end into the next cricket season.

Adam Phillis
8 JO

8B Cricket - JO

Coach: Mr. C. Jordison

Team: Craig Bayetto, Peter Beard, Michael Buxton, Ben David, Toãm Evans, Nash Jenne, Jon McElwee, Scott Michael, Alexander Ockenden, Chris Olver, Craig Patterson, Ben Quilliam, Alexander Rains, Leigh Symons, Mark Trim.

The team began the season slowly with a match against a very good Westminster side. After being bowled out for 52, Ben Quilliam led the way with 3/6 off 5 overs.

Our next match was against Cabra which saw PAC lose the match in the last over of the day. Peter Beard top scored with 13 out of a total of 60. It was obvious the first win was not far away.

Against CBC, our batting led by Peter Beard 31 n.o. and Tom Evans 10 n.o. posted a most competitive total of 7/84. This proved to be too much for CBC which could only manage 7/73. Six different bowlers took one wicket. This included a great stumping by Mark Trim off Scott Michael's bowling.

After a slow bowling performance against St Michael's, Tom Beard helped PAC get back into the game with 2 late wickets. Chasing the big total of 8/96, the run chase began well with Jon McElwee 9, Chris Olver 22 and Tom Evans 19 scoring very quickly. A middle order collapse saw the balance of the game swing back towards St Michaels. Leigh Symons 11, began a rear guard action that saw PAC fall short by less than a handful of runs.

No-one could have predicted the result of the last match against SHC. The opposition began slowly under the pressure of the PAC bowlers. Chris Olver 2/0 and Tom Evans 2/2 restricted SHC to a modest 64. Tom Evans 14 n.o. and Chris Olver 24 n.o. helped towards the total. With one ball remaining, PAC needed one run to win. Unfortunately, SHC did not allow the run and the match ended in a last ball tie.

We would like to thank the support of our parents, especially those who helped with the scoring and umpiring and look forward to improving our results in term four.



First VIII - 1997

Back Row L to R *H.D. Cartledge, M.D. Rasheed, R.J. Thomas, S.M. Masters, T.L. Collins*

Front Row L to R *J.D. Roberts, S.J. Nicholls, Mr. A.B. McLachlan, D.E. Polomka, J.J. DeMaria*

Absent: *Mr. B. Reece*

First V111 Rowing

Coach: Ben Reece
Alistair McLachlan
Crew:
Bow: Sam Nichols
2 seat: Jason Roberts
3 seat: Henry Cartledge
4 seat: Shane Masters
5 seat: Matthew Rasheed
6 seat: Ryan Thomas
7 seat: Daniel Polomka
Stroke: Trent Collins
Cox: Joseph De Maria

The 1996/97 rowing season looked very promising with three of last season's members, including the coxswain, returning to the eight again. The small and not so powerful crew certainly made up for these attributes by working hard at their fitness and in the boat technically. Led by Ben Reece and joined by Alistair McLachlan midway through the season, the first VIII had an international coaching squad comprising of two international rowers who had both represented Australia. They knew and passed on the newest and up to date coaching methods. The January rowing camp saw the eight finalised after chopping and changing between members of the squad. We then went directly from rowing camp to the Murray Bridge regatta where we defeated Saints for the first time and decided that we would make the season ours. Throughout the season we were a dominant force winning nearly all our races. The crew managed to pull together a brilliant race to take out the prestigious Schoolboy First VIII State Championships race and keep hold of the Advertiser Shield. This made Head Of The River look hopeful for us but unfortunately Saint Peters pulled through on the day to beat us by just over a boat length.

The crew would like to thank Ben Reece for travelling to and from Sydney every weekend after being offered a job there midway through our season, Alistair McLachlan for helping Ben and the crew in their endeavours to win Head Of The River. Also thanks must go to Alex Ballard for assisting in our coaching though he had a crew of his own. Special thanks to the parents for their undying support of the boys and the club.

Trent Collins
11 Delbridge

1st IV Rowing

Coach: Ray Hassle
Crew:
Stroke: Henry Trumble
3 seat: Nicholas Glaetzer
2 seat: Darrin Stone
Bow: Ben Mills

The 1st IV season spanned about a whole three weeks for most of the crew. In our first regatta as a crew we were able to win the second race after only two training sessions. We had the power and technique, evident in winning all our starts, but due to general low fitness levels in the boat our finishes were somewhat hampered. After a total of five training sessions on the water we faced the Head of The River weekend where we would compete against crews that had been together for nearly six months. Again we won the start and were out in front for the first five hundred metres. Our endurance levels then began to decline, and the Pembroke four, consisting of half their 2nd VIII, went out to win over us by one and a half lengths. Our performance in that race had exceeded the crew's expectations as well as our coach's, Ray Hassle.

Nicholas Glaetzer
12 Hemsley

U15A Rowing

Cox: T. Spencer
Stroke: N. McLeay
Three: C. Hurghburg
Two: A. Grogan
Bow: S. Thomas

At the beginning of the season there were two equal A crews set until the rowing camp. During rowing camp we had a large number of seat races to determine the set A crew. On the final night of rowing camp the A crew was announced and stayed the same.

From rowing camp until H.O.R we won five major titles, these included

First 4 Lance Beg cup and the U15 perpetual trophy, both at the Port Adelaide regatta, the U15 Quad Sculls were held a week later and finally the U15 State Champs and First four State Champs were held.

With two weeks to go, Head of the River was approaching rapidly. During this time the training became more intense and our focus was on the big day.

To finish of a great season once again,we managed to hold off all other crews to win the Head of the River by two lengths.

In conclusion, I would like to thank our parents for all their support and help and our couch, Mr. Curtis for all his dedication throughout the season.

Nick McLeay
10 Oldham

Under 15C

Coach: Lachlan Rowland
Bow: Anthony Antonas
Two: Huy Nguyen
Three: Alex Sliz
Stroke: George Antonas
Cox: Tom Nichols

The Under 15 C crew had a relatively successful season. We took it in turn at every training and regatta to find the best combination for the crew. It was then at rowing camp the crew became four, as a member was dropped to the D's. We also picked up a new coxswain at the camp from year 8 in Tom Nichols. With a permanent crew we rowed successfully at rowing camp, gaining the experience and the technique we needed to row as a crew. With Lachlan Rowland as coach, we went on to win a race at every regatta, surpassing all crews from the B and C division and even several A crews.

The C crew earned a notoriety for self criticism and bickering within the crew. This then became both our blessing and our curse as it pushed us to row harder and better while reducing the crews' morale. Then came March 22nd and with the six months training we had given, we weren't going let ourselves and our coach down. We went out feeling confident and came out victorious.

George Antonas
10 Blacket

Lightweight Four

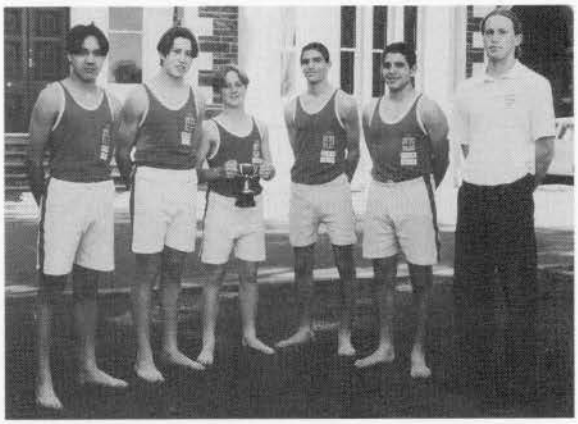
Coach: James Ledgard
Stroke: Dominic O'Neill
Three: Lachlan Johnson
Two: Simon Lane
Bow: Fergus Adamson
Cox: James Gummow

We started off the year as a team of coxswains better known as the 'F' crew but that soon changed when we were promoted to become the Lightweight Four competing against stronger and heavier Seniors. Being U/15 and only one member of our crew having had any previous rowing experience to us this was a challenge of significant proportion. Quietly confident we believed we were ready for the Head of the River when in our previous race we came second to Pembroke in the State Championships. Unfortunately, the race result indicates we were beaten by stronger crews but the experience was immeasurable and strengthened our resolve to be more successful One next year. With our coach James Ledgard encouraged us with his knowledge to improve our skills and this proved to be extremely important as we consistently beat PAC's D and E crews in most 2000 metre races. Mr Curtis' contribution proved significant as our new cox James Gummow became deadly on the water, by hitting other boats and skullers (just to name a few!). Boat repairs became almost a full time occupation. It was even necessary for Mr Curtis to mend our boat during the week leading up to Saturday's Head of the River regatta. Next year we are hopeful with the same crew, to further our experience, improve our skills and consistently perform to the best of our ability to achieve that ultimate prize. On behalf of the crew I would thank our parents for their support and transportation to the regattas.

Simon Lane
10 Blacket



Under 15A Head of River Champions - 1997
L to R *T.N. Spencer, N.J. McLeay, S.G. Thomas, Mr. J.P. Curtis (Coach), A.D. Grogan, C.B. Hurburgh*



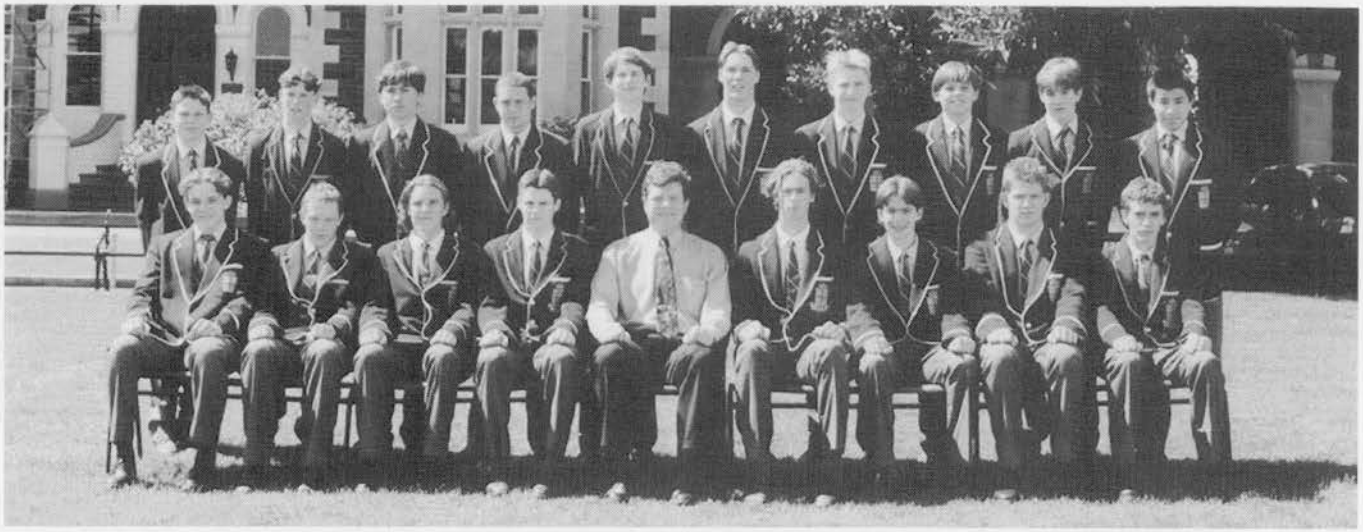
Under 15C Head of River Champions - 1997
L to R *H. Nguyen, A.K. Silz, T.C. Nicholls, G.J. Antonas, A.J. Antonas, Mr. L.W. Rowland (Coach)*



Under 15D Head of River Champions - 1997
L to R *B. Waldron, G.H.J. Manuell, Mr. B.D. Nicholls (Coach) M.C. Woodforde, C.P. Ballard* Absent: *J.A. Tolmer*



Under 14C Head of River Champions - 1997
L to R *H.J. Rankine, A.J. Muir, M.J. Besir, M.R. Wilson, E.V. Longmire Mr. S. Longmire (Coach)*



Swimming Team - 1997

Back Row L to R *M.G. Hallett, A.R. Phillis, N. Deduhin, A.K. Cox, P. Matthews, S.L. Arney, F.J. Hall, A.I. Cleveland, M.R. Wilson, C.J. Leung*

Front Row L to R *J.D. Roberts, W.C. Freeland, N.J. Hains, S.A. McKay, Mr. M.W. Millard, S.D.R. Stone, A.P. Hough, J.A. Secomb, A.J. Broom*

Swimming

Captain of Swimming - Scott McKay

Vice - Captain - Sam Stone

Teachers in Charge - M. Millard and M. Pallett

This year there has been a strong improvement in the depth and quality of the School Swimming Team and our numbers have been boosted by a strong group of keen Year 8 swimmers

The Wednesday Inter-school competitions at the PAC pool have enabled a large number of our students to participate with success. PAC finished strongly on all five occasions, coming first in four of the meetings and second in one.

The SASSSA Championships were held on 5 March at the Adelaide Aquatic Centre (AAC) and PAC performed very strongly, especially at the U14 and U15 levels. The highlight of the evening came from our U15 Freestyle Relay team of Chris Leung, Alex Phillis, Matthew Alvaro, and Ashley Cleveland which broke the existing record to win in a time of 1:54.14.

On 7 March the school competed in the Annual Teams Relay Championships at the ACC and our Year 8/9 Freestyle Team of Fletcher Hall, Matthew Alvaro, Simon Cox, and Ashley Cleveland finished second in the finals.

The culmination to the season came on Wednesday 26 March at the ISSA finals and PAC finished very strongly in second place. Chris Leung, Justin Secomb, Alex Phillis and Will Freeland all won individual events on the night. Our U15 Medley Relay team of Matthew Alvaro, Chris Leung, Alex Phillis and Michael Wilson won their event. The team was unlucky not to finish in first place at the end of this event.

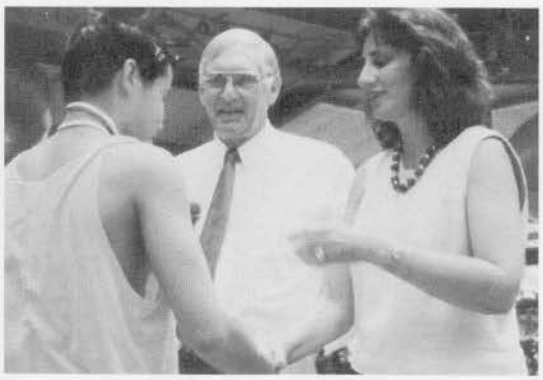
Chris Leung and Justin Secomb are to be congratulated on their selection to swim at the Australian Age Swimming Championships held in Sydney from 30 March to 3 April. Chris received a Silver Medal in the 14 years 100m Breaststroke final. Justin swam in the 15 years 100m Backstroke and finished 31st out of a field of 43 swimmers.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all our parents for their assistance and support throughout the season and we also thank Mr M. Millard and Ms M. Pallett for their efforts in the organisation of our swimming team.

Scott McKay
12 Delbridge
Sam Stone
12 Stanton

The Swimming Carnival







Chris Leung, Michael Hobby - Victorious Blacket
The Recording Team



Intercollegiate - 1997

Back Row L to R *R. Bickmore, N.M. Wong, T.J. Wickham, T.A. Duffy*

Front Row L to R *A.P. Timbs, D.M. Forbes (Captain), Mr. A.D. Reed, B.G. Allan (Vice-Captain), A.G. Rosser*

Absent: *M.G. Selby, R.S. Sosnowski*

Intercollegiate Tennis

Coach: Mr Andrew Reed

Team:Daniel Forbes, Andrew Timbs, Ben Allen, Rob Sosnowski, Nick Wong, Ryan Bickmore, Matthew Selby, Tom Duffy, Adam Rosser, Tennyson Wickham.

This years Intercol tennis team suffered a disappointing setback in our quest to win back the Intercol from arch rival St. Peters. Played at Saints on the grass, the team lost 10 rubbers to 2. However, throughout all of the day no one gave an inch to their more experienced opponents. It is unfortunate that the team had been in the second division all year because it was evident that the team was not accustomed to being placed under such pressure for the entirety of their matches.

Singles:

In the first two singles, Daniel Forbes and Andrew Timbs tried in vain but succumbed in straight sets. The third and fourth singles were much closer encounters, involving Ben Allen and Rob Sosnowski. Both players almost pulled off incredible wins as they pushed their opponents to three tight sets. In the fifth and sixth singles, both Nick Wong and Ryan Bickmore played opponents who were at the peak of their games and both went down in straight sets. The seventh single was won by Matt Selby in what disappointingly, was our only singles win. Matt played extremely well and totally outclassed his opponent. This was a great triumph for the team and boosted our confidence going into lunch. The eighth single was played by Tom Duffy, who fought valiantly but unfortunately lost in three tight sets. Adam Rosser played ninth single in what was a very tight encounter. Unfortunately he also went down in straight sets. Tennyson Wickham playing in the tenth single was coming into some form in the days before his match, and with this new found form he demolished his opponent in a quick match.

Doubles:

After lunch Daniel Forbes and Andrew Timbs played a very tough doubles match which unfortunately for us ended in two tie break sets, both going to St. Peters,,. Ben Allen and Rob Sosnowski played a long and drawn out game which went down to the wire, but this rubber again went the way of St. Peters in three sets. Matt Selby continued his winning way in combining with Nick Wong to win our only double for the day. They were a step ahead of their opponents all day and went on to win in straight sets. Adam Rosser and Ryan Bickmore both played very well in the fourth double but narrowly lost. Tom Duffy and Tennyson Wickham joined forces in the fifth double and almost pulled off an upset victory but were narrowly defeated.

I must thank the coach Mr. Andrew Reed for his unending support and help throughout the year.

Daniel Forbes
12 Blacket

Drive Tennis

Coach: Mr Andrew Reed

Team: Daniel Forbes, Andrew Timbs, Ryan Bickmore, Matt Selby, Tennyson Wickham, Tom Duffy, Adam Newman, Adam Rosser

This year's Drive Tennis team has had a very successful season which has seen it lose only two matches for the first term, and be placed a comfortable third on the ladder, as we approach the fourth term. We suffered an early loss to front runner Marryatville High, but are keen to avenge this loss when we meet again.

There have been several positives for the team this year, one of which has been its doubles play. In every match other than one, we have gone into the singles with a two-one lead.

Every player who has played this year has ended the term with more wins than losses, and showed great sportsmanship in every match that has been played.

The team has a 7-2 win loss ratio and is keen to avenge last years Intercol loss in December.

Daniel Forbes
12 Blacket

Open Age Tennis

Coach:Mr. N. Bennett

Teams : (Open A) Adam Rosser, Tom Pledge, Angus Dillon, Nick Sanders, Tom Bell, Tom Short,Owen Mullner.

(Open B) Brenton Hickman, Jamie Murdoch, Clayton Bennett, James Green, Jonathan Copley, Stafford Trowse,Tim Williams, James Chalmers.

The A team won 5 out of 6 matches, including an impressive victory over Saints.

This team probably would have remained undefeated if Angus Dillon, Tom Pledge and Tom Short had been available in the final match. Adam Rosser (No. 1), Nick Sanders (No. 2) with only one loss at 5 sets to 7, Tom Bell and Owen Mullner played excellently.

The B team played consistently well with a 4 matches to 2 win loss ratio. In singles Clayton Bennett, Jamie Murdoch, Tim Williams and James Chalmers stood out.

Angus Dillon
12 Delbridge

11 Tennis

Coach: Mr. Adrian Johnson

Team: Nick Hicks, Matthew Dietman, Josh Tirrell, Thomas Jackson, Josh Wickham, Tom Bell, Scott Nichols, Warwick Groves, Luke Davies, James Lang, Daniel Antonas, Tom Welsh, Jamie Craven.

With the introduction of new coach Mr Johnson to the A and B teams, they played with poise during first term, resulting in strong defeats over schools.

Players performed admirably and efficiently and showed the true Princes spirit. Good, solid tennis was on show for the interested spectator. The A and B teams had pleasing wins over St. Peters, Westminster and Sacred Heart.

Good luck to all players in term 4.

Matthew Dietman
11 Oldham

Year 10 A/B Tennis

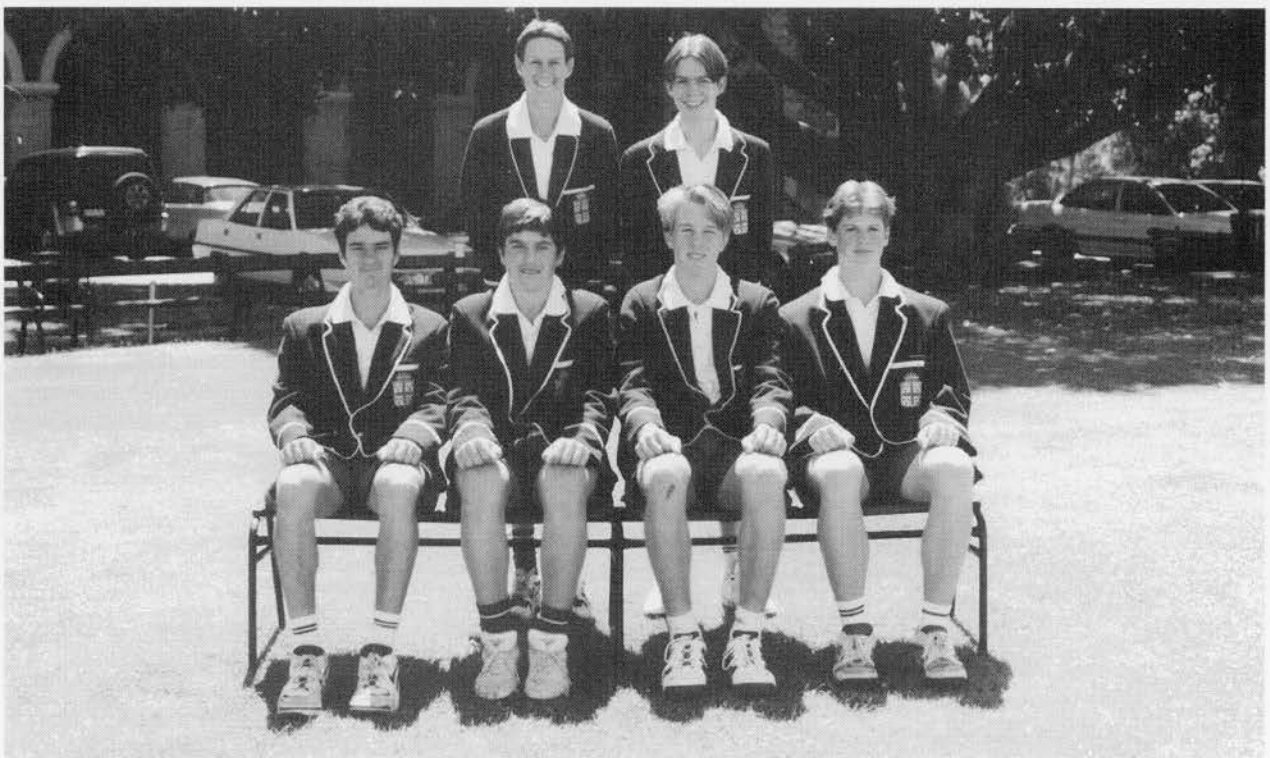
Coach:Mr. S. Parker

Team: Tim Nicholls, Brad Wong, Nicholas Kitchin, Tom Clarke, Ben Patterson, Matthew Just, Jamie Myers, Jarred Tilley, Andrew Cox, Lachlan Croft, Greg Short, James Pratt, Simon Jones, Bradley Daniel.

The year 10 A and B tennis teams both had a very successful season:the A's were undefeated and the B team won the majority of their matches (4 out of 6). Every player tried hard and in most cases came out victorious. Special mention must be made of Nicholas Kitchin, Ben Patterson and Jamie Myers who were undefeated. The A team had two 9-0 victories against Pembroke and Saints whilst the B team had a 9-0 victory over Sacred Heart. Well done.

Overall the season was one of good sportsmanship and enjoyment. Also, I would like to take this opportunity, on behalf of all year 10 tennis players, to give special thanks to our coach Mr. Parker, who helped us learn new skills and maintain positive attitudes towards tennis. I would like to thank the parents for their help with transport and supporting the teams each Saturday.

Tim Nicholls
10 Stanton



10 A/B Tennis (undefeated) - 1996

Back Row L to R *M.P. Tucker, A.P. Hough*

Front Row L to R *M.C. Dietman, S. Myers, J.S. Tirrell, H.M. Perks*



9A Tennis (undefeated) - 1996

Back Row L to R *M.P. Powell, T.C. Clarke, B.P. Patterson, M.E. Just, B.J. Wong, A.P. Schmidt*

Front Row L to R *L.S. Croft, T.A. Duffy, Mr. A.G. Buxton, T.M. Nicholls, J.W.M. Pratt*

9 Tennis

Coach:Mr Buxton

A Team: Marcus Syvertsen, Elliot St. Clair, Ben Dufour, Michael Low, Nick Cristie, James Green.

B Team:Nathan Hallion, Michael Garry, Andrew Copley, Michael Chapman, Jarrad Stevens, Lea Hodge, Scott Weckert.

This term was a sensational one for both the A and B teams. The A team performed outstandingly, being undefeated for the term. The B team also did extremely well, recording only one loss, which was very close, losing 4-5. This term we had a very strong team which made it extremely hard for our opposition to win. The amount of effort that was put in by all the players and the good sportsmanship that was shown was excellent. Congratulations to James Green, Nathan Hallion and Jarrad Stevens who were all undefeated in their singles for the term.

A special thanks must go to Mr Buxton who spent a lot of time organising our team and coaching us. Another thank you to Mr Parker for taking us for training on Thursday afternoons.

Finally I would like to congratulate all of the 9 A and B players for their brilliant performances this term. Well done.

Marcus Syvertsen

9 Blacket

8/9 C Tennis

Coach:Mr. A. Fergusson

Team:Lea Hodge, Scott Weckert, Ben Ung, Sho Kajino, Aleck Whittam, Lachlan Carlier, Tom Bridges

The team had quite a good season, winning 4 matches against Woodcroft with 2, Cabra and Westminster with 1. We lost the other two games against Rostrevor and St. Ignatius.

The team had 7 players with 4 year 8's and 3 year 9's. The year 8's were Tom Bridges, Lachlan Carlier, Sho Kajino and Aleck Whittam. The year 9's were Lea Hodge, Ben Ung and Scott ‡Weckert.

The team had a good season and will try to get a perfect winning streak next time.

Ben Ung

9 Blacket

8 A Tennis Term 4 1996

Coach Mr M. J. Thompson

The Year 8 A team, strengthened by the inclusion of Elliot St Claire, completed the year most successfully, losing only to St Peters in a vastly improved performance over Term 1. Ryan Bickmore continued his fine performances and richly deserved his selection in the Drive Team. Other good performers were Ben Dufour, Michael Low, Elliot St Claire, Nathaniel Stewart, Michael Garry, James Green and Nicholas Christie. Good wins were recorded against Blackfriars, Pulteney, Westminster, Pembroke, Immanuel and St Michaels.

8 A Tennis Term 1 1997

Coach Mr M. J. Thompson

This season was very successful for the Year 8 A team, who were undefeated, except for a tight loss against a very talented St Peter's side. The team consisted of Michael Richardson, Michael Craven, Bryce Washington, Tom Farrant, Ben Hall and Tom Perks and Michael Hallett, while Jason Lehman put in strong performances when called into the premier side. Michael Richardson, Tom Farrant and Tom Perks put 100% into their singles ties and won every match, while others lost only one or two. In the doubles games, out of 18 sets over the season we won 15, which was an excellent effort. I'd like to thank the coach and organiser, Mr Thompson for organising this very successful Year 8 A team.

Michael Craven

8 Jordison

8 B Tennis Term 4 1996

Coach Mr M. J. Thompson

The Year 8 B team completed the year very successfully, losing only one match narrowly to Pulteney. The strong 8-1 win against Saint Peters was particularly pleasing, while other good wins were recorded against Blackfriars, Pembroke, Westminster, Immanuel and St Michaels. Consistent performers included Jarrad Stevens, Michael Siciliano, Lachlan Mackie, Scott Weckert, Andrew Copley, Philip Raptopoulos, Matthew Alvaro, and Clayton Wheeler.

8 B Tennis Term 1 1997

Coach Mr M. J. Thompson

The Year 8 B team went very well throughout the season, playing on a variety of surfaces and remaining undefeated. The closest match was that against St Peters, which we won 5-4. The biggest win was over Rostrevor 9-0. The players who made up the team were Darren Bills, Joseph Crosby, Toby Miller, Peter Matthews, Michael Hallett, Sho Kajino, Alec Whitham, Michael Tysoe, Matthew Blanchard, James McGuffog, Daniel Trelease and a special guest appearance by Fletcher Hall. Everyone played well and the team support was good and certainly helped win all the matches. A big thank you goes to Mr Thompson for coaching us throughout the season.

Darren Bills
8 Clark

OPEN TENNIS

COACH: Mr. D. Rawnsley
Team: M. Thompson, T.Simmons, S. Martin, T.Davidson, M. Tucker, J.Low, S.Myers, A.Hough, S.Kealey, M.Brinkley, A.Talbot, J.Croft, M.Rose

Mr Rawnsley's Open A tennis team had a very successful start to the year only dropping one match to a tough Immanuel opposition out of a total of eight matches, which was a great effort. Mr Rawnsley's second team which was an Open B side, also did quite well, winning over half of their matches.

There were some strong individual performances in both the A and B sides. The consistent style of Simon Martin led to him winning all of his singles matches for the season in the Open A side. Also in the A's, Travis Simmons completed the first term undefeated in doubles. In the B's, Michael Brinkley was undefeated, which was rewarded with a place in the A's against Westminster. Michael also won this game. In the doubles for the B's, Simon Myers was a consistently strong performer.

With encouraging results in the first term, Mr Rawnsley and the team look forward to a very competitive fourth term.

Travis Simmons and Simon Martin
12 Rushton

Badminton



Intercollegiate Badminton - 1997

Back Row L to R *R.P. Manuel, A.C.H. Swanson, M.W. Henderson, J.A. Humphries*
Front Row L to R *K.K.H. Khaw, W.F. Chong, Mr. J. Kracht, D.J.S. Chan, T.W.C. Chong*

Badminton Report

With many of our Badminton players of such a high standard, we decided to have 3 A teams this year and no B team. As a result, there were competition days when we had to play first teams of 3 different schools.

All 3 Open A teams dominated the competition with only one loss in more than twenty games against some tough opposition. Many of the players remained undefeated throughout the season keeping an unblemished record of no losses since the 1995 season. New players also played very well to give some good games to more experienced opposition.

The Junior team of Years 8 and 9 students had a excellent start to the year with 6 wins and no losses. This was due to an enthusiastic approach to the game by all team members, both new and old. The new players combined with the more experienced players to ensure a very competitive team. The successful season of this team shows the depth and ability of Badminton within the school for some years to come.

When Intercol time came around, the Princes' side looked very formidable indeed. With five out of six players in State Training Squads, including Tim Chong and myself who are members of the state u/19 squad. Kevin Khaw and Darren Chan are members of the state u/19 development squad and Ryan Manuel is a member of the state u/17 squad. All players were from the previous Intercol team from last year with the exception of John Humphries who was a great addition to the team. P.A.C. had never looked better. This became obvious when P.A.C. won all three opening doubles, which in the past had been our weakness. P.A.C. continued to dominate and the experience of the team showed when two sets were won 15:0. P.A.C. went on to win the Intercol 8:1, the highest ever Badminton Intercol victory.

Overall, the P.A.C. Badminton teams have performed very well with only one loss in about 30 games across the board. With many players having improved since the last season, P.A.C. definitely has a very good basis for future competitions.

Woon Feng Chong

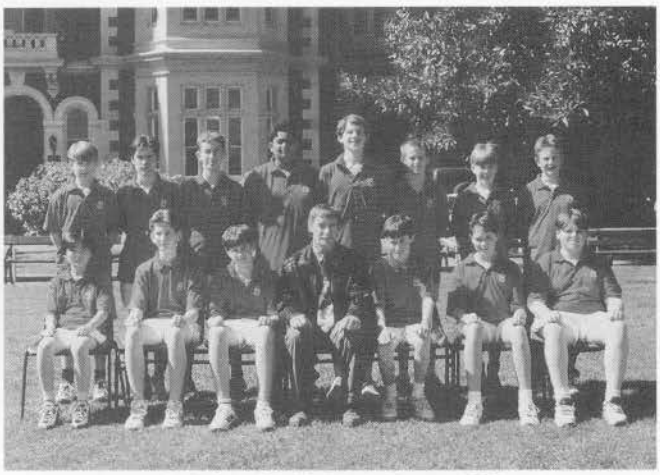
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Open A Table Tennis - 1997

Back Row L to R *C. Chen, D. Antonas, R.A. Harrison, H. Jones*

Front Row L to R *W.F. Chong, R.P. Manuel, Mr. N. Bennett, M.A. Humphries A.C.H. Swanson*



Undefeated Table Tennis Teams - 1997

Back Row L to R *T.M. Perks, T.E. Morgan, C.J. Moody, G.A. Kannangara, P. Matthews, D. Buxton, J.B. Crosby, J.P. Guezelow*

Front Row L to R *W.Ngan, K.H.J. Barnett, C.E. Patterson, Mr. G. Baird, A.E. Saint, G.C. Jones, T.M. Dawkins*

Open Table Tennis 1997

Due to Princes complete dominance of I.S.S.A. Table Tennis last season the decision was made this season to divide our Firsts and Seconds into two First Teams. Despite this, it was another season of considerable success for the P.A.C. Table Tennis program, with both First Teams remaining undefeated for the second year in a row and comfortably finishing top of the I.S.S.A. ladder for the fourth year in a row. This achievement is testament to both the astute management skills of Mr. Norman Bennett, whose juggling of the teams each week helped P.A.C. to always be competitive and also to the great depth of talent currently possessed in the Princes table tennis program. This talent spreads from Yr. 12 to Yr. 8 and the success of the junior table tennis teams augurs well for future years as well.

The depth of our table tennis program was shown very clearly in the two First teams, where the team consisted of players from many different years. Remarkably the youngest member of the team, Alex Swanson from Yr. 9, was also the star of the team; a tribute to the sheer brilliance of Alex, who surely must be considered one of the most talented table tennis players P.A.C. has ever produced. Best wishes must also go to Alex as he strives to win the Australian National titles in September; Alex is currently seeded number one in his age group in Australia and hopefully he will be able to continue his current good form in the Nationals. Another younger member of the team, Cheng Chen from Yr. 10, also performed well during the season and has improved greatly.

However the lynch pin of our continuing success was the strength of the Yr. 11 players, in particular Richard Harrison, who improved greatly to be one of the star players in the Firsts, and Dan Antonas who had an undefeated season personally, yet again underlying the ability which has made him an indispensable member of the First Team since Yr. 8. Mention must also be made of Hugh Jones, who has performed strongly all season and who will be looking to continue his steady improvement, and Ryan Manuel who added depth to the team. Rounding off the members of the Firsts were the two Yr. 12 players Mark Humphries (who was also Vice Captain of Table Tennis) and Woon Feng Chong, both of whom contributed greatly to another superb season with their leadership, dedication and ability. Finally thanks and kudos must go to Mr. Bennett and Mr. Kracht for their management of the team. It is largely due to their continued efforts that Prince Alfred College is the dominant force in the I.S.S.A. competition.

Ryan Manuel

11 Oldham

Results for the season were outstanding, with the top three three teams remaining undefeated for the season, and the fourth team only losing two matches.

8 1A won 11, lost 064 rubbers to 8

8 1B won 11, lost 065 rubbers to 2

8 2A won 10, lost 055 rubbers to 13

8 2B won 8, lost 244 rubbers to 24

Although there was some movement of players through the teams, members were as follows:

8 1A	Tom Perks, Gavin Jones, Tom Morgan, Alex Saint
8 1B	Tom Dawkins, K Barnett, W Ngan, Joseph Crosby, Craig Paterson
8 2A	Josh Guelzow, Cameron Doody, Peter Mathews, Goshaka Kannangara, Dudley Buxton
8 2B	Jarrod Sandow, Ricky Fung, Danny Elassaad, Chris Clark, Edward Brockhoff, Feng Lin

Congratulations to all the boys involved. The future of table tennis at Princes is in good hands.

Graham Baird

8 Table Tennis

There were a total of twenty enthusiastic, reliable and talented students that competed for positions in the four table tennis teams (four per team) to play for their school on Fridays. There was much intense, yet friendly, rivalry during practices, as each player attempted to improve his ranking. However, in all games against other schools, there was full support for each other.

Squash

This year has been another very successful one for the Princes squash program led by Mrs. Viv Jenson and Mr. David Rawnsley. With the interschool competition reduced to just five levels due to a lack of teams in the top grade, PAC were forced to enter four teams in the newly formed AIB competition to have enough teams to use all players. Where there was more than one Princes team in a competition, the teams were made even so as to give the PAC players a good game when they played their schoolmates. Despite this dilution of our talent, nine of our twelve teams made the five finals with the four AIB teams ranking 1, 2, 3 and 4 at the end of the regular season. Out of the five grades being contested by Princes teams we eventually won four with only the year 9 team losing in the final. However this was a gallant performance with the best ten year nines playing in the year ten or open ranks. Those teams that did win their premierships were:

Open A./B: PAC (2)
Runner Up: PAC (4)
Open C: PAC (2)
Runner Up: PAC(1)
Year 10: PAC (2)
Runner Up: PAC (1)
Year 8: PAC (1)
Runner Up: PAC (2)

Over and above the interschool competition which we competed in all year, PAC also entered a team in the most prestigious schoolboy competition for school teams, the Statewide Knockout. This was contested at the Kidman Park Squash Centre and was again won by PAC, for the seventh time in a row and the eighth time in the nine years that we have been competing. The team for this competition consisted of:

Chris Simcock
Luke Williams
Tom Farrant
Sam Williams
Mark Henderson (captain)

As in past years, several of our players have successfully competed in tournaments, including the Australian Junior National Championships, where Chris Simcock and Tom Farrant both took part in the Singles Event for their respective age group and Chris also filled in for the Tasmanian team in the teams event. Despite his battle with Glandular Fever during the year, Chris has retained his South Australian Sports Institute Scholarship and Tom has been training with the State Development Squad.

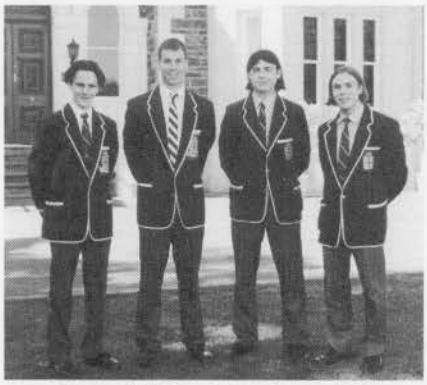
With so much success at the interschool level it was no surprise that the School Championships, contested throughout terms two and three, were very exciting. Indeed, with so much talent on show at all levels, the games were not only exciting but of high quality, especially the Open final which was played between Chris Simcock and Tom Farrant, two State ranked players. Chris was the winner of that match, winning 3-0. The winners and runners up of the Championships were as follows:

Open: Chris Simcock
Runner Up: Tom Farrant
Year 10: Nick Kitchen
Runner Up: Ben Patterson
Year 9: Sam Olechnowicz
Runner Up: Tim Angel
Year 8: Tom Farrant
Runner Up: Alex Bond

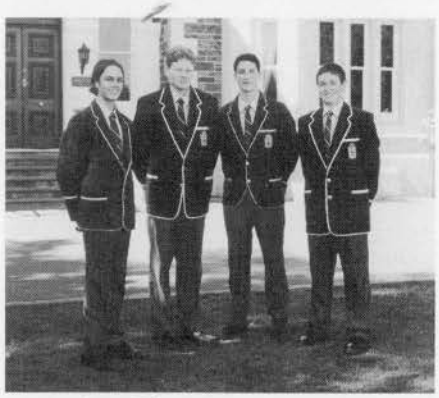
Mark Henderson, Captain of Squash 1997
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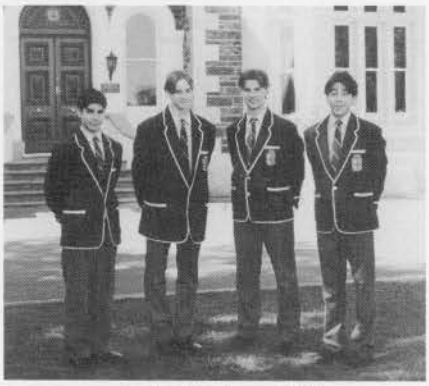
Squash Statewide Knockout Champions - 1997
L to R *S. Williams, L. Williams, M.W. Henderson, C.G. Simcock, T.C. Farrant*



Open A/B2 Squash Premiers - 1997
L to R *B.P. Rosenzweig (Captain), L. Williams, A.H. Gobolos, M.J. Hartstone*



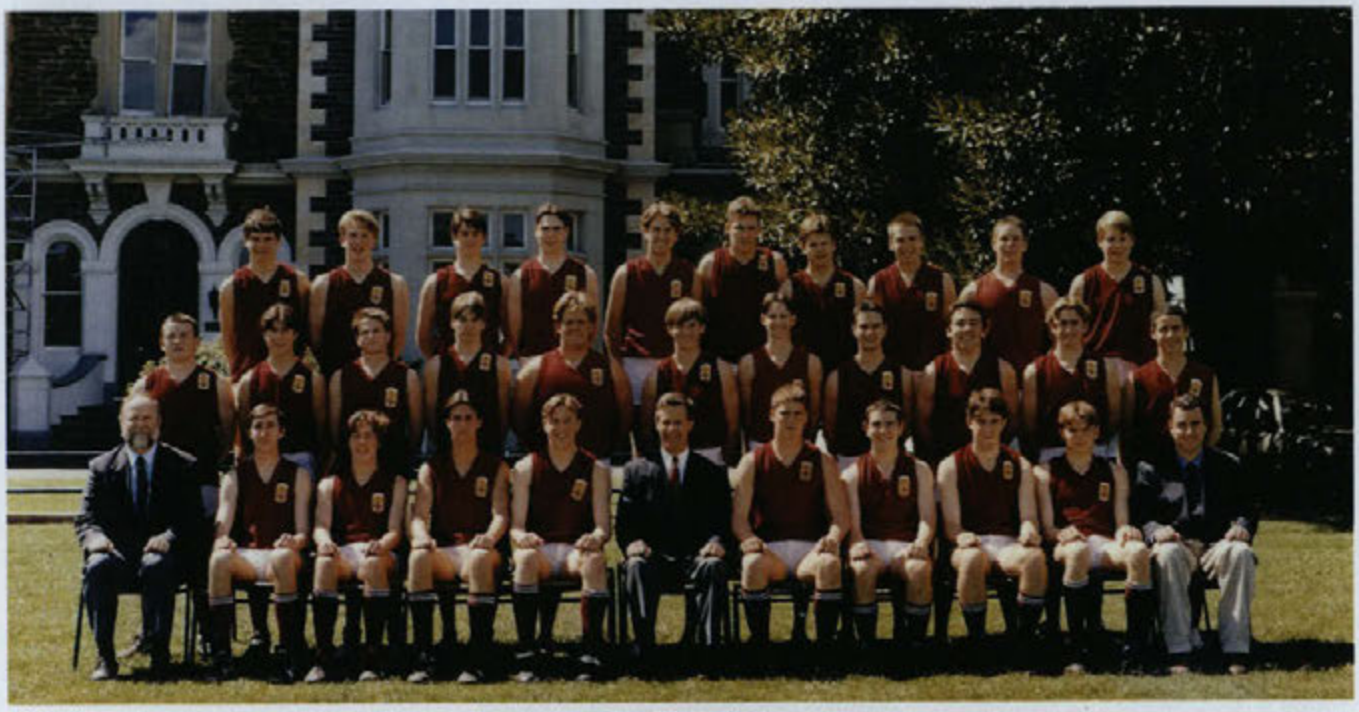
Open C Squash Premiers - 1997
L to R *S.W. Olechnowicz, A.C.H. Swanson, R.M. Wake, S.W. Kealy*



Year 10 Premiers - 1997
L to R *P.P. Raptopolous, N.A. Rice J. Jovicevic, N.P. Hallion*



Year 8 Premiers - 1997
L to R *C.P. Ballard, D. Karaduman M.J. Tysoe, S. Rawnsley*



First XVIII - 1997

Back Row L to R	*D.M. Mitchell, J.S. Tirrell, P.T.M. Morton, T.H. Wadham, S.J. Nichols, R.B. Byrne, S.M. Nalder, D.M. Forbes, J.S. MacIntosh, J.R. Waltham*
Second Row L to R	*J.L.R. Mort, S.M. Guning, S.K. Moore, S.J. Martin, R.G. Barber, M.A. Jones, M.P. Tucker, M.C. Dietman, L.B. Davies, C.J. Lovell, S. Williams*
Front Row L to R	*Mr. K.L. Watson (Manager), C.M. Parrish, T.J. Wickham, A.G.Rosser, M.D. Hobby (Captain), Mr. R.H. Coulls (Coach), R.G. Woite (Vice-Captain), N.P. Sanders, T.N. Simmons, T.A. Davidson, Mr. C.J. Harris (Runner)*

Ist XVIII Football

Coach Mr R Coulls

The 1997 season has been a very successful one for all involved in the 1st XVIII. After an intense pre-season including a football camp at the Fort Largs Police Academy, the First XVIII were quietly confident in the lead up to the forthcoming season. A holiday match against visiting Victorians Halibury College highlighted the talent we possessed with the Reds recording an easy victory.

The first match of the regular season was against Blackfriars. We ran out victors by four goals, with Rosser kicking four, in a best on ground performance. He was well supported by the run of Wickham, Hobby and Wadham.

The annual Wesley exchange once again proved to be a highlight of the season. We approached the game full of enthusiasm, well aware of the fact that our Victorian counterparts had had the upper hand on us for the past 10 years. In the first quarter, with the aid of a small breeze our attack on the ball and hard running ensured that we had first use of the ball to give forwards including spearhead Chad Parish several opportunities. Poor kicking for goal and wasted opportunities meant that Princes went in at quarter time with only a goal lead.

Princes started the second quarter in similar fashion led by Adam Rosser on the wing and Ryan Woite up forward. As the quarter progressed the intensity from our side dropped, probably due to soreness still lingering from Saturday's win. Wesley's strength allowed them to kick two late goals and go into half time full of confidence, but still trailing by a goal.

The last half belonged to the more physically mature Victorians who came out after half time and continued to dominate the game. Their no nonsense style of play saw them run out winners by 11.10 to 7.8. Michael Jones was the recipient of the Norman Dalwood Trophy for the best afield, due to his efforts repelling many Wesley surges forward. He was strongly supported by wingman Adam Rosser and forward Julian MacIntosh. Full forward Chad Parish was the leading scorer with 3 goals from limited opportunities.

Our next match was against an unknown Trinity College. Following Trinity we played a highly underrated Pulteney side, with us victorious by only 10 points. However, the game was marred by a serious knee injury to full forward Chad Parrish.

The following week saw us come up against the highly fancied and strong rival Sacred Heart. The drive of Hobby and Woite from the centre square was started by knock ruckman Scott Nicholls and ensured that our forwards had numerous opportunities to score goals. In the end we were out classed by a superior disciplined unit who were fitter and used the ball much more efficiently. Other valuable contributions came from Dietman and youngster Ryan Burne.

Our next game was against St Michaels with Ryan Woite displaying all his skills in a best afield performance for Princes in a comfortable victory. Daniel Forbes was a revelation in defence with Travis Simmons and the ever reliable John Waltham all being sound contributors in preventing St Michaels scoring a goal in the entire first half.

Following a bye for the Queens Birthday we played a highly rated Immanuel College. Princes won by 4 points in a real nail biting affair. Ryan Burne was leading scorer with four goals along with MacIntosh providing a worthy target up forward. Scott Nicholls was also most influential in the ruck, allowing the PAC on ballers first use of the football.

The following game was against Scotch College who proved no real problems for us as we posted another easy victory, winning 13.15 (93) to 6.8 (44) . John Waltham was faultless in defence while Sam Williams roved the forward line and was able to kick an excellent three goals.

The following game was to be a real test of our sides quality against the Independent Schools' heavyweight, Rostrevor. A disappointing performance saw Rostrevor totally outclass us and dominate the game.

Following the holiday break, Princes came up against Pembroke . Pembroke had the upper hand early in the game but aided by a determined effort by Peter Morton in defence, the class of PAC shone through. Hobby and Woite's work in the middle was superb with Adam Rosser and Shaun Nalder being influential up forward.

After the strong and encouraging performance earlier in the season the side was eager to show just how much it had improved which was evident in the build up to the Sacred Heart game. After an outstanding first quarter in which Adam Rosser's goal kicking ability was on display, PAC had the upper hand. However, the following three quarters belonged to Sacred Heart, where their better skill level and run were just too good.

After a shock loss in a midweek Pizza Hut Cup game to a substandard Unley High, the Reds needed to regroup with the intercol just two games away. In what proved to be an outstanding team performance, P.A.C. defeated Westminster 22.14 to 8.9. Woite, Hobby and Burne were amongst the best with Rosser kicking seven from centre half forward. Luke Davies' enthusiasm and strong voice from a wing was also a feature of the game, whilst Steve Moore roved the forward line with aggression.

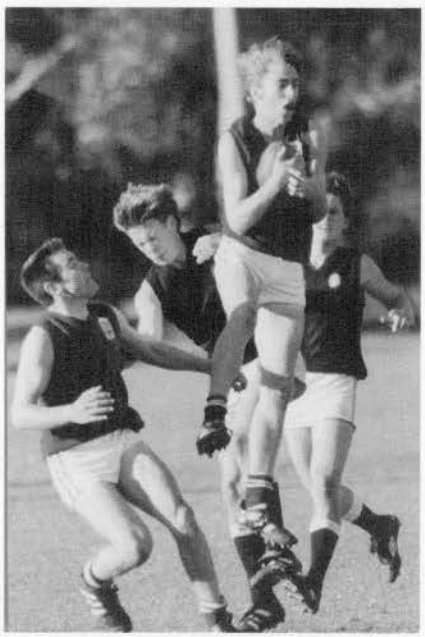
The following weekend saw another spirited performance with the Reds comfortably beating Immanuel. Princes outclassed their opponent once again with a match winning performance by Ryan Woite who booted 7 goals in only three quarters. Ryan was well supported by on ballers Travis Simmons and Mike Hobby as well as polished Chris Lovell up forward. The solid victory against worthy opponents gave the required form and confidence to perform in the annual intercollegiate game with St. Peters.

The 1997 intercol proved to be a great disappointment. After Saints controlled the first three quarters, our efforts in the final quarter were significantly improved. A special mention must go to Ryan Woite, whose 8 goal performance was one of the few highlights of the match. David Mitchell and Daniel Forbes' efforts must also be acknowledged. Ryan was awarded the Norman Dowie Trophy as best a field in the intercollegiate match against St Peters.

Many people need to be thanked for their tireless work that they have given into the running of the first XVIII for 1997. Firstly a mention must go to the work of Chris Drew who has been responsible for the first ever publication of the highly popular Red Review. Also a big thank you must go to all the mums who showed their support by providing afternoon tea at home games. Mr Watson and Mr Harris need to be thanked for their efforts as team manager and runner, as well as Mr Mathias and Mr McGuire for their help in numerous ways throughout the year.

Much of the success of not only the First XVIII but of Football at Prince Alfred College needs to be credited to our coach Mr Coulls. I extend both my own gratitude and that of the team for his tireless work and effort in trying to mould this young Football side into a working unit.

Michael Hobby
12 Blacket



Second XVIII Football

Coach: Mr. D. Steinhardt

The Second XVIII of 1997 had a very successful season, featuring many highlights. Some of these were the goal hauls of full forward Russell Barber, defeating Rostrevor, annihilating many sides and of course an intercol victory. The depth of Princes football was reinforced this year by the fact that during the season some 39 players were used in the Seconds.

Many of the teams we played were beaten convincingly, with seven out of the thirteen teams played beaten by 10 goals or more. Many of these games were a complete walk over against some particularly mediocre opposition. This season the Seconds played a very free flowing, running game with the ball being delivered quickly from the centre to the forward line, or being repelled from the disciplined back lines.

The roving abilities of Josh Norman and Chris Lovell were illustrated early in the season with strong performances against sides such as Trinity. The running Sam Williams also provided spark against Blackfriars before being promoted to the Firsts. Later on in the season the centre square was boosted by the presence of skillful players such as Simon Martin and Alex Marantos. Marantos picked up many possessions in the Seconds, and did this with a degree of flare. The best and fairest for the season, Simon Martin, created many plays from the centre with his quick hands and evasive techniques. His best and fairest season consisted of three best on grounds efforts. Jock Mort provided a solid presence in the centre and around the ground before moving up to the Firsts. Josh Wickham and Rupert Kelly also contributed well from the middle and around the ground. When not taking strong marks in the forward zone, Scott Gunning displayed some good football running off the wing. Stewy Wehr, Alex Laver, Chris Lovell and David Mitchell also displayed some fine skills on the wing.

The excellent ruck work of a few of the big men throughout the season was indeed one of the factors that made the Second XVIII so successful. The ruck work was shouldered by Matt Rasheed, Darrin Stone and Shane Masters. Matt Rasheed won many taps and never gave up. Darrin Stone also won many taps and provided a strong presence around the ground, and played two best on ground performances. Shane Masters also took his fair share of responsibility of the ruck work and did it well.

Full forward Russell Barber dominated this region with strong marks and confident leading. Barber finished with 60 goals for the season, and must be commended on this outstanding effort. Barber's biggest haul came in the first game against Blackfriars, where he kicked 10 goals. Throughout the season there were many forward pockets, including Jock Mort, Josh Norman, Tom Bell, Stafford Trowse, Brett Hill, Adam Richardson, Alex Laver, Shane Masters, Tom Short, Jamie Murdoch, Matt Rasheed, Darrin Stone and Mark Tucker. The two main centre half forwards used for the season were Peter Morton and Tom Short. Morton displayed strong marking skills and a brilliant left foot before being promoted to the firsts. Similarly, Short provided a good option with strong leads and marks. Josh Tirrell in his only game in the seconds against Scotch took many good marks. Mark Tucker and Ben Dearing operated

mainly off the half forward flanks. These two took advantage of many of the well delivered balls, with Dearing kicking 28 goals being second highest goalkicker, and Tucker 19 goals and third highest goalkicker.

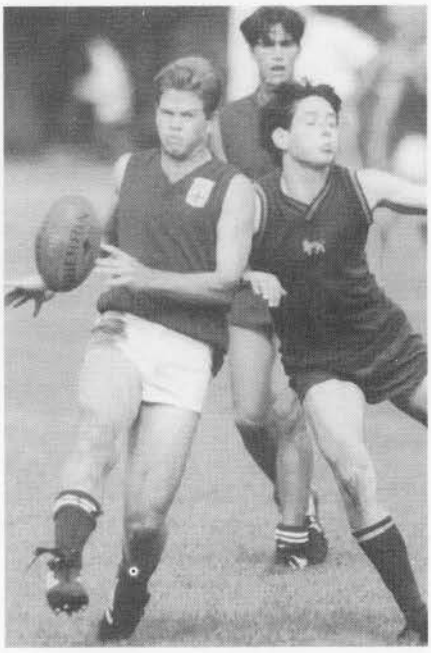
The disciplined back lines provided many forward movements, and destroyed many opposition forward lines along the way. The centre half back position was occupied all year, except for intercol, by the reliable Marc Bilyk. Trevor Wadham was a welcome addition to the centre half back position in the Intercol team. The half back flanks were occupied mainly by Nick Sanders and myself. Hamish Perks provided a strong presence in the back lines taking some timely marks. Brenton Hickman played full back for most of the season. He never allowed the full forward one easy possession, and was able to kick the ball long into attack when taking the kick outs. When not in the firsts Luke Davies provided some run out of the back lines and from the wing. The hard hitting Clayton Bennett provided some inspiration in the latter part of the season. The other back pockets included James Richards, Henry Cartledge, Andrew Robinson, Aaron Parsons, Brett Hill and Sam Stone.

Undoubtedly one of the highlights of the 1997 season, and the history of Princes football, was when PAC defeated Rostrevor on the Front Oval. After narrowly losing to them on two occasions, Princes played extremely hard and skillful football to defeat Rostrevor by 20 points. This game will stick in the memory of all players involved, and the coach who displayed great belief in his players.

Many thanks must go to the coach Mr. Steinhardt who put in lots of his time, passing on some of his football experience, and moulding the Seconds into one of the strongest teams in the competition. Mr. Steinhardt put faith in his players, and was willing to try them in different positions. He was able to fill players with confidence and establish them in their rightful position. Many people supported Mr. Steinhardt during the season. These included Tom Rayner, Ed Goodworth, Will Odell and Michael Lange. A special mention must go to the water boys who gave up their Saturday afternoons to run water. These young men included Ki Tae, Hyun Duk and Tae Ho Park, Joe Tapley, Ben Lacey and Scott Michael.

Overall the Second XVIII had a very successful season, with many people contributing to uphold the strong Princes football tradition.

Tom Davidson
12 Rushton



3rd XV111 Football

Coach: Mr Tim Fletcher

The 3rd XVIII experienced many ups and downs this season. With players moving up into the Seconds and other players moving down, it was very hard to have a consistent team. Although the team changed quite a lot from week to week the team was able to win a few important games throughout the season.

One of the highlights of the season was a huge win against Christian Brothers College 2nd XVIII team on their home ground. On a day which was splendid for football the 3rd XVIII played as a true team in what turned out to be quite an easy match. The standard of football being played was raised by a few vital players coming down from the Second Eighteen in a game where the Princes boys played well, all over the ground to end up winners, 28.21 (189) to 2.1 (13).

On the following weekend the Third Eighteen experienced another highlight when playing our arch rivals from over the road, Saint Peters College. In perfect conditions the Princes men led all day long in a game which showed true sportsmanship from both teams. After losing to Saint Peters earlier in the season the 3rd XVIII was able to win comfortably 20.14 (134) to 1.3 (9).

However the biggest highlight in our season came in week 6 of the third term. In what were unfavourable conditions, the team struggled hard in the first quarter to create a two goal lead. Saints came back hard in the second quarter and created a panic in the Princes team. However the Princes team battled on in conditions that didn't favour our style of game and played an excellent fourth quarter which showed the true Princes spirit. The back line was outstanding all day long with both Samuel Stone and James Richards dominating. In the end Princes had a well deserved win. 3.8 (26) to 2.7 (19)

Overall the 3rd XVIII had a mixed up season. However in every game played the Princes boys showed true sportsmanship, team work and determination, representing their school in an excellent manner.

Jamie Murdoch
12 Rushton

10B Football

The tension was rising at the start of the year as positions for the 10A's were difficult to achieve. As selections were made, the B's collected some excellent players who would lead us into the first game of the season against Sacred Heart. With the strong back line of Yannis Pappas, in his first football game, Simon Jones and Stephen Talbot we were sure to have some success on the field. Although the Princes' back line and centre line tried their best, the Heart's attack was just too strong, resulting in a loss. The best included John Salagaras and Yannis Pappas, who were both moved up into the A's a few weeks later.

The next week was Saint Peters at home. The Reds raked in a 17 goal victory and many players stepped up to bury the Saints in our first and last game against them.

Through the season the B's experienced some difficulty against Rostrevor and Sacred Heart. It was hard for our B's players as every now and again our players would be promoted to the successful A's. Players that were moved up, and down, included Steve Thomas, Andrew Fincher, Robert Barton, James Gilchrist, Tomas Trengove, Stephen Talbot, Alex Phillis and Angus Longbottom. The B's came up against some hard competition playing against the talented Westminster A's. This was a great challenge for us as it helped us prepare for our Intercol against Rostrevor at Saint Peters.

The moment of truth had arrived. This game would prove what the Reds were made of. The conditions were fierce. It was a battle against the elements and a willing Rostrevor side. The whistle was blown and the ball was bounced then the procedure of dog-eat-dog started. We bolted into the wind kicking four goals in the first quarter to Rostrevor's one goal. The coach was pleased and sent the Reds in for another battle, the onslaught continued. At the end of the second quarter the Reds were up by seven goals. The showers came in thick and fast and so did the goals. At the end of the third

quarter we were up by eleven goals. The final quarter came and the clans met for the final time in 1997. We were determined and our efforts were rewarded with a one hundred and eleven point win. The Intercol was ours. With high spirits we sang the Football Song and watched the 10A's clash with our rivals, Saint Peters.

The running of the 10B's was very successful with thanks to many people. A special thanks go to our coach Mr McGuire who trained us well in preparation of the games that lay ahead of us. Thanks to all of the parents for their support and time. Thanks to the 10A's, 3rd XVIII, 2nd XVIII, 1st XVIII players who came out to watch us and also to their coaches. And a very big thanks goes to all of the players because if you didn't play there wouldn't have been a Year 10B football team. Stephen Talbot and Angus Longbottom hoped that you enjoyed our captaincy of the 10B football team of 1997.

Stephen Talbot
Angus Longbottom

9 Football

Coach: Mr. B. Sweeney

Expectations were high for the Year 9 football team after the first game of the season , against B.P.S , a side that last year defeated us by around twenty goals but this season by the much smaller margin of five goals . Unfortunately these expectations were not lived up to in that we only won two games for the season , those being against Scotch and Unley High . Although the improvement was not shown on the win/loss count , there was great improvement amongst many of our players.

Some of these good performances throughout the year were by players such as Owen Wylie who played his first season of football and Aaron Puvi whom we sorely missed last year . Ryan Bickmore had a great return to football with his courage and pace being a great asset to the team . Other consistent performers were Nathan Hallion , Nick Jackman and David Pilcher who all had big roles to play throughout the season .

Hopefully next year we will gain some new and experienced players who will help the team with the lack of height , which the stronger teams like Sacred Heart and Rostrevor exposed as one of our weaknesses.

Many thanks are owed to Mr. Sweeney for coaching us during the season and also to Mr. Williams who oversaw us during school practices .

Nick Jackman
9 Delbridge

8A Football

Coach: Mr. Bubner

Team: Adam Phillis (C), Fletcher Hall (VC), Darren Bills, Will Darley, Hugh Denton, Alastair Dillon, Trent Smith, Sam Tyler, Alex Bond,Andrew Cooper, Jack Dent, Anthony Economou, Andrew Elliott, Brent Martens, Noah Redmond, Sam Richardson, Alex Saxon, Alex Stoll,Michael Hallett, Tom Nicholls, Ben Mooney, Jarrod Sandow, Josh Guelzow, Tim Donaldson, Michael Richardson, Henry Kelly, Tom Perks, Tom Speakman

The Year 8 Football Team improved a great deal over the season, winning 4 out of 8 games in the first half of the season and 3 out of 5 in the second half. Our first win was against Westminster, 13.7.85 to 1.3.9. Best players were Hugh Denton, Fletcher Hall, Adam Phillis, Andrew Elliott, Brent Martens who kicked 4 goals, Tom Nicholls who kicked 7 goals, Alastair Dillon and Tom Perks. We then played Trinity who were an extremely strong side, beating us by a considerable margin. After a disappointing game the week before we were all fired up for a win, and that's what happened, P.A.C 12.10 def Norwood Morialta 1.1.Best were Adam Phillis, Jack Dent, Andrew Elliott, Sam Richardson, Michael Richardson, Brent Martens who kicked 5 goals, Alastair Dillon and Tom Nicholls who kicked 3 goals. Our next game was against our arch rivals Saint Peters and our confidence was up, as it showed on the field when all players played to their best to beat Saints by 9 points. Best were Adam Phillis, Sam Richardson,Trent Smith, Fletcher Hall who kicked 1 goal, Andrew Elliott, Alex Stoll who also kicked 1 goal and Will Darley. Our other 2 goals came from Jack Dent and Michael Richardson.

Our next 2 games were disappointing ones losing to Sacred Heart and Rostrevor. The week after that we played Unley High and after a disappointing start we bounced back to win by 4.5. Our last game of the first half of the season was against Blackfriars, while we led just about all the game we let it slip in the last quarter and ended up losing by 1.1.

After a difficult first half of the season we wanted to do better in the second but that was not to be, losing our first game against St. Michael's in a tough contest in difficult conditions. Fletcher Hall played consistently all throughout the game. Our next game was against Pembroke and we were determined to win after losing to St.Michael's the week before.We went out all fired up and won by 9.10. Best players were Adam Phillis who kicked 2 goals, Tim Donaldson who kicked 1 goal, Fletcher Hall, Trent Smith,Tom Nicholls who kicked 4 goals,Alex Stoll who also kicked 4 goals, Jack Dent who kicked 1 goal, Brent Martens, Alex Saxon and Andrew Elliott.

We then played St.Ignatius and everyone played just as well as the week before to be too powerful for our opposition winning by 15.8. Jack Dent played one of his best games of the year. Our second to last game of the year was against Pulteney and our confidence was up after our last 2 games as we beat Pulteney by 11.15, Andrew Elliott kicked 4 goals and Alex Stoll kicked 11 goals in these three 3 games.Our next task was to beat Saints in the intercol. But being run down by illness and injury we were no match to their fully fit side as they beat us by 4.2.

All the team appreciated the advice that Mr.Bubner gave us throughout the season.

Adam Phillis
8JO

8B Football

Coach: Anthony Harradine

The year 8B football team played well all year despite losing some of its better players who went up into the A side. We were constantly improving throughout the year but improved a great deal during weeks 5, 6, and 7. In our first five games we defeated Westminster, Trinity, Saints and Rostrevor with our only loss coming against Sacred Heart.

In the first game of the season, against Westminster, we all came out fired up for a win, and it showed in the final result with P.A.C. running out winners by almost 7 goals.

Our second game was against Trinity and after the first week's performance we came out with confidence that was sky high. After a hard struggle P.A.C. once again came out winners but only by 11 points.

The next week we were going for a hat trick and we faced our traditional rivals in Saint Peters. They were said to be a good team but they were no match for us and we won by 6 goals.

The next week was always going to be a test for us, and it was, against Sacred Heart. All boys fought hard but we ended up going down by a considerable margin.

In round five, against Rostrevor, we were all pumped up, for a win, after the loss to Sacred Heart. After a slow start we fought back to win by 3 goals.

That ended the first half of our season with a 4 : 1 win loss ratio. In the second half of the season we should have repeated the performance but it was not to be for we were

unlucky and lost three of our final five games in the last quarter.

In the first game of the second half of the season we faced Sacred Heart for the second time and after losing to them the first time we wanted to make it one all. We kept up with them for the first three quarters and then with Cameron Ballard being sent off, which was a huge loss to the physical side of our game, we fell apart. In the last quarter we kicked 2 points to their 2 goals 5 points to go down by 2 goals.

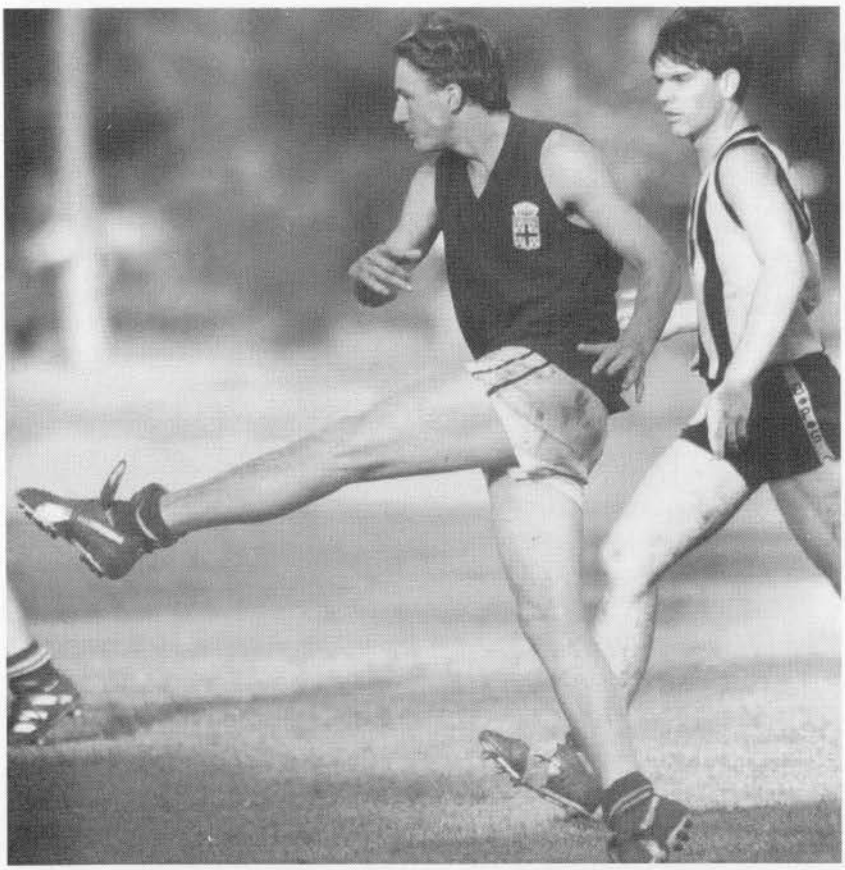
The next week we came up against a taller, stronger and faster opposition in St Michaels. We played well but went down by the biggest margin of the year in 86 points.

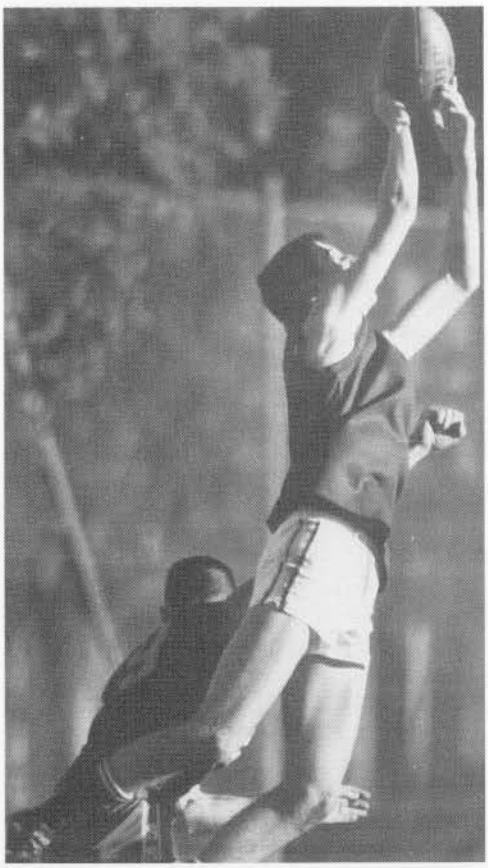
This was the third time we had lined up against Sacred Heart and still hadn't defeated them. We led all day until the last kick of the match when they scored a goal in the dying seconds. Everyone was disappointed to have worked so hard and then to let it slip.

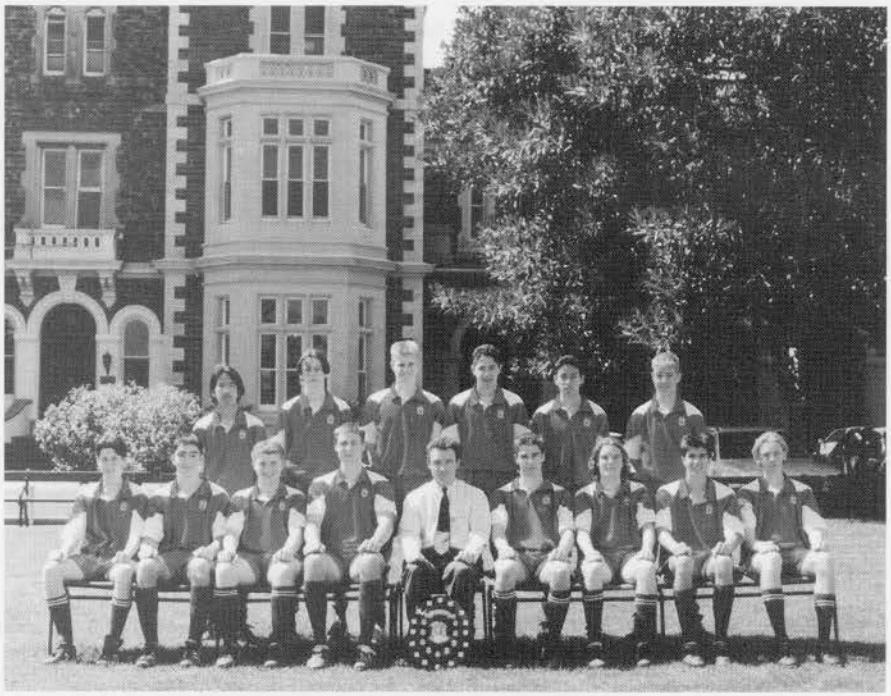
The second to last game of the footy season we had lost 3 on the trot. We wanted to make up for those losses and a repeat performance of our second game of the season would've been nice. It wasn't the best conditions and both teams fought right till the end in a very low scoring match. In the end Trinity got up (another loss for us in the last quarter) by a couple of goals.

The 8B football team won the toss and got off to a great start, kicking four out of our six goals in the first quarter. Some fast passages of play from Sam Tyler, Henry Kelly, Greg Carmody and Michael Richardson caught the Saints backlines unawares and enabled us to score. The second and third quarters brought the rain and some hard scrambly play. Great ruck work continued from Tom Speakman while Ryan George and Cameron Ballard were solid across half forward. We went into the last quarter with a lead of a goal or two. Our backlines including Ben Mooney, Anthony Economou and Josh Guelzow blocked every forward thrust by Saints taking some great marks in front of goal to eventually come out winners. Ali Dillon and Andrew Cooper played well all day.

Josh Guelzow
8PT







Open A Soccer - 1997

Back Row L to R *T. Chansiriwat, J.J. Stewart, J.A. Lang, M.N. Martin, D. Sirakovit, P. Bulley*

Front Row L to R *C.L. Wyatt, M.T. Girgolas, A.I. Mackie, A.P. Timbs (Captain), Mr. A.D. Reed, T.J. Tamblyn (Vice-Captain), N.J. Hains, W.J. Groves, T.J. Williams,*
Absent: *J.K. Weisz (Goalkeeper)*

First XI Soccer

Coach: Mr. Andrew Reed

This year's first XI soccer team had plenty of youth, consisting of four Year 12, 5 Year 11s and 2 Year 10s. It shows great promise for Prince's soccer in future years.

At the start of the season I didn't have my hopes too high for it was a very inexperienced team . But from the first game against Wesley, in Melbourne, which we won 5 -1, I knew this team was going to perform well for the coming season. I've been told that a champion team will always beat a team of champions, and this is what Princes showed on many occasions. Our victory against CBC was a classic example. They were once a force in soccer and we convincingly beat them 8- 1.

An effective style of soccer and determination of Princes teams is starting to show. Princes play a much more mature form of soccer than many teams and I believe that the greatest thing that ever happened to Princes' soccer was the First XI team in 1995. Their undefeated season was a first in Princes soccer history and the enthusiasm that spilled from them to the other teams we have now, is why we are playing with such confidence and determination to repeat that feat.

Our season has been incredibly successful. Playing 11 matches we won 7, lost 2 and drew 2. We have had a number of people contribute to the teams performance this year with a total of 17 people having either played or been selected in the first team. This proves that there is depth and hopefully this will continue.

The intercol line up went as follows; Kirk Weisz as keeper, Matthew Girgolas, Tom Tamblyn (VC), Nathan Hains, and Tim Williams making up the defense. Warwick Groves, Josh Stewart, Andrew Timbs (C) and James Lang were the midfield and Drackon Sirakovit and Tui Chansiriwat as our strikers. Kirk Weisz was really a lucky find for the First XI this year. His father Dr. Weisz is here on exchange for Rev. A. Brown, and Kirk came with him. Tim White who was our keeper broke his hand and needed a knee reconstruction and was out for the season. This left us with no one to replace him and Kirk showed up and had an unbelievable season. We thank him and wish him all the best on his return to the USA.

The two people I would like to thank most are Mr. Andrew Reed and Mr. Peter Morris. Mr. Reed was the First XI coach once again this season and has done a superb job. His knowledge of the game is exceptional and he is the reason for Princes mature play, and his enthusiasm inspires us. Not only is he a coach, but after playing with him for four years in soccer and three years in tennis he has became a good friend and I thank him for all he has done for me and the team.

Mr. Peter Morris is the reason why soccer is at PAC. His tireless efforts and organisation that usually goes unnoticed is greatly appreciated. Organising all the PAC matches for many years, getting the nets and balls ready is no easy task but with many years experience he has got it down to a fine art. So on behalf of the firsts and all the soccer players at Princes I would like to thank him.

I wish all Princes team in the future all the best.

Andrew Timbs
12 Blacket

2nd XI Soccer

Coach: Mr Sam Pontifex

This years Seconds team was completely new from last year. We had a number of year twelve players who remained as well as a some new year eleven players who came up from the year ten side last year. We also got the occasional injection of players from the firsts, or younger grades. Our regular team consisted of Jeff Ng, as goal keeper, James Rivett, Tom Welsh, Michael Martin and Alex Harrod in defence, Daniel Antonas, Andrew Green, Yutaka Kajino, Jeremy McMahon, Duncan Tan and Kevin Khaw in mid-field, as well as Jean-Paul Victory and Kyriacos Kontozis up forward.

Our season started shakily with no team formation known to us players or the coach. Everyone knew personally what position they played in or wanted to play but that had to be organised at our first game.

Our first game was against a weak Pembroke 1st XI which we were able to win quite comfortably 3-2. In this game we experimented with players in certain positions until we found a line up that everyone was comfortable with and worked well. This game also introduced the team to a problem which plagued us for the entire season- goal scoring. We were always able to attack the ball and the goal with confidence but for a reason no one knew, we could rarely convert.

This season we played 11 games, won 3, lost 8 but really we should have won more. In many of our losses we were very competitive and a better side or on level ground. In many of these games we were able to edge our nose in front by half time but failed to capitalise and conceded more goals in the second half to go down and lose a game that was ours for the taking. Some of these games we were just out classed and never managed to get in front or score any

goals. Our three wins came against the ordinary side of Pembroke 1st Xl, Pulteney 2nd Xl and Scotch 2nd Xl.

Our best team game of the year came in our last game, our Seconds Intercol against Saints. Although we went down 1-0 we played the most competitive and controlled game of the season. Our defence, mid-field and forwards all put up a great fight to keep the game level with the ball staying in the middle of the field for most of the game, with the occasional move forward from either team. Then, with only about five minutes remaining, as had happened to our team so many unlucky times earlier in the season, Saints were able to sneak in a goal behind our defence to destroy all our hard work.

Special mention must be given to the very helpful contribution of our coach, old scholar Sam Pontifex, who continued his support of the team right through the season, despite our bad luck, always offering his tips and thoughts on our game. Thanks must also be given to Peter Morris who was responsible for, and did an excellent job, of organising our games, and making sure we had a ground to play on. Also to Andrew Reed who coached our team, along with his First Xl, through the season once again, doing an excellent job and was relieved, after many years, of having to coach two teams on Saturday mornings.

Finally, thanks to the whole Seconds team who made this season a very enjoyable one for me, and all the other year twelves in the team, in our last season for the school.

Alex Harrod
12 Blacket



10A Soccer

Coach: Mr. S. Staker

The 10 A soccer team consisted of the following players: Leon Cocchiaro (manager), Tristan Mahoney (midfield), Umberto Mignone (goalkeeper and co-captain), Bradley Wong (midfield), Paul Bulley (defense), Michael Besir (midfield), Jamie Harrod (defense), Peter Holmes (midfield), Kon Riganese (midfield), Elliot St. Claire (attacker), Hugh Gardener (attacker), Tui Chansiriwat (attacker), Izam Said (midfield), Kenny Suptra (midfield) and Mark Roma (defense and co-captain).

The 10A soccer team had a great season winning 9 games, losing 2 and drawing 1. All the games were well fought out, but the games against Sacred Heart, Rostrevor, CBC and Saint Peters were outstanding.

PAC put Sacred Heart on the back foot right from the start with Elliot St Clarie scoring in the first 10 seconds. The team then continued to play well and scored another goal. Sacred Heart came back and scored off a free kick. PAC held up the pressure in the second half and consolidated a win. The game against Rostrevor was probably the best game we played all season. After some confusion in the defence PAC were one down. PAC regrouped and then scored 3 successive goals to be 3-1 in front at half time. As expected Rostrevor hit back hard and after some very lucky goals Rostrevor drew the game 3-3. CBC provided some tough opposition. After battling the first half out the score line was 0-0. The second half however provided Brad Wong with a goal, and we took the game out, winning 1-0. Although the Rostrevor game was the best we played, the game against Saint Peter's really showed what PAC spirit is. The team started off well with most of the play during the first half. Unfortunately St. Peters found us off guard for a split second and scored the first goal. After the break a lapse in concentration saw PAC down 2-0 early in the second half. PAC then knuckled down and scored three well earned goals, with two coming from Michael Besir and one from Peter Holmes putting us in lead and winning us the match.

All the players contributed to these efforts. Elliot St Claire provided most of the goals but Tui Chansiriwat and Hugh Gardener provided some skillful plays showing why they were the teams strikers. The midfield of Peter Holmes, Michael Besir, Tristan Mahoney, Izam Said, Kon Riganese and Kenny Suptra constantly fed the attackers with great passes and dainty footwork. The defense of Jamie Harrod, Paul Bulley, Umberto Mignone, Leon Cocchiaro and Mark Roma always held up against the pressure and supplied the midfield and attackers with plenty of the ball.

Special mention must go to Leon Cocchiaro and our Coach Sam Staker. After a crippling injury at the start of the season, making him unavailable for most of the season, Leon made a great effort to turn up to all the games to show the true team spirit of the 10A soccer team. Sam is also to be thanked for his commitment through the season and his time that he gave up for coaching us.

Mark Roma
10 Blacket
Umberto Mignone
10 Oldham









Intercollegiate Rugby Team - 1997

Back Row L to R	*N.G. O'Neil, L.G.J. Robinson, M. Ramsey, B.J. Mills, S.J. Nicholls*
Second Row L to R	*Mr. G. Pope (Coach), D.A. McGregor, S.G. Thomas, A. Liston, T.L. Collins, M.J. Pettman, O.J. Philpot, Mr. P. Layton (Coordinator)*
Front Row L to R	*S.D. Guthrie, H.L. Rowland, R.J. Thomas (Vice-Captain), C.J. Pappas (Captain), Y Pappas, L.R.A. Milligan, A.R. Rowland.*

Rugby Union First XV

Coaches: Peter Layton, Gary Pope and Josh Philpot

Team: Con Pappas (C), Ryan Thomas (VC), Aaron Parsons, Ben Mills, Lachlan Johnson, Kirk Weisz, Luke Bates, Steven Thomas, Alistair Rowland, Laurie Milligan, Simon Guthrie, Adrian Liston, James Bass Rees, Oli Philpot, Luke Robinson, Don McGregor, Nathan O'Neil.

The 1997 Rugby Union season was pleasing and successful. PAC has not had a side with such potential as this one for quite some time. This was due to the extra commitment made by team members and the previous season we all played, which assisted us in gaining game experience. However the season had some big hurdles which we weren't able to conquer and it to took some time to achieve our goals. Up to seven different coaches tried to make an impact on the team and only a select few did.

Gary Pope was called to the vacancy four weeks before intercol, after having coached South Australian sides and being heavily involved with Rugby Union as an under 16 Junior Australian representative. Our other professional coach was Josh Philpot who has represented South Australia in almost every age group known and played in different variations of the game. Although striking gold with the two perfect coaches it was just a bit too late because there were only four weeks left in the season and Gary still couldn't make it to our matches on Thursday after school.

Our first game back from the term two holidays was during the second week of term three against Rostrevor. The side hadn't played or trained since the last week of term two and Mr Layton had been sick with pneumonia making things that much more difficult. After one training session and Mr Layton returning, we played Rostrevor at our home ground on Tregenza Oval thumping them convincingly.

The second game involved playing the well recognised side Brighton High which beat us last year by about eighty four points. This year their team contained eight current under eighteen South Australian representatives and we only lost narrowly two tries to one. Our next game was the warm up for the intercol against Pulteney. Pulteney came out fired up but we extinguished them by five tries, not allowing them on the score board.

After this convincing win we played Saints on the front oval to try and claim the eagerly sought after Jack Dunning cup, which has been retained by Saints for a very long time. We came out pumped up, but after being on the back foot for most of the first half, the gaps were finally found in our defence and a stronger, older and more experienced side beat us convincingly with our proper coaches present for the first time during the season.

The most disheartening and sad thing for me was to play my last year of rugby at PAC in a team with such a high level of potential which was not utilised fully, leaving "Jack" over the road waiting for the day he is returned home again. Each game I ran onto that oval, I never for one second thought that we were going to lose and there was not one game we played in which we could not have won.

The improvement of PAC rugby has been very noticeable over these past two years and if this school is to win that elusive intercol these improvements must continue every year until the ideal rugby team and environment is created at Prince Alfred College.

On a concluding note I'd like to thank the boys and coaches on a great season for giving up their time. Last but not least I'd like to thank Mr Peter Layton in dedicating himself to the First XV, words can not describe what this man has done for Rugby Union at Prince Alfred College and I wish him and the lads the very best luck for next season.

Con Pappas
12 Oldham

1st XI Hockey

Coach: Mr. R. Holloway



Open Hockey - 1997

Back Row L to R *J.S.H. Low, S.D. Burke, S.D. Myers, T.C. Yap, H.J. Sutherland, P.G. Sheehan T.A. Newman*

Front Row L to R *A.A. Woolcock, M.W. Thompson, M.S. Gobolos (Captain), Mr. R.B. Holloway (Coach) W. Adams (Vice Captain), C.F. Rundle, N. Spencer*

Intercollegiate Squad Members: Mark Gobolos (Captain), Jesse Adams (Vice-Captain), Simon Burke, Jonathan Low, Nick McLeay, Simon Myers, Tom Newman, Craig Rundle, Peter Sheehan, Tim Spencer, Heath Sutherland, Matthew Thompson, Andrew Woolcock, Toby Yap.

A disappointing conclusion to a successful season saw the PAC first XI hockey team go down in an intense intercollegiate encounter. Otherwise undefeated throughout the season, Princes were unable to continue their fine form into the pressure of the intercol, eventually losing 1-3.

Our first match involved travelling interstate to face the experience of the Wesley team. After falling behind early in the game, Princes showed great depth as we clawed our way back into the match, running out 5-2 victors. Craig Rundle and Jesse Adams guided the team, both having strong games, while Peter Sheehan walked away with three important goals to his name. We returned to SA with the Stacey shield, and full of confidence in anticipation of the season ahead.

In what must have been one of the most demanding beginnings to a season, we faced the three toughest teams in the competition within the first three weeks: Wesley, Pembroke, and then Saints. We were able to defeat Pembroke 5-2, but the score did not reflect the closeness of the game. Our next opponents, arch rivals Saints, were eager to turn our luck around. They almost succeeded. Two quick goals saw them 2-0 up and Princes looking down the barrel. However, we rallied to score two of our own, and half time saw scores locked at 2-2. The second half belonged to PAC as we piled on three goals to enforce a well-earned victory. The final scores of 5-3 gave us the mental edge leading into the intercol.

With the only teams capable of beating us out of the way, we relaxed our game and played some quite ordinary hockey at times. But the score lines did not reflect our lack of intensity. A 12-1 win over Marryatville, followed by a 10-2 win over Scotch, were eclipsed by our 17-0 drubbing of Westminster. 1997's top goal scorer for PAC, Tom Newman scored six, five, and six again respectively during these games as he asserted his dominance in the forward lines. Jonathan Low provided Tom and the other forwards with great rebound from defence throughout the season. A 5-0 win over Pulteney failed to reflect our dominance, as did our 6-1 win over Marryatville. However, with the Intercol in sight we lifted to trounce Immanuel 8-1, a team with which we had drawn 1-1 last year. We then overcame a desperate Pembroke side, after coming from behind, to win 3-2 in the closest encounter of the year. Earlier in the season, Pembroke had demolished Saints 6-0, so our win filled us with hope.

The day of the Intercol arrived with both teams having high expectations. The game began at a blistering pace with both teams having their opportunities, while the crowd was treated to some fast and exciting hockey. A clever goal by Saints in the first ten minutes however, put us on the back foot. Being consistent with our form throughout the season, we began our comeback from behind. Nick McLeay blasted a spectacular goal with just minutes remaining in the half. The lead up to half time saw Princes dominate through the midfield, as Simon Burke, Jesse Adams and Tim Spencer asserted their dominance. When the half time whistle blew, the scores remained locked at one a piece.

Strong words from both coaches were the order of the break, as both Saints and Princes readied themselves for the deciding half of hockey. Unfortunately, two quick goals to Saints early in the half put the game out of reach. In the true tradition of PAC hockey, we did not give up though. Princes applied the pressure right up until the full time whistle, but we were unable to convert our opportunities. Jesse Adams' exemplary game earned him the PACHC award for best on ground.

A 1-3 defeat was the only disappointment in what was a very successful season. Once again, PAC's dominance of school boy hockey was upheld, as we became the most successful team this season. The top goal scorers (ISSA competition only) were Tom Newman (26), Nick McLeay (12), Mark Gobolos (11) and Peter Sheehan (11). With only one loss, and wins over all the toughest teams in the league (including Saints), we can definitely be proud of a great season.

On behalf of the team, I would like to thank Mr Holloway for his support throughout the season. I would also like to thank Craig Bowyer for his colourful influence on the team. Finally, the team would like to thank the parents and supporters who braved the cold mornings to support us from the sidelines, especially during and (perhaps when we needed it most) after the intercol.

Mark Gobolos
12 Oldham

2nd XI Hockey

The second's season was a very successful one. The team were all happy to achieve our goal of an undefeated season, although we were somewhat disappointed with the two all outcome of the final intercol contest. We believed we were the better side as we had beaten Saints convincingly earlier in the season.

The whole second's long background in hockey at PAC produced a skillful ability to link up confidently as a team. Our strong

backline with the amazing desperation of Simon Saint, made my job much easier, and resulted in even the opposition's most persistent offense hopelessly crumbling. Counter balancing this incredible defensive force, was the offensive genius of Phil Walsh with his dazzling overhead displays. These feats always gave way to the cunning stick work of Andy Worthley at right wing, who constantly looked for the goal crazy Tom Pledge. Tom, who joined the side later in the season, always proved to be a threat to the opposition.

All players should be congratulated on a great season and we thank our coach Mr Craig Bowyer, who with his tartan pants and various Tin Tin merchandise, added flair to every training session ensuring an interesting and fun season.

William MacDonald
12 Blacket



10 Hockey

Coach: Mr. A.J.G. Buxton

Team: A.Phillips, A. Gobolos, G. Ferguson, C. Leung, J. Denton, S. Lane, B. Patterson, J. Tolmer, T. Hunt, T. Paine, M. Hocking, J. Myers, N. Christie, M. Woodforde.

The Year 10 Hockey team unfortunately lost two key players, N. McLeay and T. Spencer who moved into the Open A team at the beginning of the season. However, the team easily overcame this problem by recruiting N. Christie and M. Hocking from the Year 9 team.

The Year 10 team had yet another excellent season, winning 6 games out of 8, with an exceptional win against Saints in the intercol, 6-0. G. Ferguson scored 4 goals in this match, and ended the season with a team high of 13. T. Hunt in goal had another impressive season, only letting 10 goals through. T. Paine, J. Myers and T. Hunt formed an impressive triangle. A. Gobolos, A. Phillips and J. Tolmer as halves provided great opportunities for N. Christie and M. Hocking up forward. J. Denton and C. Leung added great skill to the half line as well, making us really strong across the mid-field. With S. Lane, B. Patterson and M. Woodforde on the wings, helping to bring the ball down, we had the skill and strength to provide great opportunities for C. Ferguson at centre-forward to put the ball into the back of the net.

A special thank you goes to our coach, Mr. Buxton, who led us through the season, always encouraging team play, high skill levels, and positive attitudes.

Andrew Phillips
10 Delbridge

9 Hockey

Coach: Mr Jordison

Team: Michael Low, Alex Chapman, Richard Edwards, Aaron Thompson, James Green, James Macleod, Scott Harris, Michael McDonald, Ben Dufour, Andrew Copley, Jarrad Stevens, Adam Price and Tasman Furze.

The team was superior to any other in the competition scoring 108 goals and only letting 8 in. We ran undefeated in the competition and ended the season well winning intercol 3-0. The team has now run undefeated for 2 years. The team experienced good wins in every game but the best efforts were against Rostrevor and St Michaels defeating them 20 and 19 nil respectively.

The strength of the team was the defence, starting our attacks and applying constant pressure to the opposition. The defence consisted of Michael McDonald, Aaron Thompson, Ben Dufour, James Green, Adam Price and Tasman Furze in goals.

The attack were consistent all season with all players except the goalie scoring goals. The main goal scorers were Alex Chapman with 20, Andrew Copley who scored in every game with 17, Richard Edwards with 13 and Michael Low with 12.

Our intercol result was an excellent result after last years disappointing draw. The team went in confident of success and within the first ten minutes we had 2 goals on the board. At about the 20 minute mark another was put in the back of the net and we led 3-0. The remainder of the game was a tight struggle with Princes doing very well not to let any goals through. At the final whistle Mr Jordison was finally happy and our hard work had paid off.

Many thanks from the team go to Mr Jordison and parents for helping us throughout the season.

Richard Edwards
9 Oldham

8 Hockey

Coach: Mr. Davis

The year 8 hockey team had a very successful season, with eight wins from ten matches. The season started off with a 5-6 loss to St. Peters in which we outscored them 3-0 in the second half to nearly force a draw.

In our next seven games we won by four or more goals on each occasion, this included two convincing victories over arch rivals Saints. A week before the intercol we played Saints, for the fourth time of the season and were unlucky to lose 3-5. We were quietly confident in the lead up to the intercol and we knew if we all played our best we would have a good chance of winning.

The game started off at a very quick pace and we put the first goal, ten minutes into the game. In the second half luck went our way when an almost impossible shot eventually rolled in, after coming off two Saints players. Saints scored a quick goal but when we scored our third the game was all over. A 3-1 victory to Princes.

Throughout the year we scored 68 goals and conceded only 18. Leading goal scorers for the year were Sam Tyler (36), Matthew Cannan (17) and Lachlan Scott (9), but there were eight different scorers during the season. Each player is to be congratulated on trying his hardest each week, especially the inexperienced players who didn't get much of a mention.

Congratulations to Tom Magain and Matthew Cannan who were selected in the under 13 State team and Sam Tyler who was selected in the under 14 South Australian touring team. A special thanks must go to Mr. Davis for all the time and effort he put into coaching us this season.

Sam Tyler
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Open B Hockey - 1997

Back Row L to R *A.J. Baker, A.J. Mooney, M. Ramsey, H.L. Rowland, A.L. Pearson, M.R. Lange*

Front Row L to R *A.L.C. Worthley, B.N. Wilson, S. Saint (Vice-Captain), W. MacDonald (Captain), T.O. Pledge, P.S.D. Walsh*



Year 9 Hockey - Undefeated 1997

Back Row L to R *M.S. McDonald, A.L. Thompson, J.A. McLeod, A.J. Copely, M.S.Y. Low, J.S. Green*

Front Row L to R *T.F. Furze, J.S. Stevens, B.E.L. Dufour, Mr. C.D. Jordison (Coach), R.C. Edwards (Captain), A.F. Price, S.J.H. Harris*

Open A Basketball

Coach: Mr. Paul Regoni



Open A Basketball - 1997

Back Row L to R *R.J. Williams, P.C. Rofe, C.D. Reding, M.W. Henderson*

Front Row L to R *S.A. McKay, J.J. Williams (Vice Captain), Mr. P. Rigoni (Coach), D.M. Williams (Captain), D.E. Polomka*

This years Open A Basketball team was one of the best the school has seen over the past several years. With four players left from last years team namely, Scott McKay, Ryan Williams, Justin Williams and myself we had a well experienced team for the upcoming season. Mark Henderson and Daniel Polomka moved from last years Open B team into the A's along with Paul Rofe and Chris Reding from the 10 A's to create a well balanced team for 1997.

Though our trainings lacked intensity we came out strong by winning our first four games. From then on our season continued strongly, until injuries set upon our team. Firstly Dan Polomka pulled the ligaments in his ankle at training, followed by Justin Williams with a torn calf muscle. Playing through these injuries we finished this season with eleven wins and three losses.

The two games we were focused on were against the Melbourne College Wesley and obviously Saint Peters. The Wesley exchange occurred in the first week of the season and with a determined team we defeated the Victorians by nineteen points. Our second target was Saints in our final game of the season. We came out strong on defence only allowing Saints to score nine points in the first half compared to our twenty two. The second half became quite ugly as Saints tried to come back, but we stood strong and held the lead finally running out winners by fifteen points. Overall I believe it was the best Princes team that I have been involved with on and off the court in my time at PAC.

Damien Williams
12 Hemsley

Open B Basketball

Coach: Mr. P. Rigoni

The Open B basketball team had a slow start to the season as a new coach and players got to know each other. The team lost Stuart Roach to a back injury, but Joseph DeMaria was able to play in his place for a few games. Nathan Fielder was also a valuable inclusion to the team just before the Term two holidays. We finished 3 wins and 4 losses at the end of second term.

Term three proved to be much more successful for our team, with the unfortunate exclusion of Tom Jackson through injury. Matt Selby, Jon Phillips, Dale Martins and David Trim were consistent and reliable and showed why they were the back bone of our team, with Liam Golding setting the pace in defence and on the score sheet.The team went into the intercol after three straight wins and confidence was sky high with two players coming back from injury.

The intercol was a close game but the spirit and determination of the team proved to be too strong for Saints and we came away with a thrilling 3 point win. All team members contributed to the win in a display of determination. The Open B's finished 7 wins and 5 losses after a brilliant third term.

David Lock
12 Delbridge

Open C Basketball

Team: Andrew Hough (C), Scott Olver, John Greiner, Jamie Craven, Don McGregor, Joseph DeMaria, Boonpat Korkiatphitak, Brad Clothier and Steven O'Reilly.

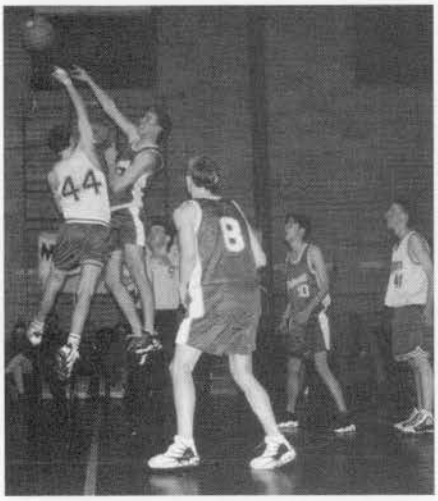
This years Open C basketball team has had a very successful season. With 11 wins and only 1 loss it just proves the immense depth of the basketball program here at Princes. The team started out on a very aggressive note, handing Westminster a thrashing of 39 points, with great performances coming from Griener and McGregor. Following this great start to the season we came up against a lacklustre St. Ignatius side and handed them a 33 point drubbing. Notable performances came from Hough and DeMaria who led the balanced scoring attack and also Clothier who had a season high of four blocks.

After sitting out a bye, the team came into the next game cocky and lacklustre, and was consequently handed its only loss of the season going down to Gleeson's Open A side by 10 points. After being handed this disappointing loss the team was fired up and ready to avenge this discouraging loss. We then entered a 9 game winning streak, starting off with a great hard fought win over Mount Carmel's Open A side. The game was played at a furious pace and at times got extremely intense and physical. The team came away with the win and were led by Olver and Hough who played fantastic team games getting all members involved.

The form of the previous game carried over into the following games where we handed defeats to Immanuel: 54-41, Saint Peters: 27-14, Marryatville: 49-18 and Saint Michaels: 65-12. We then came up against the same Westminster team from the start of the season where we handed them a very comprehensive 77-21 win where all members of the team scored at least 6 points. We then came up against Rostrevor and handed them a comprehensive 18 point win where McGregor and Olver had great games with both of them scoring in double figures.

The last two games of the season were the hardest of the year. We were all playing extremely well but were starting to get cocky again. We came up against a very good CBC side and were looking down the barrel of another loss at half time with only 5 fit players. We did not want to have this going into the Intercol against our neighbours down the road. We then earned ourselves a very well deserved 2 point win. The team was led by example by Craven and DeMaria who both scored 8 well-earned points.

After the Open A's and Open B's emphatic wins the night before, the Open C team was extremely confident to keep the ball rolling with another win over our Hackney neighbours. Saints however came out of the blocks at a million miles an hour and were hoping to reverse their loss earlier in the season. We were looking at a 6 point deficit at the half with Saints playing some



extremely good Basketball. But in the true Princes spirit the team dug deep and slowly made up the deficit and scored the best win of the season with a 12 point win. All members of the team played their best games of the season but the most notable coming from Craven and Hough, who made a huge three pointer to stem the tide of the Saints attack. Also great defensive efforts from Olver and McGregor who held the opposition to only 4 second half points.

On behalf of all the team I would like to thank Mr. Moore for his tireless efforts on the sidelines and for his expert comments. I would also like to thank all of my team mates, without whom we would have not have won a solitary game. Thanks guys for a memorable season and I look forward to next season with eagerness.

Andrew Hough,
11 Stanton

Open D1 Basketball

Coaches:Mr. Freney, Mrs. Reynolds, Mr. Williams

The D1's enjoyed a highly successful 1997 season losing only once and having a nail biting draw. The season began with a comfortable win against Immanuel at home. The D1's proved their dominance over this disappointing opposition winning 75 - 33 with Luke Williams leading the way with 30 points supported strongly by John Humphries with 19. This strong win was followed by a close fought encounter with a strong Sacred Heart C team which the D1's were able to win in the final seconds 23 - 22. All played well.

The important match up against Saints was to prove a no contest. PAC led by Luke Williams with 21 points and Mark Humphries with 18 were able to assert a dominance over our arch rivals which would remain for the entire season.

The team was disappointed at half time and for most of the second half against an impressive Immanuel line up. They began strongly and held a substantial lead for most of the game, until Luke Williams began his one man assault with two minutes remaining. PAC was nine points down at this stage, but thanks to one of the most brilliant and inspirational individual performances ever seen at PAC, Luke was able to single handedly put PAC in front by one point with five seconds remaining. Unfortunately Luke was robbed of a win by a questionable foul call which enabled Immanuel to tie the game.

The rest of the season was marred by only one loss to Trinity at Trinity. This game was the first for which Luke Williams was not available and this, combined with the long trip, made PAC sluggish and we were unable to play our usual game. This did not stop Ronnie Lim from coming up with the quote of the season however, when he claimed that "cows are cool". For this he was started on the bench.

The D1's had strong wins against Pulteney and Scotch leading up to the intercol but the end of the season was disappointing in the fact that twice Saints failed to show up on their own home courts. By the time intercol came the D1's were fired up and in our best performance of the season we easily accounted for a far inferior opposition winning comfortably 39 - 20. John Humphries led the scoring with 11 points while his brother Mark, Tim Naterpermadi and Ben Rosenzweig all managed 8 points. Luke Mullane, Tim Tomblin and Ronnie Lin all provided strong support. Throughout the season all of these players contributed strongly as well as Ryan Thomas who proved a handy replacement for two games.

On behalf of the team I would like to thank all those involved with the team in particular Mr. Freeny, Mrs. Reynolds and Mr. Williams. Also thanks must go to all those who supported the team throughout the year.

Ben Rosenzweig
12 Stanton

Open D2 Basketball

Coaches: Mr. Freney & Mrs. Reynolds

The Open D2's had many challenging games throughout the season, one being our close intercol match. Our team consisted of: Andrew Sullivan, Tim Wong, Trent Wimbush, Aminul Mohamad, Andrew Talbot, Patrick Khoo and Richard Harrison. We had many other cameo roles from Clint Wylie, Hamish Dawe and Aaron Baker.

We won 5 out of our 9 matches and one was our aggressive and hard fought intercol match which we won 35:23. Andrew Sullivan was an aggressive and a dominant player in the team along with Andrew Talbot who was one of our key rebounders.

Tim Wong (Captain) along with Trent Wimbush were fast and vital players in the team and they were top scorers in many of our games. Aminul Mohamad fought hard and was another of our top scorers throughout the season. His size and strength were never matched by the opponents. Patrick Khoo played many great games in defence along with Richard Harrison.

We thank our coaches Mr. Freney & Mrs. Reynolds for their support throughout the season.

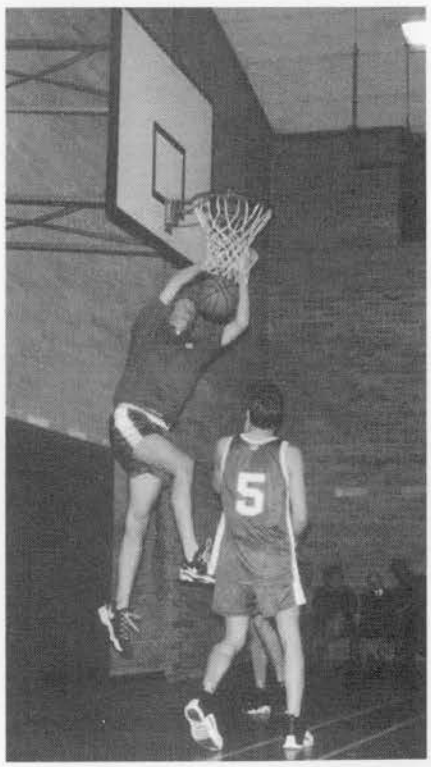
Tim Wong & Andrew Sullivan
11 Oldham

10A Basketball

Team: Cliff Hurburgh, Ben Darsow, Matt Just, Lachlan Johnson, Alex Silz, Tarmizi Yusof, Andrew Ross and Mark Powell.

The year 10A basketball team played well with mixed success throughout the season. In our first few games we faced tough opponents such as Westminster, Marryatville and Pulteney which we were not prepared for. But as the season progressed, we became more familiar with the plays and learned how to use them effectively during games.

Our two proficient guards Ben Darsow and Andrew Ross, led the way and provided the team with excellent shooting and ball skills, giving the team structure when it needed it most. Mark Powell and Matt Just helped the team in the forward/guard role with their experience and knowledge to get the plays functioning and provide a good outside shot. Lachie Johnson's lightning fast drives and aggressiveness gave us strong support out on court.. The teams big men Alex Silz, Tarmizi Yusof and myself gave the team strong rebounding and solid defence.



A couple of team highlights were the Immanuel game, where Ben Darsow tied the game with a three in the last 10 seconds and the intercol where we played solidly all match and tied again. Thanks must go to our coach Mr Fletcher who coached us so well and increased the level of enjoyment among the team.

Cliff Hurburgh
10 Delbridge

10C Basketball

Team: Christos Marantos, Nick Simmons, David Crook, Eddie Lane, Charles Lam, Hartley Manuell, Terry (Pang Hung) Liu, Rob McGrath, Michael Whelan, Blake Waldron

This has been quite a good year for 10C Basketball. Although we haven't won many games, I don't think we worried much if we lost. By that I mean we were playing our best and having fun. All players improved towards the end of the season and had one of the most exciting games of the year, the intercol against St. Peters.

Charles Lam had an excellent season, improving a great deal from last year. He contributed greatly to the team with his defence and was tough in offence.

David Crook, one of our major defenders was unbelievable in defence and also added to the score board. Nick Simmons, maybe our MVP, was devastating in offence and like a brick wall in defence. He was our top scorer and contributed to the team every game.

Christos Marantos probably improved the most out of the whole team and towards the end of the season put up some good shots and played excellent defence.

A new boy from Taiwan, Terry (Pang), really helped the from the beginning with some height and dazzling ball skills. Towards the end of the season, he got enough confidence to shoot the ball, which improved our teams score. Another draft we had was Michael Whelan, from Henley High. He had a good year playing as a guard and he helped with both defence and offence while putting in some good shots.

Eddie showed good team leader-ship all season helping Ms. Farrow organise the team but was out for 4 weeks. Rob McGrath was our tall timber for the first half of the season until Blake came in and Rob then played as a forward. He came down with many rebounds and also shot some good baskets.

Blake Waldron came into the team half way through the season and took over the position of centre and from then has dominated the court. Hartley Manuell came into the team with Blake, adding height to our team.

Edward Lane (C)
10 Blacket
Charles Lam (VC)
10 Hemsley

9A and 9B Basketball

Coach: Scott Parker

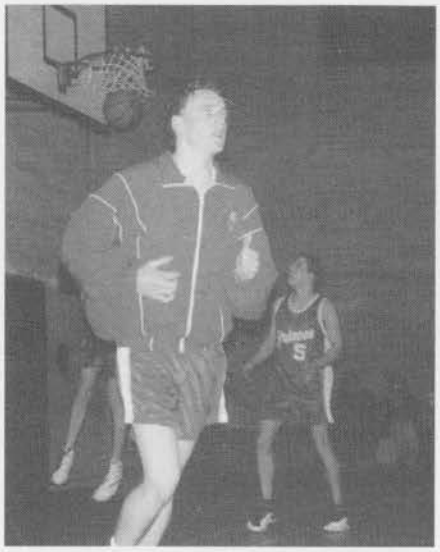
Players: (A's) Wayne Haydon, Jeremy Masters, Andy Will, Vangelis Vlassis, Nick Reding, Joe Wilkinson, Ben Fornarino.

(B's) Anthony Nguyen, Nathan Rice, Nick Hoffman, Tim Angel, Nick Chapman, Michael Stankiewicz, Marcus Syvertson, Kris Hodgins, Chris Hancock, Jacob Waye - Harris.

The 9A team had a successful season winning 7 matches and losing 5. All players showed flashes of brilliance during the games with consistent performances from Andy Will, Wayne Haydon and Jeremy Masters in offence; and Vlassis Vangelis in defence. Ben Fornarino and Joe Wilkinson both starred during periods of the season and their tenacity was admired by all. Our final match against Saints will go down as one of my most memorable sporting experiences as the boys clinched a one point victory on the buzzer thanks to an incredible 6 metre shot from Nick Reding. Although we sometimes lacked communication on the court, the will to win and the determination of all boys were to be admired. It was a very enjoyable season from a coaches point of view and I thank all the 9A players and their families for such an exciting season.

The 9B team had an extremely successful season with 11 wins and 1 narrow defeat at the hands of Marryatville. I was quietly confident of the boys going through the season undefeated and we nearly got there! Our consistent winning margins of 20 points or more must be contributed to Kris Hodgins' set shooting, Marcus Syvertson's long shots, and Jacob Waye - Harris' fast breaks. These fast breaks were of course dependent on good defensive rebounding which was provided by Nick Hoffman and Nathan Rice. The assistance of Chris Hancock, Nick Chapman, and Michael Stankiewicz during times of injury were much appreciated. Their determination and skills allowed each boy to slot into the B team with ease. Tim Angel was also valuable as a guard and extra fast break option. Anthony Nguyen was by far the most improved player of the season with his 20 point hauls and his disciplined approach in defence. The 9B's were a coaches dream and I will take away many precious memories of a disciplined group of boys who played for the love of the game. A big thank you to all the boys and their families for a fantastic season and best wishes to all A and B players in 1998.

Scott Parker



9C Basketball

Coach:Mr. Wiese

This year the boys have been very successful, losing only 3 games. Sometimes in difficult conditions, the skill and determination to win has been great to see.

The sixth game of the season was against Saints. We lost 35-11 in a disappointing game, with Nick Chapman scoring 9 points. The last game of the season was against Saints. We started nervous in offence and solid in defence. By the half, the court was wet, and the ball slippery. They had a lead of 13-8. In the second half they slightly extended their lead to six with three minutes left. We put on a major spurt to win in the last final seconds by 2 points.

Starting at Centre was Andreas Heuer. The fastest man on the team, the tall timber inside scored 26 points. However he suffered several minor injuries and missed some important games. Starting at power forward was Nick Chapman. Another big strong man, he scored 100 points. Starting at small forward was Michael Stankiewicz, a utility player who scored 21 points this year. Starting at shooting guard was Chris Hancock, who is a great player with a good all round game. He scored 20 points. Starting at point guard was Alex Purcell, the steal master, who can drive to the hole, or pull up from 20 feet. He scored 38 points.

Off the bench came Byung-Kwan (Jay) Yoon. A big man whose sense for the basket sets him apart, he scored 17 points. Next comes Clayton Wheeler, whose fast breaks and steals assist the team to victory. He scored 43 points. Aiden Muir is a determined player who is good down low. He scored 6 points. Ben Ung has had injuries but played on with great determination, he scored 7 points. Last, but not least, comes Andrew Nielsen. A small guy, whose size and ability got better as the year went on, he scored his first points of the year against Rostrevor, scoring 2 points.

Thanks to Mr. Wiese and Mr. Parker, for their enthusiastic coaching, and help when necessary.

Michael Stankiewicz
9 Delbridge

8A Basketball

Coach: Mr Millard

With five wins recorded, our season was a fairly successful one. The five wins recorded by our 'A' team were outstanding basketball, with us scoring around 45 points a game in a convincing style. All members played evenly. Although we lacked height, we had some very strong rebounders which helped us against taller opposition.

We played aggressively, to our credit. We came up against some very tough teams in the middle of the season, however we fought on and finished the game. One of the highlights of the season was beating Marryatville 70-33. All players improved throughout the season and positively contributed to the team's effort.

Nathan Overbeeke
8 Jordison

8C Basketball

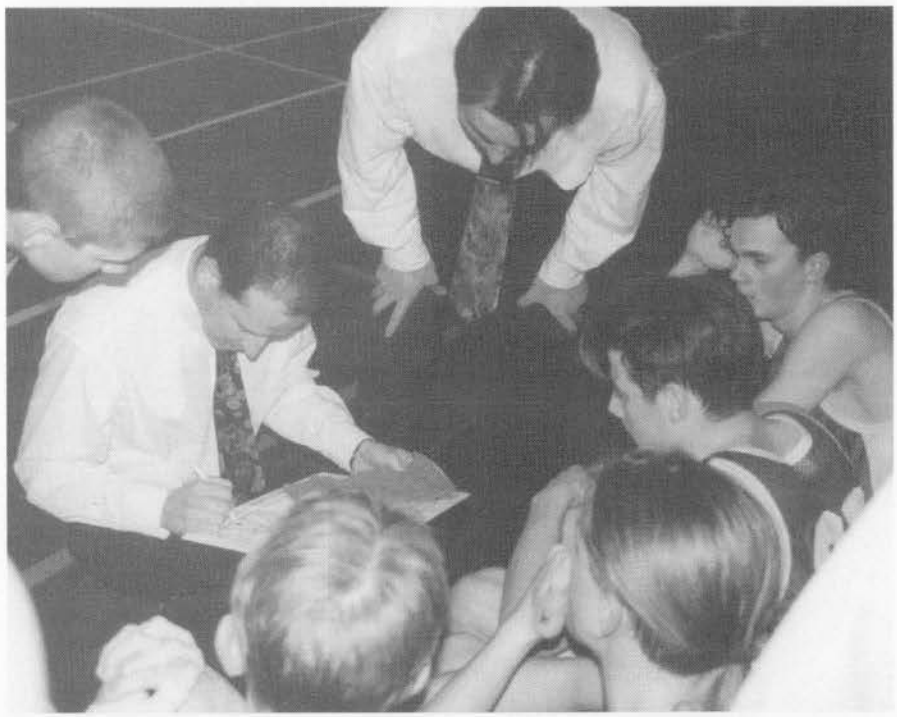
Coach : Mr M. J. Thompson

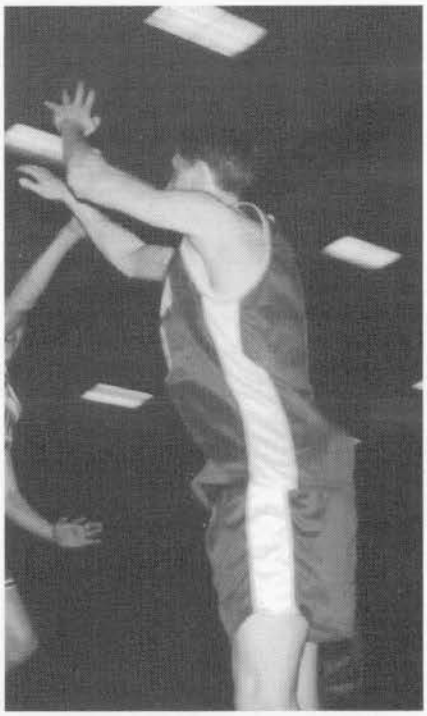
This season, the Year 8 C basketball team has performed extremely well. Although we started with a loss, we gained composure to reach the holiday break with three wins, against St Ignatius, Immanuel and St Peters. Jason Lehman and Adam Kahl have done a fantastic job bringing the ball down to our offensive end. Goshaka Kannangara provided strong support under the ring, scoring a mammoth 68 points before the holiday break.

We all had a rest and then we came back strongly to win every match after the break. James McGuffog and Hyan-Duk Park have done an excellent job under the basket, using their height to their advantage to grab many rebounds. Aleck Whitham has also been an excellent ball carrier throughout the season, contributing to the scoreboard on a number of occasions. Jason showed great improvement with his shooting, scoring many points in the latter half of the season. Ben David has also done a great job as a forward, getting many interceptions and rebounds and as well scored quite a number of points. Our "Captain Courageous", Luke Sernecki, has done an outstanding job throughout the season, playing consistently and with energy. With his quick interceptions, lightning fast breaks and accurate, reliable shooting, he has been an inspiration to the rest of the team.

Thanks go to Mr Thompson for coaching us and to Mrs McGuffog, who has worked tirelessly as scorer throughout the season. Well done to all and we hope to have an equally enjoyable season next year.

Luke Sernecki
8 JO (C)
Ben David
8 JD (VC)





School Athletics Day

The PAC Inter-House Athletics Day was held in fine weather conditions despite being postponed earlier in the week and despite a rather damp track the level of competition was very high along with the rivalry between Houses and Tutor groups.

The Under 14 level was clearly dominated by Ms Pallett's year 8 tutor group who finished the day as winners, clearly ahead of everyone else. In the School Championship, Blacket emerged over Rushton to take their first-ever overall victory.

Many fine individual performances highlighted a sound standard of athletics, Paul Rofe competed strongly setting two new records at the Under 17 level for the Shot Put (15.17m) and the High Jump when he sawed to an impressive 2.03 metres. Sam Nicholls (Captain of Athletics) also ran strongly at the Under 19 level. Year level winners were as follows:

Under 14	Champion	Ashley Cleveland
	Runners-up	Nathan Overbeeke
		Tommy Asimakopoulos
Under 15	Champion	Marcus Syversten
	Runner-up	Scott Harris
Under 16	Champion	Andrew Cox
	Runners-up	Stephen Thomas
		Drakon Sirakovit
		Ben Patterson
Under 17	Champion	Paul Rofe
	Runner-up	Peter Sheehan
Under 19	Champion	Sam Nicholls
	Runner-up	Andy Timbs

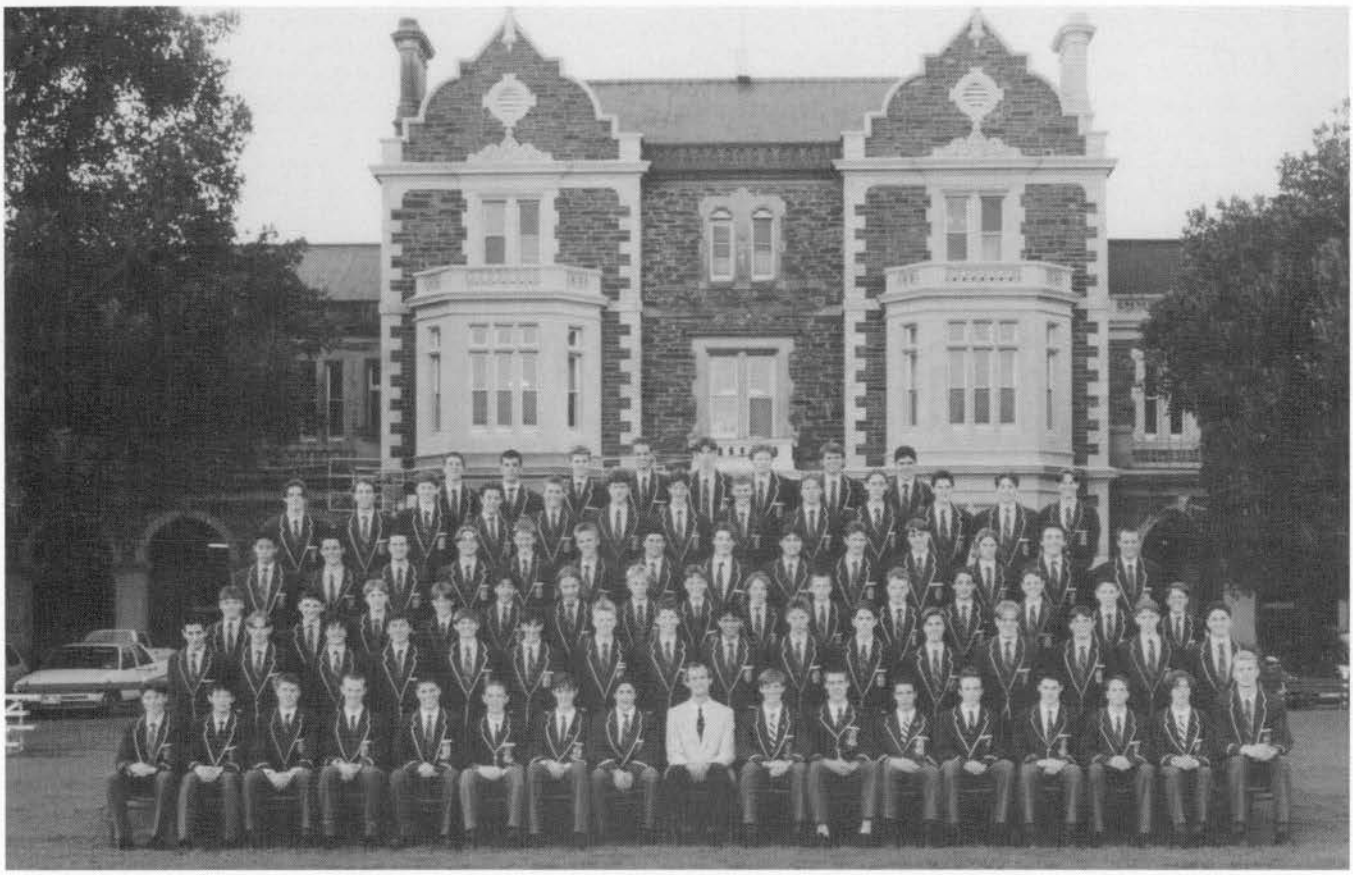
Achilles Cup

There were a number of strong performances at this years Achilles Cup both individually and at year group levels with the U/17 team placing 2nd overall, just 21 points behind SPSC. The U/14 team also performed well finishing 3rd overall behind SPSC and Pembroke. Outstanding performances were achieved by:

Division 1		
U/19	S.Nicholls	1st 100m, lst200m, 2nd 400m
	C.Lovell	1st Pole Vault
	T.Short	2nd Hurdles
U/17	P.Rofe	1st Shot Put, 1st High Jump, 2nd 400m, 2nd Discus
	S.Roach	1st Javelin
	C.Lovell	2nd Triple Jump
	P.Sheehan	2nd 200m
U/16	Y.Pappas	2nd Shot Put
	J.Tolmer	2nd Discus
U/15	M.Syversten	1st Hurdles
U/14	W.Kerr	1st Javelin
	T.Asimakopolous	2nd Long Jump
Division 2		
U/17	C.Lovell	1st High Jump
	S.Roach	1st Shot Put
	S.Williams	1st Javelin
	B.Hickman	1st Triple Jump
	U/14 T.Speakrnan	1st Hurdles, 1st Shot Put
	H.Denton	1st Javelin
	E.Brockhoff	1st Long Jump

Special mention must go to Warren Kerr who showed considerable improvement in the Javelin to throw a new Achilles Cup record in the U/14 division.

Sam Nicholls
(Captain of Athletics)



Achilles Cup Athletics Squad - 1997

Back Row L to R	*B.P. Hickman, Y. Pappas, J.A. Lang, A.D. Grogan, J.P. Victory, A.C.H. Swanson, D.C. Stone, M. Bilyk*
Fifth Row L to R	*J.J. Stewart, H.D. Cartledge, T.A. Donaldson, P.J. Bulley, S. Jones, N.J. Phelps, S.G. Thomas, S.J. Harris, A.M. Mitchell S.W. Johnson, C. Wyatt, S.A. Roach, M.P. Tucker*
Fourth Row L to R	*D. Sirakovit, S. Williams, M.C. Dietman, R.J.R. Drew, N.G. Jackman, A.B. Bratasiuk, U.J.M. Mignone, T.S. Hunt A.H. Gobolos, R.C. Edwards, M.J. Syvertsen, J.A.D. Norman, L.B. Davies, R.J. Ramsay*
Third Row L to R	*N.B. Rogers-Dryden, M.D. Blanchard, E.N.J.. Brockhoff, H.F. Denton, N.P.G. Hallion, L.R.B. Johnson, A.N. Bratasiuk J. Dent, J.N. Harrod, D. Buxton, M.A. Rech, J.R. Waye-Harris, A.J. Elliot, M.G. Hallett, J.M. Stevens*
Second Row L to R	*K. Hodgins, J.W. Southon, T.J. Asimakopoulos, N. Deduhin, A.I. Cleveland, A.H. Puvi, F.J. Hall, T.W. Speakman, J.A. Tolmer R.L. Bickmore, L.B. Stevens, N.D.T. Overbeeke, A.J. Gilchrist, M.P. Craven, N.J. Hoffman, L.J.F. Mackie*
Front Row L to R	*P.G. Sheehan, W.F. Chong, C.P. Bennett, T.P. Short, R.G. Woite, D.M. Williams, R.J. Thomas, S.J. Nicholls (Captain), Mr. P.J. Bubner, M.A. Jones (Vice Captain), A.P. Timbs, T.J. Tamblyn, N.C. Glaetzer, S.A. McKay, S.K. Moore, T.K. Wickham, P.C. Rofe*



Triathlon- 1997

Back Row L to R	*N.P. Hallion, M.P. Alvaro, S.A. McKay, J.R. Richards, M.A. Crawford S.G. Thomas, N.P. Phelps, F.J. Hall, M.G. Hallett*
Front Row L to R	*W.F. Freeland, C.P. Bennett, J.K. Murdoch, Mr. R.H. Coulls, M.P. Tucker, H.M. Perks, S.L. Arney*

BLACKET HOUSE REPORT



Blacket House Committee - 1997

Back Row L to R	*J.N. Harrod, N.H. Hugo, M.A. Crawford, S.D. Guthrie*
Front Row L to R	*S. Williams, A.P. Timbs (Vice-Captain), Mr. G. Davis, M.D. Hobby (Captain), C.J. Shannahan*

Without a doubt 1997 has been the most successful year in the history of Blacket House. This success is due to the efforts of a large number of students from the House who involve themselves in a host of activities. Consequently Blacket House has become the measuring stick for the other Houses.

We began 1997 on an excellent note winning the annual Swimming Carnival for the fourth consecutive year. A highlight of what was a total team effort was the performance of the year 10 group where Chris Leung, Andrew Cox and Simon Lane dominated all their events. Chris later in the year swam in the Australian titles and is to be congratulated on his silver medal winning performance. Henrique Araujo a Brazilian exchange student who was with us for the first half of the year was a solid performer for the year 11 group. However it was the efforts of Blacket boys across all year groups which won the carnival for the "Mighty Orange".

The annual Blacket function also in first term was held at the "Fishcaf" restaurant and was a huge success with approximately 100 parents attending. The evening provided both parents and staff the opportunity to meet in a relaxed environment.

Blacket House has provided a number of leaders in a wide range of fields and they along with many others have been wonderful contributors to the school. Tennyson Wickham has preformed exceedingly well as Captain of school whilst Daniel Forbes, Michael Hobby, Chris Drew, Kevin Khaw and Luke Williams have all served the School diligently as Prefects.

Daniel Forbes and Andrew Timbs both had outstanding seasons as Captain and Vice Captain of tennis, while Michael Hobby, the Captain of the First XVIII led by example. Once again a fine season was had by Andrew Timbs who held the position of Captain of Soccer and Hayden Gaunt continued to excel as Captain of Chess. Sam Williams as a year 11 student has displayed immense talent as Vice Captain of Cricket. Andrew Cox (1OA football), Mark Roma (10 soccer) and Edward Lane (1OC basketball) have all provided great leadership for their respective teams.

Gwyn Morfey has held the very demanding position of editor of the Science Journal whilst Jamie Messner has been a valuable contributor to this Journal. Kevin Khaw and Troy Vodopivec have been heavily involved in the production of the School Chronicle.

Other members of the House who have represented the School in sports at the highest level include Tennyson Wickham who was a valuable member of the Drive Tennis team and First XVIII football, Luke Williams and Michael Hobby with their contribution to Ist XI cricket, Daniel Forbes, Steve Moore,Trevor Wadham, Luke Davies and Sam Williams were all very solid contributors to Football whilst James Lang and Josh Stewart were key members in the Soccer team.Tim Chong and Kevin Khaw rarely lost as members of the badminton side whilst Scott Olver and Jamie Messner were important members of the Debating team. Luke Williams is to be congratulated on his selection in the Redbacks training squad following an outstanding National Carnival where he gained selection in the under 17 All Australian team.

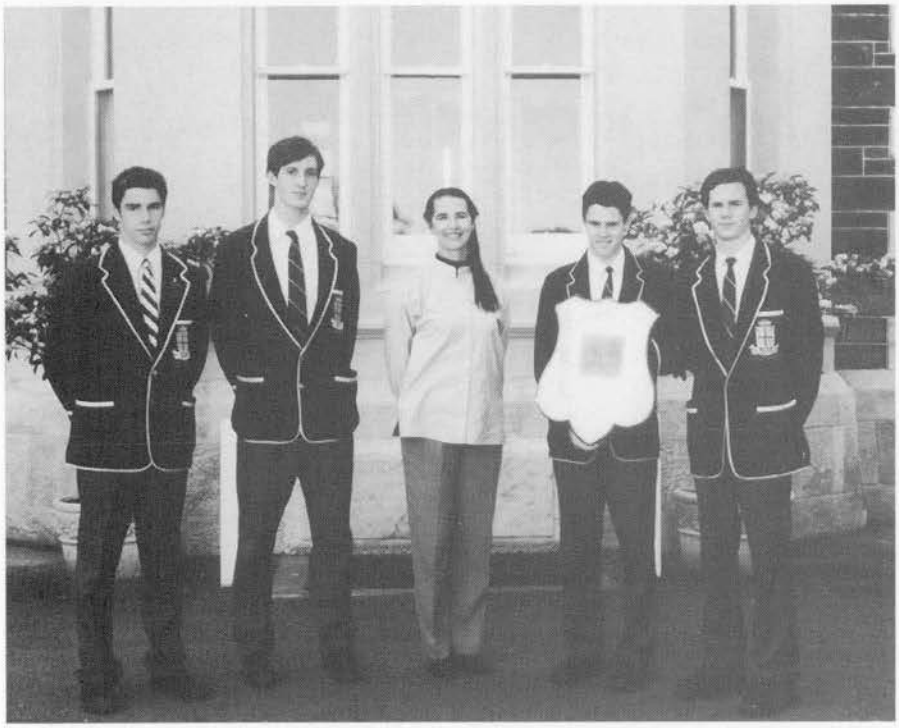
The solar car challenge was a huge success for the team involved and they fully deserved their second placing, just reward for the large number of hours that were devoted to the design and construction of the vehicle and training for the event. Six boys from 10 Blacket namely Paul Bulley, Miles Crawford, James Denton, Adam Grogan, Edward Lane and Matthew Fisher were part of this team and are to be congratulated on their efforts

House meetings have continued to see a wide range of activities with the ongoing Mini Olympics being comfortably won by the year 12's. Luke Davies' effort in the Fanta skulling competition was truly amazing being able to down two cups of bubbly Fanta in a matter of seconds. Ongoing competition between Delbridge, Hemsley and Stanton have been enjoyed by all.

Much of the success and development of students from Blacket House is due to the excellent team of Tutors we have. Mr Wiese, Mrs Marjoribanks, Mr Parker and Dr Rowston's efforts throughout the year have been invaluable and are greatly appreciated. Special mention must go to Mr Davis whose tireless efforts in coordinating house events with enthusiasm have seen Blacket record its most successful year to date. Personally, I would like to thank both Mr Wiese and Mr Davis who have assisted me in the completion of my duties this year. I would like to thank Andrew Timbs, the Vice Captain of Blacket House for his excellent contributions and assistance this year, along with the members of the House Committee. All the best to Blacket House in the future.

Michael Hobby
Captain of Blacket

DELBRIDGE: A House with a Roof



Delbridge House Committee - 1997

L to R *T.J. Tamblyn (Vice Captain), R.J. Thomas (Vice Captain), Mrs. V. Jenson S.A. McKay, D. Lock (Captain)*

Delbridge House went into 1997 with the determined focus of coming out with the title of "Best Dressed House", and with 50's fashion guru Mr. Bennett as a role model, we could not go wrong. Although the students of Delbridge were hesitant to catch on to the Hawaiian clothing influences of Co-Vice Captain Tom Tamblyn, true Delbridge spirit was undertaken by students as well as parents and staff at the first real house get together in the Delbridge House Quiz Night.

Whilst Delbridge House was far from the leader at the Swimming Carnival, we do boast of having far and away the largest, most entertaining and high class annual House Function, which this year again was the most massive congregation of all houses by some 40 heads and 80 feet. This was even acknowledged by the Headmaster Dr. Webber, who came and enjoyed the festivities, dinner, talent and musical delight.

After the original onset of house pride during the Swimming Carnival and the House Function, it was blatantly obvious the students of Delbridge were not only going to give their all for their house but more importantly were going to have fun through the year in the Delbridge style, led well in this pursuit by Head of House, Mrs. Jenson, Co-Vice Captains, Ryan Thomas and Tom Tamblyn, and myself.

Students of Delbridge House were given many opportunities throughout the year to display their talents in House Assemblies such as "the marshmallow stuffing" competition, "wheely bin" races, distance kicking, "hackle sack" and the famous "Pit of Death". These in-house House Assemblies went well with younger age groups also participating in good spirit.

Younger students were also given the opportunity to showcase their leadership talents by running and presenting a House Assembly by themselves. Year 9's hosted a game of "Celebrity Heads", whilst year 10's opted for visual entertainment in the form of a body language video. Year 11's organised two House Assemblies in the form of three legged soccer and basketball. All of these Assemblies ran quite smoothly and will prove to act as learning experiences for all involved in the organisation of the assemblies.

Throughout the year Delbridge also undertook inter-house challenges, including even matches of knee wrestling with Hemsley and a close contest of accuracy golf with Rushton. Our greatest inter-house activity, however, came against Stanton House in the inaugural "Fish Throwing" competition. This assembly saw a close battle until the last throw of the day when Julian MacIntosh secured victory of the much sought after blue and yellow wooden fish with a monstrous round arm throw.

There is no doubting the greatness of Delbridge as a team in the year 1997, but another aspect of school and house life is the individual efforts of students in both the academic and cocurricular fields. And our house was again amongst the best in terms of individual achievements.

House Leaders Tom Tamblyn and Ryan Thomas both excelled in their chosen co-curricular fields. Ryan Thomas received colours for rugby and rowing as well as competing strongly in athletics, and Tom Tamblyn received colours for soccer as well as captaining the First XI cricket team to the national Coca-Cola knockout tournament finals to be held in December.

Year eleven students Jason Roberts and Trent Collins received colours for their dedicated efforts in rowing. Both were integral parts of the First VIII rowing crew. Other Delbridge recipients of colours awards in sport were Darren Chan for badminton and Mark Henderson for squash.

In the field of the Arts, both Mark Pettman and John Greiner received Arts Awards for their dedicated commitment to technical services in assemblies, functions and special events.

Thomas Jackson of 11 Delbridge also received an Arts Award for his commitment to music through the year.

Credit also must be given to Scott Mckay who not only captained Delbridge's efforts in the Swimming and Athletics Carnivals but also captained the senior school swimming team, and was a vital part of the Open A basketball team.

Academically, Delbridge and the school had no finer student this year than Damien Fung. Damien was prominent all through the year in national Maths and Science competitions but his finest academic achievement came when he won the silver medal in the National Chemistry Analysis Competition earlier this year. Damien and Mark Henderson were the labourers behind the production of the 1997 Chronicle.

The final, and major inter-house activity of the year was the school Athletics Carnival-an event Delbridge has not dominated for some time. But it seems this year was the beginning of a new era for Delbridge athletics. A third placing in the overall event undervalues the promise Delbridge House has for the next few years of athletic competition. Both Delbridge year 11 and 10 groups produced runner-up individual efforts. Peter Sheehan (llD) and

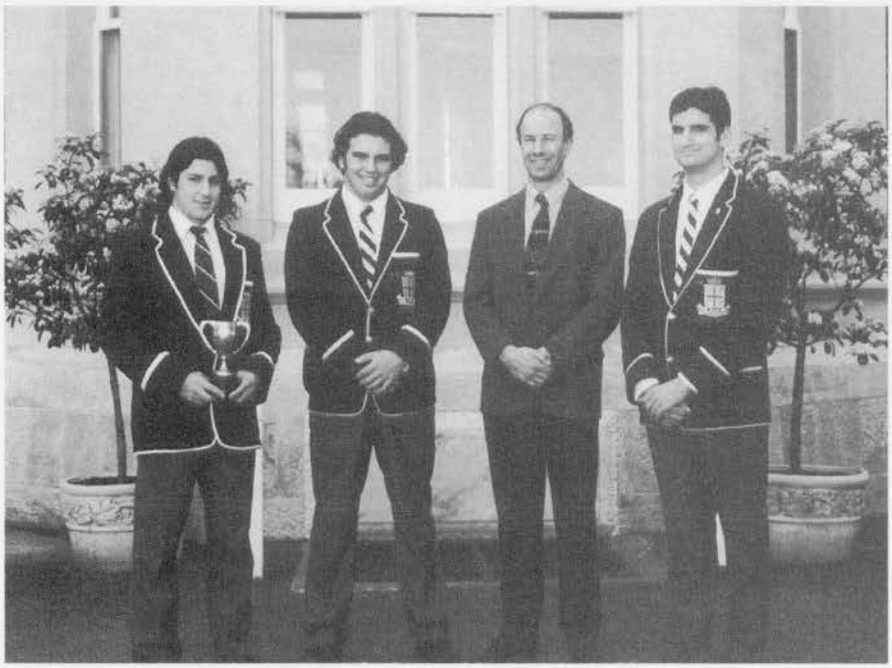
joint runners-up Drakon Sirakovit and Stephen Thomas (1OD) showed signs of what is to come, and with Delbridge securing the relay shield the coming years look exciting and prosperous for Delbridge Athletics.

I would like to thank, as I am sure all students would, the tutors of Delbridge for their hard work thoughout the year to keep Delbridge and its students in check. Ms. Farrow (Yr. 9), Mr. Bennett (Yr. 10), Mr. McGuire (Yr. 11), Mr. Freney (Yr. 12) and above all Mrs. Jenson (who filled the role of Head of House tirelessly) deserve all our thanks and appreciation for deeds never-ending.

Finally I would like to thank the House for the opportunity to lead a House of such fine rapport and integrity, and I can only hope I have left the House more enlightened than I found it. I wish Delbridge House the best success and enjoyment for the coming years.

David Lock. Captain of Delbridge.

HEMSLEY HOUSE REPORT



Hemsley House Committee - 1997

L to R *S.J. Nicholls (Vice Captain), D.E. Polomka (Vice Captain), Mr. D.G. Rawnsley, M.D. Rasheed (Captain)*

It could be seen from day one of 1997 that this year would be special for Hemsley house and that we would set the standard for other houses.

The social calendar for Hemsley house began with the holding of the seventh annual Quiz Night. The strong participation from all year groups and their parents saw that the night was fun-filled, giving everyone associated with Hemsley House a chance to meet each other. The extensive and creative questions, combined with lavish prizes, ensured that the night was successful, with all involved having an enjoyable and memorable time.

The first inter-house sporting event for the year was the annual swimming carnival, held at North Adelaide aquatic centre. This gave Hemsley a chance to show their true sporting capability. On this particular day, the pool was dominated by Elliot Sinclair (9H) runner up for his age group and Alex Phyllis (1OH). Hemsley surprised the crowd, flooding the pool with charisma and overwhelming class. We held competitive positions throughout the carnival, and finished an admirable fifth.

Hemsley proved itself to be particularly strong in the sporting arena, after the naming of this year's Captains of Sport, with Daniel Polomka and Sam Nicholls captains of Rowing, Woon- Feng Chong captain of badminton, Damien Williams captain of basketball, Ryan Woite vice captain of football, Ben Kurylowicz captain of debating and Sam Nicholls again as captain of athletics.

Led by the human bullet, Sam Nicholls, Hemsley went into the 1997 Sports Day full of confidence. The year 12s worked hard to win their year group trophy, the year 9s narrowly missed out on theirs by one point. Sam Nichols is to be congratulated for winning the U/19, while Scott Harris runner up in u/15 competition is a commendable achievement also. This range of talent, however, was not enough to pull us over the line to gain top three status.

This years house assemblies saw a change of format with Hemsley moving to various venues. Some of the activities included; inter-house knee wrestling in the sports centre, face painting in the art rooms, longball on the outdoor basketball courts, and our messy Valentines Day special. Special thanks must go to Dan Jensen for addressing the house on his success in the international Squash arena.

In conclusion, we would like to thank Joseph De Maria and Ryan Woite for their involvement in house assemblies. This made the job of organising much easier. This year saw the introduction of a new and helpful character by the name of Mr. Harradine, who not only took on the job of Head of Mathematics, but also became the Year 10 tutor. Thanks should also go to the Hemsley staff members and especially Mr. Rawnsley for his constant support throughout the year. We would like to wish all members of Hemsley House all the best for the future.

Matthew Rasheed
Captain of Hemsley

OLDHAM HOUSE REPORT



Oldham House Committee - 1997

Back Row L to R *A. Rinaldi, R.C. Edwards, Y. Pappas, L. Cocchiaro*

Front Row L to R *W.C. Freeland, H.N. Trumble (Captain), Mr. M.J. Thompson, J.R. Waltham (Vice Captain), M.C. Dietman*

The 1997 Oldham House has experienced many great laughs, learning experiences, good times and some disappointments. The disappointments have only been qualitative however, being our placing in the sports events. However, the quality of our Oldham spirit and ability to enjoy ourselves would give us a rating much higher than a sports event can give us.

We certainly had a year of changing tutors, firstly being joined by Mr Johnston as the year 9 tutor, after excellent work from Mr Nichols. Mr Kracht took a well deserved long service leave in term 2, so the year 12's were supported by Mrs Manton for a term. We were joined by the athletic Mr Baird as the year 11 tutor, taking the place of Mr Reed, who still managed to sneak back into a few house meetings. The tartan wearing, piano accordian playing Mr Bowyer continued his support of the year 10's.

Although he was once a small little ball of clay, Gumby became our symbol of hope for the year, but our Gumby drawing competition, while blindfolded, gave hope only to abstract act.

During house meetings this year we were provided with many great minutes of entertainment from the Lachlan Jarvis and Joshua Spier Film Company, a highlight being the hilarious adventures of Super Yogie.

Our Year 11's, guided by Mr Baird, contributed a very entertaining Ricki Lake style report on their work experience, starring Andrew Sullivan as Ricki and featuring the quick humour of Chris Simcock.

Later in the year during one sports oriented house meeting, the Rugby players gave us a great demonstration of one of their plays, with Yannis Pappas questioning himself whether spilt milk is worth crying over.

At the very successful Arts Week quiz, we turned Stanton green with envy, which made up for our disappointing Sports day result. On Sports day we did see the year 9's shine though, winning the relay to take out the position of top House for their age level.

At the Swimming Sports day saw many great green capped House members, who continued their support in the pool to give us a sound placing.

Lastly, thank you very much to the support of John "Wally" Waltham (Vice Captain) and Mr Kracht in helping to get house events organised as well as all of the tutors whose continued support has been greatly appreciated. Thanks especially to Mr. Thompson for his energetic help and ideas, as Head of Oldham House.

Henry Trumble
House Captain, Oldham

RUSHTON HOUSE



Rushton House Committee - 1997

Back Row. L to R *A.J. Fieg, J. Hutton, D.C. Stone, S.R. Edwards, P.T.M. Morton, D.C. Story, B.A. Cartledge*

Front Row. L to R *J.K. Murdoch, A.L. Pearson, P.S. Walsh (Convener), Mr. C.M. Mathias, H.L. Rowland (Secretary), S.M. Nalder, L.A. Hodge*

1997 proved to be a successful year for the Boarding House. There was a changing of the guard with the departure of Mr Watson to be Senior Housemaster. Mr Mathias took over the job as Head of House. His previous position as Assistant Head of House was filled by Mr Coulls who also moved into the Secondary School to head up the PE Department. Mrs Clark joined the senior staff, replacing Mr Jeff Knowles who has taken a position in the Queensland. Demand for places in the Boarding House saw the reopening of Bayly Wing and we began the year with our capacity of 107 boarders.

As always, the first major event in the cultural calendar was the Rushton House play and Barbecue for families in the first term. This year's play provided excellent performances from a number of boarders. The play, "A Star is Spawn" was written by Greg Shepherd and co-directed by Tom Davidson and Resident Master Mr Will Rayner. Peter Morton, Jarred Tilley, Seth Edwards, Jamie Murdoch, Hugh Rowland, Simon Arney and Michael Lange filled the lead roles.

The first major sporting event of the year was the Swimming Carnival in term one. This year's carnival saw many admirable performances from Boarders in all year levels and of course provided cheering lessons for the Day Houses. We don't win everything, but we are difficult to ignore when it comes to noise. Rushton House swam strongly all day to finish in third place. A special mention goes to Simon Arney who excelled in a year which contained a number of outstanding swimmers. He earned a place in the Champion of Champions race where he finished in fourth place. Many thanks to our House Captain of Swimming, Michael Jones, for his work in organising the day for the House.

The other major House sporting event was School Sports Day which was held in the third term. After the traditional roaring warm up lap (again, difficult to ignore) the House settled down to concentrate on early events. Rushton controlled initial proceedings to lead for most of the morning. As the day drew to a close Rushton went into the relays a narrow second to Blacket House. That was how the final placings ran with Rushton finishing second. Many Boarders excelled themselves throughout the day as illustrated by the large contingent who were selected in the Achilles Cup team. A special mention goes to Year 9, Marcus Syvertsen, who after making a "who, me?" entry into the Year 9 competition, ran out Year 9 champion. Congratulations to Michael Jones who was named Vice-Captain of Athletics after his strong performances on Sports Day. Thanks also to Michael for his role as Captain of the Rushton team and joint organiser with Tom Short.

Another major cultural event was the Senior Boarders Dance held in the first term. The dance was held in the Assembly Hall with ten other Boarding Schools attending. The set-up was fantastic and a credit to the Year 12 students and the Hall Technicians who worked on it in the lead up. The dance was a huge success and Michael Jones, an organisational genius for whom nothing is too much trouble, must be thanked again for his tireless efforts in setting up not only this social, but every social throughout the year as he sought to train an heir apparent in the ways of the cable.

The Boarders have once again contributed in the many co-curricular activities throughout the year. Tennis, Cricket, Rowing, Basketball, Soccer, Rugby, Athletics, Badminton, Chess and Swimming were all very ably assisted by the efforts of the Boarders. Year 11 students Don McGregor and Hugh Rowland competed in three separate Intercol sports during one week. Football had a particularly strong representation from Boarders throughout all year levels and staff. Mr Rob Coulls coached the Firsts; Mr David Steinhardt the Seconds, and Mr Tim Fletcher led a team of Thirds who demolished most in their relentless pursuit of goals. Special mentions go to Travis Simmons and Michael Jones who received Colours Awards for their efforts in football throughout the year. An extra special mention goes to Jamie Murdoch for not only kicking 20 goals in two matches, but doing so whilst maintaining his fresh face for the fashionable job he had at the Adelaide Show

1997 was a most successful year for Boarders in academic pursuits with many gaining consistently high marks. This Year's House Committee saw a change with the introduction of a formally appointed Convenor to run the group independently from any staff. Phil Walsh was awarded the job and thanks go to him, along with Hugh Rowland who acted as secretary for their efforts throughout the year. Congratulations also go to Henry Cartledge who was elected the President of PACCC for 1997.

1997 also saw the resurgence of the boarding house newsletter, "The Boarder Line". This task was undertaken by Year 12's Tom Davidson and Phil Walsh who were co-editors of the newsletter. They were assisted by

Resident Master Mr Haydn Trigg with Ben Kaethner and Tom Short adding consistent contributions to the publication.

In closing, I would like to acknowledge the valuable contributions of a number of people in the running of the House. Thanks

go to Mrs Maureen Chandler as Housemother, as well as staff in the kitchen, laundry, and the ever patient cleaning staff. Thanks also go to Mr Mathias, Mr and Mrs Coulls, Mr and Mrs Clark, and all of the Boarding House Resident Masters. Finally I would like to thank the Year 12 Heads of Areas and the two House Vice-Captains, Tom Davidson and Michael Jones for their efforts and support throughout the year. It has been a privilege to be Captain of Rushton House.

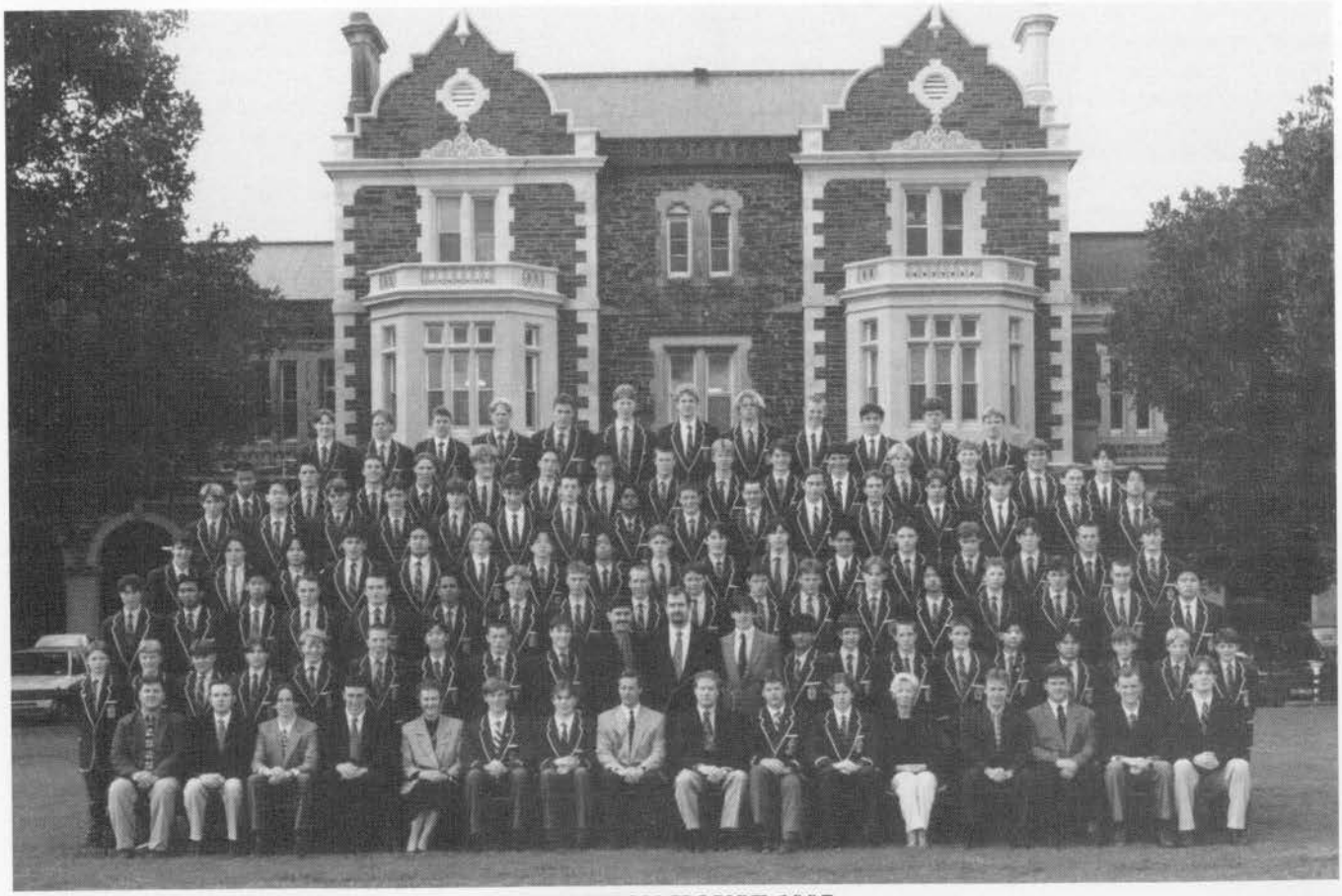
Shaun Nalder
Captain of House



Rushton House Heads of Areas - 1997

Back Row. L to R *A. Pearce, T.N. Simmons, T.P. Short, B.J. Kaethner, M.A. Jones, C.P. Bennett, S.J. Martin, A.L. Pearson*

Front Row. L to R *H.L. Lim, J.K. Murdoch, D.M. Mitchell, Mr. C.M. Mathias, S.M. Nalder, T.A. Davidson, P.S. Walsh*



RUSHTON HOUSE 1997

STANTON HOUSE REPORT



Stanton House Committee - 1997

Back Row. L to R *T.M. Angel, J.W.M. Pratt, L.J.F. Mackie, O.J. Philpot*

Front Row. L to R *J.S. Tirrell, T.O. Pledge (Captain), Mr. M.W. Millard, J.C. Rivett (Vice Captain), D.L. Martens*

1997 has seen Stanton House strive for excellence and dominance in all areas of the school community. Excellence has most definitely been achieved, but we have not yet become dominant. Perhaps it will take longer than the two years Mr Millard had hoped it would take. I reassure him that it wont happen overnight, but it will happen.

As is the Stanton tradition, the year was officially opened with the Stanton House Barbeque. As usual, the day was a great success with fun, laughter, and sore eyes from the over chlorinated school pool, being the order of the day.

After this light hearted start to the year it was down to business. James Rivett, the Stanton Vice-Captain, and I were quick to talk tactics with Mr Millard and our number one draft pick, Mr Moore, in relation to the annual swimming carnival. This event became symbolic of the renewed house spirit and enthusiasm, something Stanton is becoming renowned for. This enthusiasm was best illustrated by the unprecedented imitation of the "Border Entrance" and the overwhelming pieces of yellow parifinalia covering the swimming centre. We may have only come a close second to Blacket, but Stanton House certainly left the carnival as winners for the first time in many years. Although this sensational result was essentially due to a team effort, there were many exceptional individual efforts, especially from Justin Seacombe, and Sam Stone who took out the senior championship.

Come Sports Day, Stanton House members were confident we could do one better that at the swimming Carnival and get the Stanton name engraved on the Sports Day shield. This was not to be. James Rivett and myself soon discovered that writing a victory speech the night before was a waste of time when Dr Webber announced our disappointing fourth placing. This did not phase Stanton House because we knew we were disadvantaged by the traditional lane eight draw, a lane confirmed by the expert, Mr Reed, as "The last lane Oldham would be made to run in". Stanton was, however, able to hold their heads high, with victories in the senior Tug Of War, senior Soccer, and a close second in the senior sack race. Once again, there were many exceptional individual efforts, this time from Chris Lovell and Paul Rofe, who broke the high jump and shot put records. I must not forget the success of our Year 11 team which won the cup for their year level.

Co- curriculum activities have been a strong point for Stanton House this year, with the House dominating in the area of Arts. This years school musical, "H.M.S. Pinafore", displayed the talents of many Stanton House members. Stanton boys actually made up half the cast. Andrew Linn deserves special mention for his marvellous characterisation of the lead role, Captain Corcoran.

Highlights of the House Meeting program of the year were undoubtedly watching Mr Millard defeat Mr Moore in "Knee Wrestling" and "Twister". Another funny moment was watching both Mr Moore and Mr Millard crashing to the Sports Centre floor after spinning in circles twenty times, and who could forget the fish throwing competition with Delbridge. There was much fun had by all in the Friday House Meetings, further illustrating the newly ignited Stanton spirit. Fuelling this spirit are the Tutors of Stanton. These being Ms Altus, Mr Moore, Mr Sweeny, Mr Buxton, and especially our housemaster, Mr Millard. Since his introduction into the Stanton house last year, his personality and ambitious nature has forced Stanton up a few more rungs of the P.A.C. ladder. A few of the current year 12's first got to know Mr Millard when he instructed us to destroy a Blacket sports day banner displaying the words "At Least We're Not In Stanton." It is this passion and competitive nature that will propel Stanton House into the next millennium as the Power House of P.A.C. One of the most important things Mr Millard has taught Stanton House this year is this, just because we are the last to have our photos taken, last to leave assemblies, last to be introduced to the "Boys" at the Old Old Boys Assembly, does not mean we should be content to remain in that last position.

A House cannot function efficiently without the help of people who are willing to put in an effort in order to make it a successful house. I must thank James Rivett, my Vice- Captain, for helping the year run smoothly. I must also thank Ms Altus for all her support as Year 12 tutor, and all of the members of the Year 12 tutor group.

To close, I would like to wish all students and tutors in Stanton House the best for the future and I look forward to hearing of Stanton's achievements in the future.

Tom Pledge
Captain of Stanton



12 Blacket

3rd Row:	*Timothy Chong, Nicholas Dean, Luke Williams, Andrew Timbs, Duncan Taylor, Hayden Gaunt, Troy Vodopivec*
2nd Row:	*Kevin Khaw, Christopher Drew, William MacDonald, Daniel Forbes, Michael Hobby, Alexander Harrod, Jeff Ng*
Front Row:	*Luke Robinson, Gareth Woodhouse, Tennyson Wickham, Stephen Moore, Matthew Thompson, Kai Shum Au, Gwyn Morfey*
Tutor:	*Mr. D. J. Wiese*



12 Delbridge

3rd Row:	*David Lock, Jonathon Phillips, John Greiner, Ryan Thomas, Angus Dillon, James Day*
2nd Row:	*Vasilios Palios, Benjamin Wilson, Andrew Worthley, Mark Henderson, Julian Macintosh, Thomas Tamblyn, Ryan Williams*
Front Row:	*Mark Pettman, Darren Chan, Damian Fung, Kanvin Ngan, Luke Mullane, Nicholas Sanders, Scott McKay*
Tutor:	*Mr. I.M. Freney*



12 ***Hemsley***

3rd Row:	*Mike Min, Ryan Woite, Nicholas Glaetzer, Matthew Rasheed, Damien Williams, Russel Barber, Benjamin Forsyth*
2nd Row:	*Woon-Feng Chong, Martin Rogers, Daniel Polomka, Adrian Liston, Mark Humphries, Huw Cooksley, Angus Lam*
Front Row:	*Duncan Tan, Joseph DeMaria, Benjamin Kurylowicz, Adam Richardson, Alexander Marantos, Ross Ashcroft, Samuel Nicholls*
Tutor:	*Mrs. J. A. Hodgson.*



12 Oldham

3rd Row:	*Krisjon Edwards, John Waltham, Chad Parrish, Henry Trumble, Lachlan Jarvis, Joshua Spier, Joseph Manfield*
2nd Row:	*Matthew Selby, Simon Burke, Simon Saint, Adam Rosser, Mark Toye, Mark Gobolos, Jeremy McMahon*
Front Row:	*Nathan O'Neil, Yogie Basuki, Timothy Natapermadi, Kyriacos Kontozis, Thomas Moretti, Boonpat Korkiatphitak, Constantinos Pappas*
Tutor:	*Mr. J. D. Kracht*



12 Stanton

3rd Row:	*John Humphries, Samuel Stone, James Rivett, James Richards, Timothy James*
2nd Row:	*Owen Mullner, Lincoln Law, Andrew Woolcock, Tim Tomblin, Brett Hill, Andrew Linn*
Front Row:	*Trinity Whalan, Benjamin Rosenzweig, Ammon Mackie, Jesse Adams, Daniel Nicholls, Nathan Hains, Spencer Chan, Tom Pledge*
Tutor:	*Ms. M. A. Altus*



12 Rushton

3rd Row:	*Travis Simmons, David Mitchell, Benjamin Kaethner, Shaun Nalder, Sung Ho Park*
2nd Row:	*Leigh Flavel, Alexander Pearce, Thomas Short, Thomas Davidson, Jamie Murdoch, Pree Thiengburanathum*
Front Row:	*Jody Yeoh, Phillip Walsh, Clayton Bennett, Simon Martin, Michael Jones, Andrew Pearson, Ronnie Lim ABSENT: Fadli Yusof*
Tutor:	*Mr. R. H. Coulls*

OLD BOYS SECTION

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PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION INCORPORATED
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From down the far years comes the clarion call:
Your school and my school, the Best School of All

PAST PRESIDENTS

1878-91	J.A. Hartley	1926	D. Waterhouse	1950	D.A. Clarkson	1974	B. K. Hobbs
1892-93	E.B. Colton	1927	T.C. Craven	1951	Rex W. Pearson	1975	B.J. Potcr
1894	G.M. Evan	1928	H.B. Piper	1952	L.P.A. Lawrence	1976	D.J. Tucker
1895	G.S. Cottan	1929	J.M. Bath	1953	R.W.M. Johnson	1977	R.J. Byrne
1896	A.W. Piper	1930	W.R. Bayly	1954	F.H. Chapman	1978	R.G. Gerard
1897	F.A. Chapman	1931	R. Vardon	1955	N.A. Walsh	1979	G.C. Marshall
1898	A. Hill	1932	A.L. Bertram	1956	Norman Todd	1980	B.J. Francis
1899	J.H. Chinner	1933	A.G. Collison	1957	F.C. Hassell	1981	D.C. Hassell
1900	G.W. Cooper	1934	S.W. Jeffries	1958	P.E. Clark	1982	P.O. Buttery
1901	J.W. Grasby	1935	P.R. Claridge	1959	N.S. Angel	1983	A.M. Olsson
1902	A.E. Davey	1936	L.S. Clarkson	1960	C.L. McKay	1984	A.G. Gerard
1903	G.W.R. Lee	1937	F.L. Collinson	1961	A.J. Clarkson	1985	R.W. Hone
1904	P.E. Johnstone	1938	A.G. Trott	1962	A.W. Crompton	1986	G.D. Evans
1905-09	W.R. Bayly	1939	J. Crompton	1963	D.L. Davies	1987	N.G.A. MacDonald
1910-11	A.C. Catt	1940	W.J. Hiatt	1964	J.H. Gerard	1988	M.W.B. Thompson
1912	J.P. Robertson	1941	F.T. Cooper	1965	R.W. Piper	1989	T.P. Moffat
1913-14	N.A. Webb	1942	L.S. Walsh	1966	R.B. Craven	1990	I.M. Rudd
1915-16	W.D. Taylor	1943	F.E. Piper	1967	B.A. Fricker	1991	P.P. Bacciarcill
1917-18	A.A.L. Rowley	1944	H.N. Shepley	1968	D.S. Riceman	1992	A.L. Chapman
1919-21	W.S. Kelly	1945	C.J. Glover	1969	E.F.W. Hunwick	1993	G.E. Taplin
1922	R. Owen Fox	1946	G. K. Ryder	1970	W.M. Johnson	1994	C.P. Moffat
1923	S.G. Lawrence	1947	M.W. Evans	1971	M.B. McLachlan	1995	C.P. Moffat
1924	H.H. Cowell	1948	J.F.W. Dunn	1972	E.V. Cox	1996	A.M. Olsson
1925	M. Erichsen	1949	G.T. Clarke	1973	J.G. Bundey	1997	A.D.C. Walker

The objects of the Association are:

1. The furtherance of all that appertains to the welfare of Prince Alfred College.
2. The promotion of unity and friendship among the Old Scholars of the College.
3. The maintenance of the interest of Old Scholars of the College.

Old Boys Week is observed annually toward the end of July. The School Chronicle is forwarded to each member of the Association.

The Annual Subscription is $14.00. Subscriptions received in advance up to five years will not be subject to increases during the period.

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION, Incorporated
BALANCE SHEET AS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 1997

1996 $		1997 $	1996 $			1997 $
	ACCUMULATED FUNDS			INVESTMENTS GENERAL		
71,200	GENERAL FUND	66,737.68	844,305	Shares in Public Companies at Market Value		1,074,133.75
4,462	Less Deficit for Year	1,163.94				
66,738		1,004,126.51		NON-CURRENT ASSETS		
2,229	Benevolent Fund	-	9,646	PAOC Football Club Loan Account		-
774,298	Investment Reserve	1,004,126.51				
843,265		1,069,700.25				
				CURRENT ASSETS		
	CURRENT LIABILITES			Stocks - Ties Etchings Key Rings Plaques		
16,142	Subscriptions in Advance	12,418.00		Cuff Links Tankards Watches Golf Balls		8,293.69
2,665	Bank Overdraft	309.19	8,121			
18,807		12,727.19				
	LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND			INVESTMENTS & ASSETS LIFE MEMBERSHIP FUND		
				Shares in Public Companies		
443,745	Life Membership Account	459,314.58	342,226	at Market Value	467,553.82	
131,059	Investment Reserve	241,388.41	1,852	Cash at Bank	5,053.17	
574,804		700,702.99	20,000	PAC Loan Account	40,000.00	
					512,606.99	
				Non Current Assets		
			210,726	Loan to Prince Alfred College	188,096.00	700,702.99
$1,436,876		$1,783,130.43	$1,436,876			$1,783,130.43

Auditors' Report. We report that we have examined the Books and Records of Prince Alfred Collegians' Association Inc. for the year ended 30th September 1997 and that, in our opinion, the above Balance Sheet and Revenue Accounts are properly drawn up an exhibit a true and fair view of the state of the Association's affairs and of its results for the year ended on that date accordingly to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the Books and Record submitted.

ADELAIDE 13th November 1997

..... C.W. DUNSFORD) Honorary
)
..... P.G. BARRETT) AUDITORS

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION, Incorporated
INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1997

1996 $			1997 $	1996 $		1997 $
42	Social Functions		3,009.95	21,205	Subscriptions	21,714.00
2,427	Country Functions Subsidy & Mementos		2,654.30		Ties, Etchings, Key Rings, Plaques, Cuff Links, Tankards & Golf Balls	1,764.02
				1,993		
766	Interstate Dinners Subsidy Fares and Stationery		2,034.40		Dividends Received (Public Companies)	35,288.42
11,403	PAC Administration Costs		10,412.06			
35,542	Chronicles: Printing, Postage & Photographs		24,463.21	310	Interest Received	202.84
				4,500	Sponsorships	7,500.00
2,692	Mid-Year Newsletter: Printing & Postage		2,583.27	2	Sale of Park 9 Lights to Football Club	-
	Old Boys' Week Sporting Events Subsidy		291.84	4,462	Deficit Transferred to Accumulated Funds	1.163.94
3,798	Annual Dinner Subsity & Expenses		5,122.00			
558	Support to Foundation for Reunion Expenses		367.10			
2,980	Sporting Clubs Insurance		3,032.29			
2,450	Personal Liability - Directors & Officers Insurance		2,510.00			
1,507	Printing & Stationery & General Expenses		1,332.10			
300	Public Schools' Club Membership		300.00			
987	Actuarial Survey		-			
-	Donation: PAC Foundation Building Fund		5,000.00			
-	PAC Scholarships to sons of Old Scholars	4,200.00				
	Less reduction in Benevolent Fund	2,229.30	1,970.70			
-	J.A. Dunning Plaque		550.00			
-	Ties 1996 School Leavers		1,800.00			
-	PAOC Basketball Club		200.00			
$66,493			$67,633.22	$64,493		$67,633.22

Life Membership Account

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS' ASSOCIATION, Incorporated
LIFE MEMBERSHIP ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 1996

1996		1997	1996		1997
	Amount allocated to current years		419,045	Balance October, 1996	443,745.49
8,610	subscriptions	10,542.00	16,838	Subscriptions	16,663.00
142	General Expenses	75.07	17,755	Dividends Received (Public companies)	18,918.16
305	Printing & Stationery	195.00	152	Interest Received	
988	Actuarial Advice	-			
-	Donation PAC Foundation Building Fund	5,000.00			
443,745	Balance September 30, 1997	459,314.58			
$432,406		$479,326.65	$453,790		$479,326.65

Life Membership Rates

Following a review of the Association's financial position and an actuarial review, effective 1/1/96, Life Membership Subscriptions have been reduced to:

Under 25 years of age	$310.00
Under 30 years of age	$300.00
Under 35 years of age	$290.00
Under 40 years of age	$280.00
Under 45 years of age	$260.00
Under 50 years of age	$240.00
Under 55 years of age	$220.00
Under 60 years of age	$200.00
Under 65 years of age	$175.00
Under 70 years of age	$150.00

Annual Membership Subscriptions will remain at $14 and 5 year Membership at $70.

Application forms for Life Membership and other categories are available from the Association's office at the School.

Items for Sale at Prince Alfred College

Main Building Print by John Hinge

framed	$100.00
unframed	$30.00
PAC Watch	$60.00
Ties (Bow or Neck)	$20.00
Cuff Links	$35.00
Pewter Tankard	$45.00
Bridge Playing Cards	$22.00
Bridge Scorers	$11.00
Plaques	$60.00
Key Ring	$6.00
"History of the School" by R.M. Gibbs	$25.00
Car Sticker	$4.00
Golf Umbrella	$25.00
PAC Golf Balls	$48 for 12 or $5 each
Pen	$12.00
Placemats (boxed set of 6)	$32.00
CD	$15.00
History of PAOC Football Club	$10.00
Days of May by Dr Mervyn Evans	$8.00
PAC Calendar	$12.00
Cookbook	$5.00
Wine Glasses	$24 for 6 or $5 each
Director Chair	$ 47.50

All the items listed are available from the Main School Office.

School Archives

The School is very proud of its archives which have grown over recent years to provide a wonderful history of the College.

Many items are displayed in the School Museum on rotation under the care of Archivist Mr Brian Baldwin, Mr Norm Bennett and selected students.

Mr Baldwin is very keen to receive suitable material for the archives, whether it be old school photographs, programmes or other items of memorabilia. If not being kept in a family, they would be gratefully received if offered to the School.

Annual General Meeting 1998

The 120th Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held at the School at 7.30 pm on Thursday 19 November, 1998.

A formal notice of meeting and agenda will appear in the daily press early in November 1998, but in the meantime, members are asked to note this date in their diaries and to make every endeavour to be present.

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS ASSOCIATION
CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 1998

Date	Event	Place	Convener	Phone Number	Local Convener/Secretary
February					
7 Saturday Evening	South East Dinner	Lucindale	P. Crouch	8374 0472	(Con) David Clarkson (08) 8777 2537 (Sec) Keith Copping (08) 8766 0051
11 Wednesday	Cricket v Saints	Prince Alfred College	B. Gibbs	8364 2763	
12 Thursday Evening	Bowls v Saints	Adelaide Bowling Club	F. Cornish	8278 2352	
18 Wednesday	Tennis v Saints	Prince Alfred College (night)	A. Thompson	8271 1962	
20 Friday Evening	New Old Boys Get Together	Headmaster's Residence	D. Olsson	8341 5705	
March					
4 Monday All Day	Old Scholars Golf Day	Kooyonga	P. Wise/A Brasher	8271 1341/8272 4401	
7 Saturday Evening	Eyre Peninsula Dinner	Port Lincoln	L. Hoad	8276 7587	(Con) Tom Bagshaw (08) 8620 2018 (Sec) Michael Treloar (08) 8656 5034
20 Friday Evening	Committee Cocktails	53 Austral Terrace, Malvern	D. Blanch	8373 0916	
April					
Saturday Evening	Broken Hill Dinner		A. Newman	8379 4247	(Con) Mitch Harrison (08) 8091 1612
Saturday Evening	Riverland Dinner		M. Brett	8274 1986	(Con) and (Sec) Adrian Lacey (08) 8595 8068 Tom Shannon (08) 8584 6357
May					
Friday Evening	Joint Committee Cocktails	SPSC	A. Chapman	8379 7396	
Sunday Morning	Rowing vs Saints	West Lakes	A. McLachlan	8223 7274	
June					
Friday Evening	Victor Harbor Dinner	Hotel Victor	B. Gibbs	8364 2763	(Con) Kym Bartel (08) 8552 3817
OLD SCHOLARS WEEK(S) - MONDAY 21 JULY to SUNDAY 3 AUGUST 19					
July					
27 Monday Evening	Hockey	Prince Alfred College	A. Newman	8379 4247	
(Oldies Challenge 6p.m. followed by Main Match at 7.30p.m.)					
27 Monday Evening	Basketball	SPSC	S. Heylen	8362 8333	
27 Monday Evening	Bridge	Public Schools Club	A. Chapman	8379 7396	
27 Monday Evening	Chess	Public Schools Club	A. Chapman	8379 7396	
27 Monday All Day	Golf	Royal Adelaide	P. Wise/M. Olsson	8271 5034/8364 5705	
28 Tuesday Evening	Badminton	Prince Alfred College	D. Olsson	8431 1315	
28 Tuesday Evening	Squash	Prince Alfred College	R. Sallis	8379 7071	
29 Wednesday Evening	United Collegians Royal Arch Chapter	Masonic Centre	F. Cornish	8278 2352	
29 Wednesday Evening	Joint Committee Dinner	T.B.A.	M. Brett	8274 1986	
30 Thursday Morning	Old Boys Assembly	Prince Alfred College	David Blanch	8373 0916	
30 Thursday Evening	Snooker	T.B.A.	P. Wise	8271 5034	

PRINCE ALFRED OLD COLLEGIANS ASSOCIATION
CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR 1998

Date	Events	Place	Convener	Phone Number	LocalConvener/Secretary
August					
31 Friday Evening	Annual Dinner	Convention Centre	A. Newman/B. Intini	8379 4247/8334 1200	
1 Saturday Evening	PAOC Lodge Meeting	Prince Alfred College	F. Cornish	8278 2352	
2 Sunday 10.00am	Reunion and Family Service	Prince Alfred College Chapel	M. Olsson	8364 5705	
T.B.A.	Soccer	SPSC	A. McLachlan	8223 7274	
		**********			
August					
21 Friday Evening (TBC)	Yorke Peninsula Dinner	Maitland	A. McLachlan	8223 7274	(Con) and (Sec) Simon Greenslade (08) 8836 7247
October					
23 Friday Evening (TBC)	Lower North Dinner	Burra	A. Brasher	8272 4401	(Con) John Tiver (08) 8892 2524
November					
13 Friday Evening (TBC)	Committee Function	T.B.A.	A.Thompson	8271 1962	
19 Thursday Evening	120th Annual General Meeting	Prince Alfred College	A. Newman	8379 4247	
Interstate Dinners					
May					
TBA Friday Evening	Canberra	T.B.A.	Brougham Clark	(06) 6282 4511	
July					
25 Friday Evening	Kuala Lumpur	T.B.A.	David Sim	0011 60 3 9852233	
August					
TBA Friday Evening	Sydney	Royal Automobile Club	Chris Harvey	(02) 9489 1857	
TBA Friday Evening	Brisbane	Brisbane Club	Deane Trowse	(07) 9378 7058	
TBA Friday Evening	Darwin	Boardroom at the MGM	Mike Bratchell	(08) 8946 9912 (w)	
September					
TBA Friday Evening	Perth	T.B.A.	Brian Kelton	(09) 9341 5081	
October					
TBA Friday Evening	London	T.B.A	John Nosworthy	0171 237 0829	
	Melbourne	T.B.A.	Trevor Lands	(03) 9436 1137	
	Alice Springs	T.B.A.	Mark Heitmann	(08) 8952 5531	
	Tasmania	T.B.A.	Mark Newman		

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Prince Alfred College Old Collegians' Association Committee 1996 - 1997

It is with pleasure that I present the 119th Annual Report for our Association. I believe we have again experienced a very successful year due to the efforts of many people and details of some of the matters and events during the year are summarised later in this report.

Committee

Our 119th Annual General Meeting was once again held in November. Those members of the Committee not seeking re-election were Vern Drew, Peter Bacciarelli, Sam Pontifex, Ian Ide and Rob Kane.

Aaron Brasher, Anthony Thompson and Sean Heylen were elected to fill the vacancies. Alastair McLachlan also joined the Committee in the early part of 1997 to fill a casual vacancy and continues with the Committee.

To all those committeemen who have now retired, as well as those continuing, I thank you for your support of the Association and myself this year.

Of the 11 committee meetings held, attendances were:

Dr B.J. Webber	7	I.D. Ide	5
M.C. Haseloff (proxy for Dr Webber)	2	R.T. Kane	4
P.P. Bacciarelli	5	A.B. McLachlan	6
D.J. Blanch	9	Dr C.P. Moffat	10
M.S. Brett	5	A.R. Newman	10
A.L. Chapman	10	A.M. Olsson	10
P.A. Crouch	10	D.M. Olsson	5
F.S. Cornish	9	S.R. Pontifex	7
C.V. Drew	6	R.W. Sallis	6
B.M. Gibbs	8	T.M. Siegele	9
Dr R.J. Hall	10	A.D.C. Walker	10
L.W. Hoad	10	P.H. Wise	6

Finance

The financial statements of the Association are shown separately but you will see the strong performance of our investments again this year.

Sponsorship once again has been increased from last year with the help of the following companies; Gerard Industries, Chapel Hill Wines, Coopers Brewery, Trims, Ernst & Young and Solitaire Automotive. This allows us to continue subsidising the Annual Dinner as well as country and interstate dinners.

Branch and Country Dinners

Again these dinners have been well supported but can only continue to be successful with the support from those within the areas of the dinners. Some 14 dinners have been held this year covering the globe from London to Victor Harbor. To the local, interstate and overseas conveners, as well as those from the Committee who helped put these dinners together, I thank you. The School must also be thanked for continuing to support these dinners with a representative at many of these events, keeping those in attendance up to date with the current direction, achievements and general news from the School.

Old Scholars' Week

This week in the School's and Association's calendar continues to build from strength to strength.

Well over 1500 Old Scholars took part in a variety of ways, from attending the Annual Dinner, Old Old Boys' Assembly and the Family Service to participating in sporting events.

The Annual Dinner

This year's Annual Dinner was held on Friday 1 August. Over 500 Old Scholars attended an enjoyable evening and were well entertained by our guest speaker, Mr Peter FitzSimons, a former Australian Rugby representative, author and current media identity. In his final year at Princes, Mr Milton Haseloff, representing the School, responded to my toast to the School. Milton's words in response were indeed those of a man who has a bond with and knowledge of the School and who has continued to place the education of its students, in many cases, before his own personal life.

Family Service/Old Old Boys' Assembly

These two events continue as an integral part of Old Scholars' Week. While the numbers at the Family Service were down somewhat, the numbers attending the Old Old Boys' Assembly continue to reflect the strong ties that those Old Scholars have with their School, the School of today.

Contests Versus Saints

Fourteen sporting events took place this year with the result an overall advantage to "Princes" 10 to 4. With over 300 Old Scholars taking part in these events, it still shows the bond that we, as Old Scholars, have with our School, as well as the desire to compete against our old rival Saint Peters.

Sporting Clubs

Our sporting clubs also continue to provide Old Scholars with an avenue to participate in activities year round. Football, Cricket, Basketball, Hockey and Squash are but a few of the various sports that the Association can offer its members. Good results continue from all our sporting clubs over all grades and we thank all those who participate to make it happen.

Social Functions

Along with the country and interstate dinners the Committee held two major social functions this year. Our first was held in March and was a joint function for the Saints and Princes committee members and partners. This event was held in the Prince Philip Theatre and was a great night. On the Wednesday night of Old Scholars' Week, we played host to the members of the Saints Committee at a function held in the Ridings Room at Adelaide Oval. This was a particularly special night, as Saints, celebrating their 150th year were presented with a special memento from the Association showing the bond between the two schools.

Our Patron

Dr Webber has again made a significant contribution to the Association and its activities. Supported by Beverley, he continues to provide a strong link between the School and the Association.

The attendance of Dr and Mrs Webber at many of our functions and dinners is always welcomed by our members. Mention should also go to Mr Milton Haseloff and many other members of staff who filled in for Dr Webber throughout the year while he took study leave.

Conclusion

It has been a great honour for me to serve you as your President this year. I, with the help and support of a strong Committee, have endeavoured to continue the fine work carried out by our predecessors over so many years. I have enjoyed every moment of my time as President.

A.D.C. Walker
President 1996/97

Our President 1998

David Blanch attended Prince Alfred College from 1963-1975. During his time at PAC David was Captain of the School, a Cadet under officer, played football, intercol cricket and was a member of the combined athletics team for five years.



PAOC President - David Blanch

After leaving the School he studied Economics at Flinders University, graduating in 1978. David then joined the National Bank and spent three years with the bank in different departments before heading overseas.

In 1984 he completed a Graduate Diploma in Accountancy and joined his family's Industrial Supply Company as an accountant. He is currently the financial director, and has overseen the transformation of the Company from distributor to manufacturer with operations in Adelaide, Melbourne and Sydney.

David played football and squash for five years with the Old Reds before football injuries eventually required an early retirement. He has been involved with the Old Scholars' Committee for the last four years, heading the Sponsorship and Country Dinner sub-committees.

David is married to Annabel and they have two boys, Nicholas and Tom in the Preparatory School at Prince Alfred College. David's interests include playing tennis, being involved in a red wine tasting group and watching his sons playing sport.

President's Message

It is a great honour to be elected as President of the Association in its 120th year.

The Association has a long and proud history and I look forward to continuing the work of my predecessors in maintaining the strength and vitality of the Association. I am fortunate to have been entrusted with an Association that is in a very sound financial position and extremely well managed. This strength will allow the Committee to tackle with considerable confidence the challenges as they present themselves over the next twelve months and beyond.

The Committee continues to place the Association and the College as its priority and looks forward to finding new ways to serve its members, such as the scholarships offered for the son of an Old Scholar at Year 10.

The Old Scholars' Association is an integral part of the wider Princes community and looks to play its part in engendering friendship and unity through the Reunions, the Annual, Country and Interstate Dinners, through our strong

Sporting Clubs and through many other activities like the "Old Old Boys"' Assembly, an enduring and unique symbol of the strong bond that is forged between the different generations of the School.

For my part as President, I look forward to meeting many Old Scholars of all generations over the next twelve months at our various functions and help maintain and increase their interest and knowledge in our great School and their Association.

In conclusion I would like to thank our retiring committeemen, Vern Drew, Ian Ide and Sam Pontifex for their input into the Committee over the last few years and in particular I would like to acknowledge the work of Past President Peter Bacciarelli, whose energy and wisdom has been one of the reasons for the continued strength of the Committee in recent times.



Prep School short talk competition
The nine finalists with Master in Charge, Mr Ian Penny.

Prince Alfred Collegians Lodge

For the members of Prince Alfred Collegians Lodge 1997 began with an enjoyable social event which was held at the property of Wpl. Bro Max Raggatt at Silver Sands. This event was a fundraiser to enable the Lodge to present a $1,000 award to a student in Year 10. This award was presented later in the year by W.M. Jim Nelson to Ben Darsow.

Our Old Boys' night was again held in the Prince Philip Theatre when fifty Old Reds from city and country lodges gathered. Retiring Deputy Headmaster, Milton Haseloff, responded to the toast to the School and President Alistair Walker responded to the toast to the Association.

The Preparatory School short talk competition, which is sponsored by the Lodge was won by Aaron Garry. The standard of speaking from the year 7 students was exceptionally high.

On 7 October Rt. Wpl. Bro Murray Olsson installed Wpl. Bro Frank Cornish as Master. The exemplary work presented by past masters of the Lodge on this occasion was much appreciated by the large number of visitors who attended.



PAC Lodge 90th installation
From Left: Graham Bollenhagen (Ass. Grand Director of Ceremonies), Frank Cornish (W.M.), Bill Walton (Junior Grand Warden), Max Raggatt (PAS Director of Ceremonies) and Murray Olsson (Installing Master).

This year the PAC Lodge reaches a significant milestone in its history. It celebrates ninety years of service to freemasonry in South Australia with a very proud record of its members who have occupied senior and responsible positions in the governing body "Grand Lodge". Well remembered teaching staff who have served the Lodge with distinction are Chapple, Bayly, Ward, Potts, Steele, W.L. Davies, Mutton, Lear and Kitto. In more recent years Murray Olsson, Kevin Parkinson and Kyle Waters have upheld the name of PAC in Grand Lodge. During the coming year it is anticipated that a celebration to mark our ninetieth year will be held. To assist in making such an event successful it would be appreciated if Old Scholars who are members of other Lodges, city, country or interstate, would forward names, addresses and telephone numbers to W.M. Frank Cornish, 25 Red Road, Blackwood, 5051, phone 8278 2352 (h) or Secretary Peter Broadbent, 5 Coppins Terrace, Fulham Gardens, 5024, phone 8356 4780.

Membership of the Lodge is open to Old Scholars, fathers and step-fathers, grandfathers and step-grandfathers of past and present scholars. Enquiries regarding membership would be welcomed by the brethren whose phone numbers are listed above.

New Old Boys Get Together

The 1997 New Old Boys function held on Friday 21 February was one of the most successful held in recent years.

Eighty three boys attended their first Old Scholars function at the Headmaster's residence on a very hot Friday evening.

The format of the evening this year was very informal to allow boys to mingle freely and socialise amongst their friends and representatives from Old Scholar Sporting Clubs.

Upon arrival each boy was presented with a New Old Scholar tie and this was well received.

Dr Brian Webber welcomed the group and invited President, Alistair Walker, to talk about the Sporting Clubs.

A special thanks to Brian and Beverley Webber for the use of their residence as well as Craig Parham and the catering staff for their excellent service.

Purely Personal

John Irvine (PAC 1980-91) has been elected President of the Isaacs Law Society at the University of Canberra. He has just completed a Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting degree and is currently in his final year of his Law degree.

John Wibberley (PAC 1983-85) was nominated for four major awards at this year's 25th anniversary of the Toyota Country Music Awards held in Tamworth, NSW in January, including the Australasian Performing Rights Association award for song of the year.

Marcus Thompson (PAC 1986-90) has been awarded one of the two Commonwealth Scholarships provided by the British High Commission in Canberra, allowing him to undertake a Masters of Law degree at Cambridge University in the U.K.

Dan Jenson (PAC 1988-92) is currently ranked No. 18 in the World Squash Rankings following recent wins in the 1997 Australian Open over World No. 2 Rodney Eyles and in the 1997 British Open over World Nos. 4 and 9 before bowing out in the quarter finals.

Travis Henderson (PAC 1991-92) has recently been appointed Development Officer for Hockey S.A.

Bern Basedow (PAC 1942, Staff 1961-81) is President, Don Davies (PAC 1934-42) is Secretary and Peter Murray (PAC 1939-44) is Tour Organiser of the Glen Osmond Probus Club.

Chris Uren (PAC 1978-82) recently travelled to the U.K., France, Canada and the USA under a Churchill Fellowship, where he researched issues relating to the involvement of indigenous people in the Mining industry.

Simon Casson (PAC 1977-92) has won the S.A. Portrait Photographer of the Year award for the second successive year.

Graham Elford (PAC 1940-43) was recently honoured by the International Astronomical Union for his work in meteor astronomy, meteor physics and atmospheric physics at the University of Adelaide with their naming of Minor Planet (4974) Elford. This asteroid revolves around Mars and was discovered on 14 June 1990.

Craig Hocknull (PAC 1987-89) recently graduated in the top 1% of his class from Jackson State University, Mississippi, with a Bachelor of Science degree in Therapeutic Recreation.

Scott Litchfield (PAC 1977-81) is the Uniting Church's Commission for Mission representative in the newly convened Celebrating Diversity Coalition set up to promote racial tolerance in South Australia.

Brian Ng (PAC 1985-91) was awarded the (Adelaide) University Medal in the Engineering & Mathematical Sciences division, on completion of his B.E. (Electrical & Electronic) (Hons) degree.

Sam Whittle (PAC 1983-90) was awarded the (Adelaide) University Medal in the Health Sciences division, on completion of his MBBS (Hons) degree.

Dunning Plaque

A special service of commemoration for the late John Angus Dunning was conducted by the Reverend Kyle Waters at the old Kent Town Methodist Church on Sunday, 24 November 1996. The Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association donated a plaque to be placed at the Church, in recognition of Mr Dunning's service to the School as Headmaster between 1949 and 1969 and also for his service to the Church.

Committee Cocktails

On Friday 21 March 1997, 18 Committee members and their partners enjoyed a wonderful evening of entertainment and hospitality at the home of the President.

With a fine selection of nibbles and a plentiful supply of refreshments, the evening went well and lasted long into the night.

Many continued to stay well into the late hours, enjoying the football final on the TV and getting the chance to catch up with each other at this, the first official function of the year.

Annual Dinner

Once again the highlight of Old Scholars' Week for most Old Scholars was the Annual Dinner held again at the Convention Centre. This year it was attended by around 600 Old Scholars.

Junior Vice President, Peter Crouch, was the Master of Ceremonies for the evening. After grace from the visiting Chaplain, Dr Stephen Weisz, he introduced the President, Alistair Walker, who proposed a toast to the School.

We were indeed fortunate this year to have Milton Haseloff, in his last year at the School, respond on behalf of the School and reminisce on his 30 years at Prince Alfred College. His speech drew a standing ovation from all present, indicating the esteem in which he is held by Old Scholars, whether they attended the School during his years or not.

The guest speaker this year was Mr Peter Fitzsimons. Peter is a well respected columnist for the Sydney Morning Herald and the London Daily Telegraph, a television presenter on Fox Sports, has played rugby for Australia and written six best sellers. His contribution to the night was of the high standard we have come to expect from the professional speakers we have had at the dinner in the last few years.

The formalities having been completed at an early hour, the rest of the night was spent reminiscing with fellow Old Reds.



New Old Boys. Old Scholars' Dinner 1997
L-R: Wes Hall, Ben Martin, Rory Hancock, John Marsh, Sam Staker



1997 Annual Dinner official party with Peter Fitzsimons as guest speaker



Princes and Saints Committee Members inspect the "Dinner in the Trenches Plaque"



Joint Committee Dinner 1997

Joint Committee Dinner

The Joint Committee dinner was held on 23 July 1997 at the Ridings Room, Adelaide Oval with some 35 in attendance. On this occasion, the President of the Old Collegians' Association Mr Alistair Walker, presented his Saints counterpart, Mr Tony Keynes, with "Dinner in the Trenches" to mark their sesquicentenary celebrations. This work was a framed reproduction of the original menu from a dinner held by forty Old Reds and Old Blues on 7 July, 1917, in the French village of Amiens, not far from the trenches. The evening was a great success and enjoyed by all.

Old Old Boys' Assembly

One hundred and eighteen Old Scholars who attended PAC in 1937 or before were present at the Old Old Boys' Assembly at the School on Thursday 31 July 1997 at 10.30 am.

The Old Old Scholars, the President and Committee of the PAOCA who attended, were welcomed by the Acting Headmaster, Mr Milton Haseloff.

The Rev. Dr Stephen Weisz conducted the service.

The following homily given at the Old Old Boys' Assembly on 31 July 1997 by the Rev. Dr. Stephen R. Weisz, Visiting Chaplain from Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tennessee USA is based on Luke :41-52.

"The picture portrayed to us by the writer of the Gospel of Luke in which we see Jesus going up to the temple where all knowledge was to be found and where at a remarkably early age he can converse with the "top theologs" of his society is one that captures our attention. For in that event is housed all the hopes we have for a boy eager to have his questions answered and his curiosity solved. His enthusiasm excites even though we feel the pain of his parents who have lost him in the crowds and are searching for him. Boys of 12 can do remarkable things - they can surprise their parents and their teachers with the questions they can ask.

Something of that boyhood curiosity, as well as an inquiry into life's deepest mysteries, is what brings us together today. I must say the term "Old Old Boys" intrigued me from the moment I heard the term mentioned. How could grown, professionally successful men allow themselves to be called Old Boys? However, it came to me that the expression "how you doin' ole boy" has always been a way of how we express high regard for each other. I remember one of my professors, who I thought hardly took notice of me, patted me on the back in the dining room of Post College in my first term and how much it meant to me then and how that feeling has remained with me through the years. In a sense we are always boys at heart, perhaps because we never really want to grow old, but also because we are reluctant to let go of that sense of eagerness we felt when we too were going out into the world without our parents looking over our shoulders.

Can the boy Jesus approaching the Scribes still not serve as a role model for all of us? I think he can for two reasons. First, because he had a yearning to grow with God's favour. Early in life he sought God's guidance. He had undoubtedly learned in the synagogue the proverb "The Fear of the Lord is the beginning of Wisdom". Secondly, he wanted to grow in favour with man. He had learned early in life the importance of getting along with others, of interacting with others harmoniously. He had already observed - Unhappy is the man who cannot get along with those he meets along life's way.

Today we come together to celebrate the mission of Prince Alfred College which is to provide a community of learning that inspires its students to grow in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man. In the short time that I have been here I have seen a number of the students here grow. I know that they still have a long way to go, a long way indeed to go before they sit on this stage and be able to say "because I was once in this school I was given the direction and the impetus to live my life the way God wanted me to live it and along life's way I have done my best to live it accordingly and in that sense I have not been around too long to be called an Old, Old Boy."

May God bless those of you who have returned for the Old, Old Boys' Assembly at Princes, to recapture some of the spirit you felt when you were here during your growing years. May God bless you students today at Prince Alfred College who still have a long way to go in living your lives in such a way that you too will grow in wisdom and stature and in favour with God and man".

The President, Mr Alistair Walker, spoke to the assembly and also welcomed those present, after which all joined in singing Princes Men, the Prince Alfred College song and the Football song.

Apologies were read by the Acting Deputy Headmaster, Mr Roger Marshman and these included:-

D.S. Alvey, Dr D.R.R. Anderson, H.D. Andrews, R. Anthoney, R.J. Badcock, K.E. Barton, P.B. Bidstrup, H. Brock, K.S. Brown, Dr J.G. Bundey, W.B. Coombs, J.L.B. Cowan, G.R. Cowley, A. Crompton, L. Crompton, R. Crompton, G.F. Davey, D.L. Davies, R.C. Degaris, N.F. Denton, W. Dreyer, H.G. Eaton, H. Edelman, J.H. Gooch, B. Hawkes, W.W.M. Hurn, R. Jackett, A. Jacobs, A.H. Jessup, D.C. Jones, D. Kelly, Dr D. Kirkman, C. Le Page, I. Nicholson, A.E. Norman, R.H. Ockenden, N.W. Pemberton, R. Perkins, W.F. Sanders, D. Stretton, H.M. Stubbs, B. Thompson, J. Walter, B.H. Ware, J.W. Willsmore, Sir Harold Young.

In attendance:

1937
D. Bannister, K. Chinner, J.D. Haigh, G. Kelly, R. King, B. Kohler, A. Linton, K. Nicholls, P. Penna, D. Sandow, R. Selth, L. Williams, P. Williams.

1936
J.A. Cooper, R.G. Dunsford, R.J. Hill, G.M. Kneebone, B.A. Shields, D.L. Wiltshire.

1935
P.A. Dalwood, P.F. Edwards, A.F. Gray, R.G. Griffiths, S.W. Howland, Dr T.G. Kohler, Dr J.M. Linn, P. McBride, G.V. Morris, J.A. Nelson, C.G. Rogers, J.M. Shannon, J.S. Smith, S.D. Thomas, Dr J.C. Whitehouse.

1934
N.C. Finch, J.P. Keeves, J.C. Norman, R.W. Peters, W.C. Rowe, J.H. Stace, E.E. Wegener.

1933
J.G. Andrew, R.J. Andrew, B. Beilby, F.D. Bundey, G.J. Jones, D.R. Newman, J.A. Parham, I.B. Schafer, R.S. Stacy, E.J. Symons, M.B. Wellington.

1932
G.A. Bedford, J.W. Crompton, J. Hodge, M.W. Lowe, R.W. Michael, R.M. Stanford.

1931
P.N. Fleming, A.R.M. Matthews, A.G. Rowe, R.D. Walter, K.F. Wildy.

1930
Rev. A.H. Beames, F.S. Davies, K.M. Lowe, R.K. Masters, W.P. Monfries, J.W. Stain.

1929
C.F. Compton, J.H. Gerard, W.G. Gore, M.D. Linn, D. Trescowthick.

1928
E.G. Brennen, B.R. Sandow, J.E.C. Stephens, M.M. Wellington, M. Whitford.

1927
R.B. Craven, R.B. Cullen, K. Pelham, A.C. Shuttleworth, J.E. Wise.

1926
E.J. Ashby, R.C. Besley, R.B. Lower, H.M. Marshman, M.R. Wagner.

1925
K.W.C. Bauer, R.T. Hallett, D.O. Haslam, R.W. Mellor.

1924
J. Bungay, F.P. Nolan, M. Pontifex, A.R. Read.

1923
R.R. Coombs, F.F. Heddle, L.F. Walter, R.H. Wheeler.

1922
P. Crompton, G.H. Michell, E.T. Preece, E.C. Stephens.

1921
A.K. Johnson, C.A. Pitt, W.V. Smith.

1920
H.W. Hall, R.A. Symons.

1919
H.M. Adamson, R.C. Hall, F.C. Hassell, C.L. McKay, Dr D.S. Riceman.

1918
L.R. Badcock, H.T. Chapman.

1916
D.D. Harris



Angus Read, Max Pontifex, Sam Pontifex



Justin Hutton, Nathan Hallion, Geoff Bean, Clay Wheeler, Brendon Clothier



Colin Hassell, Colin McKay



Murray and Max Wellington



John Symons, Phil Williams, James Nelson, Bob Selth, Ron Andrew



Eric Ashby, Bob Dunsford



Brian Kohler,Theo Kohler, Geoff Jones



Joe Whitehouse, Lawrie Hoad, Garth Kelly



Reg Hall, Mrs Gwen Dunning



Mac and Fergus Adamson



Angus Read, Murray Olsson, Jack Parham.



Andrew Linn, Dr John Linn



Don Harris (PAC 1916-24)
Tommy Woolford (RIH) , Cameron Foster (R1H)



Marcus Wills, Sam Valkonen, Rex Wagner



Andrew Mooney, Ken Lowe, Robbie Dodd,
Ben Mooney



Max Wellington, Rev. Alan Beames,
Ron Cullen



Alistair Walker, Milton Haseloff and
Rev Dr Steve Weisz



Tom Nicholls, Tim Nicholls,
Dr Kel Nicholls,
Samuel Nicholls, Daniel Nicholls



Ben Mooney, Stephen Thomas, Keith Bauer,
Ryan Thomas



Colin McKay, Ross Coombs,
Reg Hall



Tommy Woolford, Don Harris, Hedley Chapman,
Cameron Foster



Devon Marshman, Max Marshman,
Tennyson Wickham

Lodge

The Old Scholars' Week meeting of Prince Alfred Collegians Lodge was held in the Prince Philip Theatre of Prince Alfred College on Saturday 2 August where thirty four brethren were in attendance.

We were pleased to welcome many brethren from country areas and one from interstate. Wpl Bro Ian Kelly assumed the Master's Chair for the working of a 2nd degree exemplification.

Acting Headmaster, Milton Haseloff, responded to the Toast to the School. President, Alistair Walker, responded to the Toast to the Association.

Reunion and Family Service

The Service was held in the School Chapel on Sunday 3 August 1997, and conducted by our exchange Chaplain, Rev Dr Stephen Weisz, who was visiting us from U.S.A.

The Chapel Choir was conducted by Robert Dawe, and the organist was Norman Inglis. The Director of Music was Mrs Pam Freeman.

The Captain of the School, Tennyson Wickham, and our President Alistair Walker, gave the readings. The Acting Headmaster, Mr Milton Haseloff read the "In Memoriam".

It was the 93rd Annual Service and although the attendance was down slightly, it was a very pleasant occasion.

Old Scholars' Week Sporting Results

Badminton	PAOC 6	def	SPOC 2
Basketball	PAOC 48	def	SPOC 40
Bridge	PAOC 4	def	SPOC 3
Chess	SPOC 5	def	PAOC 4
Football	PAOC 12.5 (77)	def	SPOC 5.8 (38)
Golf	PAOC 18	def	SPOC 17
Hockey	PAOC 8	def	SPOC 2
Snooker	SPOC 9	def	PAOC 7
Soccer	SPOC 5	def	PAOC 0
Squash	PAOC 12	def	SPOC 0

Badminton

The 1997 contest saw Princes win the match 7 rubbers 258 points to 2 rubbers 162 points, and retain their undefeated record of 24 consecutive wins for the John Bundey trophy.

The team of Meng Ling, Ian Harris, Terence Chin, David Olsson (Captain), Ian Wong and Simon Wong encountered some stiff opposition this year and as a result the competition was highly competitive at the PAC sports centre. Ultimately the greater experience and skill of the Princes team proved to be the winning formulae.

The team results were:

Mens Singles

1st - Ling defeated Sim 15/5;15/7

2nd - Harris defeated Foenandez 15/2;15/2

3rd - Chin lost to Lee 14/15;15/7;9/15

4th - Olsson defeated Goh S 15/4;15/8

5th - Wong I defeated Iyngkaran 15/7;15/4

6th - Wong S defeated Goh L 15/11;15/13

Mens Doubles

1st Ling and Chin defeated Sim and Iynhkaran 15/13;15/4

2nd Olsson and Harris defeated Goh S and Goh L 15/4;15/8

3rd Wong I and Wong S lost to Lee and Foenandez 7/15;3/15

At the conclusion of the contest the Bundey Cup was presented to our President Alistair Walker by the SPOC Vice President Tony Keynes.

David Olsson, the Chairman of the Badminton Club, convened the event and thanked all the participants and guests for their attendance and contribution to the success of the evening.

Basketball

The annual Old Scholars' Basketball Intercol was again a great success with around sixty basketballers from Princes and Saints competing in A, B, and C grade matches on Monday 21 July at PAC. Many supporters from both Schools were also in attendance and they witnessed high standard, keenly contested matches.

The A and B grade trophies were won by the Old Reds with the C grade won by Saints. Following the match, most players and supporters patronised the General Havelock Hotel where the PAOCBC sponsor, Trims Menswear, provided ample food and beverages to facilitate social interaction between the protagonists.

Many thanks must go to Trims for their valued support.

Bridge

The annual Old Scholars' Week Bridge competition was held at the Public Schools Club on Monday 21 July 1997.

Numbers were rather disappointing this year with only seven tables involved in the competition. It is hoped that 1998 will see a return of many of those who have played regularly over the years in order to keep the event viable.

Numbers notwithstanding, it was once again a most enjoyable evening. Princes secured a narrow victory, final scores being PAOC 4 tables; SPOC 3 tables.

The efforts of Brian McPhee in convening for Saints were greatly appreciated.

Chess

The annual Old Scholars' Week Chess competition was held at the Public Schools Club on Monday 21July 1997.

Once again the competition was intense. However, Saints were able to reverse the trend of recent years and achieve a narrow victory. Final scores were SPOC 5; PAOC 4.

The efforts of Robert Irving, convener for Saints were greatly appreciated.

Thanks once again to Michael Hihimanis who organised the team and also to the School for providing boards and clocks.

Football

The game this year was returned to a traditional mid week battle held at the main oval at Saints on Wednesday 23 July.

Both sides looked a little under done with a mixture of talent, age, youth and experience. As both teams ran onto the oval it looked a forgone conclusion that SPOC would take home the trophy again as they had done the previous year.

At the first bounce the red machine leapt into action stunning the opposition with quick movement of the ball and strong overhead marking. At the end of the quarter the Reds had outscored the Blues 5.4 to 1.2 thanks to good efforts by Steve Glenney and David Treloar and big Marcus "Ossie Joe" Wills in the ruck assisted by Ben Cox.

The second quarter showed a different picture. The Blues began to claw back into the game booting five goals to one. At the long break we held a slender lead by one point 6.4 to 6.3.

The third quarter went into action supported by a 150 strong section of school boys and the game hotted up. Both sides

were beginning to tire and the game became tense. Thanks to the efforts of David "Double Trigger" Treloar, Tom Davies and old war horses like Rob Parkinson, the Reds stepped up a notch and powered away kicking five goals to three points extending the lead to a match winning position. Three quarter time score, PAC 11.4 to SPOC 6.6.

In the last quarter it was a struggle to remain on our feet and the game was slogged out to the end, with the Reds victors by five goals.

Final scores: PAOC 12.6
SPOC 7.9

Best players were D. Treloar, R. Parkinson, S. Glenney and M. Wills.

Thanks to all those who played and to Alistair Walker for coaching us to victory. Thanks also to Peter Harrington and Skinny Eye at Saints for their help with organisation of the event.

Golf

At last the golf cup is now back at PAC after an absence of some 14 years. And what a day it was right down to the wire with PAC winning by two matches very late in the day. In fact, we needed to win three of the last four matches to win, and that we did.

Win lose or draw, it is always a top day at Royal Adelaide and once again we must thank them for helping us have such a good match. At this time, a special thanks to club manager Bruce Scott who really looks after both schools even though he is, a very vocal, one of us. Good to see Bruce in school uniform this year. We told him it still fitted but Bruce we were playing with the truth!! However, just the sight of Scott in uniform must have been enough to turn the tide. Thanks for many years of help and guidance Bruce, the new guy has big boots to fill!

We had a full field of some 176 players and the final score was 18 to 20 with six squared matches. This is a day that really shows the strong ties between our schools and although it was good to win, it really makes little difference to the day.

Thank you Blues for another day of friendship and competition.

Next year golf will be on Monday 27 July, the change to Monday being necessary because the golf club is no longer available on Tuesdays. Do yourself a favour and make a note in your diary to phone Royal Adelaide and book late in April 1998 and avoid the disappointment that many experienced this year. DO IT NOW!

Snooker

The Old Reds Snooker team, keen for revenge, ventured to a new venue, the convivial surroundings of the Naval and Military Club to do battle with Saints on Thursday 24 July for the Bill Bruce Trophy.

Sadly, after an excellent start and a very even keenly fought contest interspersed with some fine food, many a story and a glass or two of red wine, we fell away as the night progressed and again saw the trophy slip from our grasp and SPOC secured another win which will make our players even more determined next year.

Soccer

The annual Inter-Association soccer match was this year hosted by the Old Reds and was held on Sunday, 27 July 1997 on the Front Oval at PAC.

It was the first time in some years that the Old Reds had hosted the fixture and the change of venue from Victoria Park Racecourse to the more salubrious setting of the Front Oval was warmly received by the Visitors. The Holy Grail of this fixture, the John Roe Cup travelled to Prince Alfred College for the first time since 1989 and as the match commenced, it became apparent that this journey would be a brief one and it would soon be returned to more familiar surroundings.

Our boys had played the day before in their regular Collegiate League fixtures whilst some quirk of programming had left the Saints players fully refreshed and this hunger translated into two goals in the first five minutes of play. Quite clearly the Saints combination was better prepared and stamped its authority on the match from the first exchanges. The first half of the match was played almost entirely in the Princes half and weight of possession finally told with two further goals to the Blues from a succession of well worked passing manoeuvres.

Half time afforded our side the opportunity to regroup and examine ways to limit the damage in the second half. To their credit our boys were able to dig deep and displayed their renowned character to be far more competitive in the second stanza. We were winning tackles and despite lacking the potency of the opposition up forward, we were able to maintain our share of possession and territory. Saints did score once more in the half. However we were able to hold our heads high in the knowledge that we had held out admirably against a far fresher opponent with several of our key players missing through injuries sustained during the regular season.

Debutant Sam Staker was clearly our best player with his typically relentless running over the whole match to get to the ball and continually provide a contest for possession. Darious Coveney and Soo-Jin Leng were tight in defence and their experience was invaluable in stemming the rampant blue tide, especially in the first half. Steve Silver, our debutant goalkeeper had the equivalent job of trying to stop a raging flood with a bucket and spade, however he continued to throw himself about and deny Saints with desperate saves on many occasions.

All in all, the 5-0 result was disappointing even though our chaps knew they had their work cut out for them from the start. It will be important next year to attempt to ensure as level a playing field as possible if the match is to prove a more competitive one on the score sheet.

Squash

During Old Scholars' Week, PAOC again defeated SPOC in squash which PAOC have not lost in any year since 1967.

PAOC was well represented by Ben Gould, Matthew Jenson, Nick Smibert, Scott McGregor, Andrew Glazbrook, Brian Pomery, Robert Sallis, Brenton Hicks, Dr David Tamblyn, Craig MacIntosh, Dr Don Perriam and Rick Bond.

PAOC won the event 12 matches to nil with 11 of the 12 Old Red players winning their matches 3-0 and the remaining 12th player winning his match 3-1. Congratulations go to all Old Red players.

The President of PAOC, Alistair Walker, gladly received the Brian Fricker trophy from Mr Brian Fricker and thanked the players for the good spirit in which they played their games.

In the traditional fashion, everyone enjoyed an excellent supper and presentation after the matches were played.

As there was no further room on the Brian Fricker Trophy to affix any further badges after 1994, Brian Fricker in his usual generous manner offered to donate a new Cup for the event. The only three badges which now appear on the new Brian Fricker Cup are the PAOC badges for 1995, 1996 and 1997. The Squash Club and the Old Scholars intend to ensure that no SPOC badges are ever affixed to the new Cup.

Rob Sallis, the Chairman of the Squash Club, convened the event and thanked all the guests, participants and spectators for their attendance and contribution to the success and atmosphere of the evening.

Sports Club Reports

Badminton Club

In the 1996/97 summer competition there were three teams - one A grade, one B grade and one C grade. I am pleased to report that the A grade team won the premiership and the C grade side finished third.

The Club entered four teams in the 1997 winter season, (two in State League, one in A1, one in B1). State League Red finished 5th, with the State League White team finishing 6th. A1 and B1 had good seasons and were fortunate enough to reach the finals. A 1 won the winter premiership and B1 finished third.

The Club is currently fielding two sides in the 1997/98 summer competition.

Membership has been constant around fifty people. This includes fourteen junior members (U19) and six sub junior members. I am particularly pleased with the progression of junior development and the integration of our young players into a SABA junior team competition.

School Liaison - the Club retained a close link with the School, providing court officials for the intercol match against Saints. In addition Meng Ling retained his coaching role throughout the year with the badminton intercol squad.

Club Practice/Coaching Report - numbers remained constant during the year and allowed the coaching panel to offer individual and group coaching for juniors and seniors. During the later part of the year Jo Gell and Damian Crothier achieved part accreditation for their level 1 coaching qualification.

Social Programme/Fundraising - there was a successful social programme this year. This included a ten pin bowls night in August, a doubles tournament in September and a Coriole Winery bus tour in November. In addition the Club undertook a Cadbury chocolate fundraising campaign under the control of Christine Manuel.

Club Tournament - the Club held its first open doubles tournament in September and attracted a good field of entries. Special thanks to the tournament committee for their efforts in organising the event.

Achievements - State representatives - Meng Ling in the Senior State team. Sam Goodwin in the State Under 19 team. Tim Chong and Ryan Manuel in the State Under 17 team.

In conclusion, I would like to thank the School for their on-going support and particularly the use of the facilities at the sports stadium.

The Club trains at the School every Sunday morning from 11.00 am to 1.00 pm. Any person interested in playing for the Club should contact David Olsson on 8431 1315 (h) or 8204 9104 (w).

Basketball Club

The Basketball Club has had another good year in 1997. Continued growth in playing numbers and overall interest in the sport has been very encouraging. There were many highlights in 1997, however, undoubtedly the most unusual and exciting was the improbable win of a new car by Daniel Garrett at half time of an Adelaide 36'ers game at the Clipsal Powerhouse. Plucked from obscurity in the crowd at the game, Daniel was given the opportunity to take three shots in a row to win the car:- one from the free throw line, one from the three point line, and one from the half line. He made all three shots and the rest is history.

The Saturday "A's" had a difficult year finishing in sixth position of the South Australian Church Basketball Association's A Grade competition. Injuries and unavailability due to work commitments were the thorn in the A's side this year. Despite these (and other) difficulties the team held together and all members are to be congratulated for the immense depth of character and commitment to each other that they showed. At the Annual Presentation Dinner Sarang Katdare was named the A's Most Valuable Player, with Tom Lunn Best Team Man and Chris Mann Most Consistent Player.

The Saturday "B's" had a good season overall finishing the minor round in sixth position and missing out on the finals by the slimmest of margins - one percent. The B's have a great future to look forward to with many of the younger players stepping up to the challenge this season. Sean Fowler was named the B's Most Valuable Player, with Matt Angus Most Improved Player and Chris Spry Most Consistent Player.

The Saturday "C's" had a difficult year after being promoted to a higher grade and losing a couple of their more experienced players. They soldiered on regardless in true Princes spirit and finished the year in seventh place. Chad Ferguson was named the C's Most Valuable Player, with Ben Palk Best Team Man and Peter Zeibarts Most Consistent Player.

The newly formed Saturday "D" team were entered in the "Southern 2" grade and were the most consistent of all Old Scholars Basketball teams in terms of playing numbers and attendance at training.

Despite only winning two games during the season, the guys in the D team were the most enthusiastic and reliable individuals and have gone on to form the core of the





Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Basketball Club summer team which plays on Thursday nights at the new MARS centre on Lower Portrush Road. Troy Tirrell was named the D's Most Valuable Player, with James Hill Best Team Man and Paul Stockle Most Improved Player.

The Monday evening team had quite a good year, finishing fifth of twelve teams. The only barrier to an excellent performance for this team is getting five guys on the court each week.

The Wednesday "Social" team played at Forestville Stadium this year, again with great success, again reaching the Grand Final only to lose to a more experienced team on the night. Another great effort by the "Crazy Wednesday" crew who will all be much better players for the experience. Chris Woodrow was named the Most Valuable Player for the Winter season, with Ed Reddin Best Team Man and Andrew Kwan Most Consistent Player.

The Thursday team again played at Forestville Stadium in the Men's competition and had a somewhat topsy turvy season, defeating the top ranked teams whilst losing to a few of the cellar dwellers. At the end of the minor round the team was placed fifth. This meant that the Division 2 finals would be the Thursday team's only chance at glory. This opportunity was grasped with both hands by the team when, after a shaky start, they went on to record an emphatic Grand Final victory and take home the prized B.A.S.A. wine glasses. Team Captain and Club stalwart Sean Heylen was all but overcome by the moment as a member of his third Premiership winning team in as many years; the "three-peat" complete. Martin Vandenberg was named the team's Most Valuable Player, with Stephen Leeds Best Team Man and David Woodcock Most Improved Player.

Andrew Williams was named the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Basketball Club Champion for 1997. He received the perpetual trophy in recognition of his service to the Saturday "A" and Wednesday teams, particularly in the areas of scoring, rebounding, defence and also his regular attendance at practice and committee meetings.

The annual Old Scholars' Basketball Intercol was again a great success with around sixty basketballers from Princes and Saints competing in A, B and C grade matches. Many supporters from both Schools were also in attendance and they witnessed high standard, keenly contested matches.

The A and B grade trophies were won by the Old Reds with the C grade won by Saints. Following the match, most players and supporters patronised the General Havelock Hotel where the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Basketball Club sponsor, Trims Menswear, provided ample food and beverages to facilitate social interaction between the protagonists.

Many thanks must go to Trims for their valued support throughout the year.

The Club trains on Tuesday evenings between March and October from 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm at the School gym. Any Old Scholars interested in playing for the Club can attend training or contact Sean Heylen on 0419809929 (mob) or 8362 8333 (h), or Simon Miller on 018853 633 (mob) or 8269 4594 (h).

Old Scholars' Golf

Our annual golf day was held at Kooyonga Golf Club on Monday 3 March, 1997 and what a great day it was! The management at Kooyonga was, as usual, everything a convener could ask for, even to organising the weather so it was not too hot for our large field. For this help and the condition of the course, we can not thank the Kooyonga people enough.

We could not be so successful without our more than generous sponsors who should get a special mention for their continued support and we must ask that the Old Scholars think of supporting these people when the occasion arises. The First National Bank of Chicago helps every year. Hopefully, they will send a representative to have a round next year. Gerard Industries, Trims and Coopers Brewery are always in there helping not only on Golf Day but at nearly every event in which the Old Scholars are involved. Thank You does not seem enough. The Golf Centre supplies every player with a new ball to start the round. Maybe next year Grant will supply those balls that only go straight and can not



Daniel Garrett with his old car and his brand new car

be lost. Coca-Cola were a most welcome new sponsor and along with Coopers and the help of Murray Olsson distributing drinks around the course, no one went thirsty. Also Knight Frank (SA) Pty Ltd help each year and we are happy to see their representative take his place in our field.

This year we also had a guest four of people who are keen golfers and have helped the School in past years. Thanks to John Scardigno for looking after those people who, although not Old Scholars, have had boys at the School and still contribute after their boys have left. These people are often forgotten and could be included at other events.

Our winners were:

Best Stableford Round:	Tony Buttery
Four Ball aggregate:	Tony Buttery and Grant Harris
Best Front 9:	Crawford Hill
Best Back 9:	S. Tanner
Best off the stick:	Tony Buttery and Crawford Hill
Longest Drive: (I still think he hit it twice!)	Harry Perks
Nearest the pin 3rd hole:	Dave Thomas
Nearest the pin 14th hole:	Harry Moore

Wally of the Day: Vern Drew for throwing a pitching wedge at an over inquisitive fox and snapping the wedge in half while the said fox still looked on - WELL DONE!

Thanks must finally go to Robbie Miller and his staff for their invaluable help and professional guidance during the day. Not bad for a "Blue Boy".

PS We had more than a full field with some 86 players so put next year's date in your diary NOW 2 March 1998 and book as early as possible.

Tennis vs Saints

Saints again proved far too strong in retaining the E T Rowe Cup by a convincing margin when this year's contest was held at Saints on Wednesday afternoon 19th February 1997.

This year's event was notable for being the first occasion when the event commenced at 4.00 pm, but with the afternoon temperature being in the low 40s, this was a welcomed initiative. The change in start time was a great help to the Princes team who had a number of players unavailable for the normal 1.00 pm start, and the willingness of the Saints team to agree to the later start time was appreciated.

Most matches were competitive but Saints completed the first round with a convincing lead of 5 matches to 1. The reverse doubles were not much different, the final result being 11 matches to 1.

Several of the players from both sides were adversely affected by the extreme heat. However all matches were played in good spirit. Despite this it was a good event and the hospitality of Saints was greatly appreciated.

The Saints team should be congratulated for setting such a high standard in recent years; it certainly will set a great challenge for the Princes team to aim for in the years to come.

Bowls vs Saints

The Annual Bowls contest was played at the Adelaide Bowling Club on Thursday 13 February. It was a beautiful evening.

After some anxiety as to the PAOC numbers, Peter Broadbent fielded an almost complete team, one which yet again proved to be the winner, the final score being PAOC 184 - SPOC 110.

Our thanks to the Adelaide Bowling Club for their continuing support of this event and particularly to President, Brian Gum and his wife Betty for their hard work.

This event was, as usual, a night of fun, fellowship and friendly rivalry and was much enjoyed by all players.

Cricket Club

The Cricket Club had a disappointing year on the field with our A and B grade teams both finishing bottom of their divisions. This probably did not reflect on the true performances of both sides, as they were unlucky not to win more matches. We are sure that by dropping down a grade and with an influx of new players that they both will return to the winners' list regularly and give the Club the success we need to re-establish ourselves as a force in the Adelaide Turf Cricket Association.

Individual performances of note for the A grade were by Phil Schultz 319 runs, Sean Tanner 302 runs, and Sam Pontifex 33 wickets at 17 runs each including figures of 7/83 versus Adelaide High Old Scholars.

For the B's Tom Cashman was the season's top scorer with 279 runs and Antony Brabham took 27 wickets. Steve Viney made a fine century, 106 runs versus Richmond Clarence Park.

The C grade team made the Grand Final in the 'E' grade competition only to lose narrowly to a very good Adelaide High Old Scholars side. It was a good year for PAOC who finished second at the end of the minor round and won the semi-final in dominating fashion. Special note must be made of the individual performance by Greg Sanders. Greg had a splendid season finishing with 662 runs at an average of 60, including 2 centuries, both not out. He easily won the 'E' grade batting aggregate award presented at the ATCA dinner. Brenton Gibbs scored 353 runs and Andrew Heitmann regained the bowling trophy with 30 wickets.



Brooke Nottage, Mark Schwartz, Gordon Schwartz and Tom Hawkes

For our 1-day team in LO 'C' grade Andrew Winter scored 321 runs in another good performance. Andrew Fraser scored a century, 105 versus Rostrevor. John Turner was the leading wicket taker with 23 wickets. The team had an enjoyable season, missing out on the finals, but won their share of matches.

The Redman of the year award for the outstanding individual season performances in each competition was awarded to Sam Pontifex for the 2-day competition and to John Turner for the 1-day competition. Congratulations to both these players for their fine seasons. The Moffat trophy for the best team man also was awarded to Sam Pontifex with Ned Pontifex being awarded the Olsson Trophy for best fielder in the A grade.

Off the field we had a good year socially with the highlight being the past players' day held at Tregenza Oval. Four sides competed in a limited over format for the Stormy Waters trophy named in honour of club stalwart Bob Waters. Stormy was on hand to present his trophy to the victorious captain Greg Sanders. Thanks must be expressed to Sam Pontifex for organising this fabulous day which will continue to figure prominently on our calendar. It was pleasing to see so many past players enjoy themselves and renew old friendships.

Cricket vs Saints

St. Peters had not won the Chester Bennett Trophy since 1990 and 1997 saw this trend of Princes domination continue.

State selection had deprived the side of players Johnson, Arnold and Watson. However we were still able to field the following highly-credentialed team:

Sam Hosking (Captain), Nathan Clarke, Sean Tanner, Andrew Fraser, Tim Weatherald, Will Rayner, Scott Cunningham, Tom Martin, Alex Katsaros, Sam Rosewarne and Todd Ferguson.

Princes won the toss and sent Saints in to bat on a perfect pitch on the Main Oval at St. Peters College. Saints achieved the modest score of 161 for the loss of seven wickets from their allotted 45 overs. Best with the ball for Princes was Sam Hosking with 3/28 although debutant Will Rayner was perhaps the most impressive with 2/17 from 6 overs of left arm orthodox spin. Other contributors were Sean Tanner with 1/16 and the unlucky Scott Cunningham with 1/35 from 9 overs.

In reply, Princes had to overcome a poor start, being 2/6 before steady batting in partnerships in the middle order saw us achieve the Saints total in the 43rd over. Sam Rosewarne batted for 81 minutes for 41 at the top of the order, joining with Sean Tanner (48) in a partnership of 82 for the third wicket. Measured hitting from Scott Cunningham (31) and Tom Martin (22 n.o.) took our side to victory in relative comfort with the loss of 7 wickets, perhaps flattering the Saints attack.

Chester Bennett was on hand to formally present his Trophy to the Princes side. Chester once again reminded all the players of the valuable role which they and their respective colleges had played and would continue to play in the development of cricket in this State.

Special thanks to the inimitable Bob "Stormy" Waters who once again was a lone hand at the scorers' table and who has become an integral part of this fixture in recent years.



Left to Right - Back Row: Chester Bennett, Tim Weatherald, Alex Katsaros, Sean Tanner, Andrew Fraser, Sam Hosking (Captain), Sam Rosewarne, Tom Martin, "Stormy" Waters (Scorer), Will Rayner. Front Row: Todd Ferguson, Scott Cunningham, Nathan Clarke.

Football Club

The 1997 season was one of mixed fortunes for the Old Scholars Football Club.

We fielded three teams in the newly structured Amateur League competition and to have two of those teams playing in the finals was pleasing. However, the A grade in Division 3, after being top all season, were disappointingly defeated in the Grand Final by Scotch, whilst the B grade in Division 3 Reserves were also beaten by Scotch in the Preliminary Final.

David Serotzki was again the A grade coach, and the team was ably led by Phil Sims. Some good pre season reuniting of school leavers and new blood as well as ex SANFL player Kym Russell, saw us jump the other teams and go through the minor round losing only three games and we were clearly the dominant team. A sound second semi final win saw us achieve one of our pre season aims of moving up to Division 2, but sadly we had an off day in the Grand Final and lost by a couple of goals.

Highlights of what was a very good consistent season for the A grade were Anthony Moyse winning the Division 3 Association Medal, Sean Tanner, Phil Sims, Tom Martin and Anthony Moyse all being selected in the State team, and Sean Tanner winning the Club Best and Fairest.

The B grade had a solid season under first year coach Rob Kermeen and Captain Marcus Bernardi. A grade injuries tested the Club's depth but we were still able to have a successful season, narrowly losing to Scotch in the last few minutes of the Preliminary Final after leading all day. Marcus Bernardi won the Club B grade Best and Fairest and Anthony Thompson won the Division 3 Reserves leading goal kicker.

Aaron Brasher had the difficult task of coaching the C grade, a job which he performed very capably. The C grade were competitive but lack of depth and playing numbers saw us finish mid table. Zac Morgan won the C grade Best and Fairest.

Our Annual Dinner was held in mid September and Life Membership Awards were presented at this Dinner to Phil Sims, David Cook, Phil Wise, Russell Stirling and Jim Girdler, and congratulations must also be extended to Alistair Walker and Russell Brealey who were also presented with certificates for playing 200 games.

I must also extend thanks to our Club sponsors for their very generous support and assistance. Coopers Brewery, Trims Menswear, Gerard Industries, Fielders Metal Products and the General Havelock Hotel all supported our Club.

The end of the 1997 season sees the retirement of a number of long serving committee members and support staff. Ron Carter retires having been head trainer for a number of years after initially coming to us as an A grade coach. Alistair Walker and Philip Wise also both retire from the committee. Both have served the Club tirelessly and enthusiastically both on and off the field over a number of years and will be missed. David Serotzki has been reappointed coach for the 1998 season and we all look forward enthusiastically to next year when we will be competing in Division 2, obviously a much higher competition which will test our ability and depth.

Any Old Scholars interested in playing for our Club or finding out more should contact Club Chairman Craig Moffat on 8379 9688.

Hockey Club

Once again our year started with summer hockey where the Club fielded teams jointly with Annesley in a mixed competition. All teams finished with excellent results with the highlight being a premiership in the under 14 pre Christmas competition.

The 1997 winter season saw a second under 18 team added to the list. We therefore fielded teams in Div 3, Div 5, U18A, U18B, U16, U14, and U12. This year the vision of those responsible for establishing the juniors was realised with 6 members of the 1996 1st XI being regular members of the Division 3 team. There were also other young Old Scholars in both senior teams.

The end reward was a minor premiership for the Division 3 team, although an unfortunate finals series saw them finish 3rd. The enthusiasm of the younger (and older) players is such that we are intending to submit a Division 2 team in 1998. Under 14 (4th) and under 12 (3rd) also finished in the finals. Well done to all.

Wine sales have once again formed the backbone of fundraising, although this year a very successful film night was held. This promises to become an annual event. Well done to all who have been involved.

The presentation luncheon this year reverted to a barbecue at the School with around 200 in attendance. I would like to thank all players, coaches, team managers and committee members for their continued efforts.

With the advent of Division 2 in 1998 we are seeking more players. We intend nominating Div 2, 3 and 5 so we need players of all standards, right across the board. If you are interested please contact Club Chairman, Tony Newman (h) 8379 4247 or Senior Co-ordinator Gav Roberts (h) 8332 2952.

Rowing vs Saints

On Saturday 15 March 1997 the South Australian Rowing Association in conjunction with the Heads of Rowing Schools reinstated the race for Old Scholars eights.

PAC, Saints, CBC, Pulteney and a composite Scotch/Pembroke crew started the race over 1000 metres at West Lakes. After a number of changes in the lead, the Scotch/Pembroke crew emerged victorious with PAC a close second and Saints third. The Scotch/Pembroke crew rowed by invitation as they were a composite crew, resulting in a victory to PAC with Saints second.

As a result PAC were presented with the Shannon trophy for Old Scholars eights and the Southcott shield for annual competition between PAC and Saints.

The PAC crew consisted of:

Bow	David Fielder
2	John Burfield
3	Tim Cook
4	Dougal Hislop
5	Monty Golding
6	Alistair McLachlan
7	Ben Reece
Stroke	Marcus Booth
Cox	Haydn Lyons

Soccer Club

In season 1997, the Club fielded two sides in the Collegiate Soccer League, in Divisions A1 and B1 respectively. The Club once again received an injection of youth and enthusiasm with the recruitment of further players directly from School and in fact was the second youngest Club competing in Division 1 of the Collegiate League. It is a mark of the loyalty and character of the members of the Club that new recruits such as James Mackie and Sam Staker remain involved with the Soccer programme at Princes as coaches of schoolboy teams. This relationship should

be the envy of other Old Scholars sporting clubs.

Other new players to the Club this year included Simon Fry, Daniel Eldic, Chris Keane, and Jim Underwood, whilst two quality schoolboy players and members of the School First XI, Captain Andy Timbs and Ammon Mackie were given a taste of Old Scholars soccer.

Statistically, the League results for the Season were as follows:

	Played	Won	Lost	Drew	Position
As	18	10	5	3	3/10
Bs	18	1	14	3	10/10

In the Collegiate Cup Competition, the As had the considerable advantage of progressing to the quarter finals without taking the field, thanks first to a bye and then a forfeit. They then beat Woodcroft away and Rostrevor in the semi finals to reach the Cup Final against Division 1 League Champions, University Blue. Our side led 1-nil at half time and retained this advantage until 20 minutes from the end of the match when a dubious penalty turned the momentum of the match. The penalty was duly converted and once renewed, University then capitalised on two defensive lapses to finish over the top of our side with a 3-1 win.

In the regular "showpiece" game for the season, the Club lost to Saints Old Scholars 5-nil in the Old Scholars Intercol, played for the first time on the Front Oval at Princes. This again was a spirited game, however the considerable advantage Saints held by not playing a regular League match the preceding day, was certainly a factor. The match was effectively decided in the first five minutes of play, when a clearly more invigorated Saints combination put two goals in the net, adding a further two towards the end of the first half.

The second half was far more competitive, with out goalkeeper Steve Silver making many miraculous saves and Sam Staker continuing to compete relentlessly for the fifty-fifty balls in midfield. the experience of Darius Coveney and Soo-Jin Leng in defence stemmed what threatened at one stage to become a rampant blue tide of Saints forward moves. Our lads finished the match knowing they had lost to a better side on the day but wondering if better preparation and a level playing field may have seen a different result.

The annual presentation dinner and Best and Fairest count was held on 2 October 1997 at the General Havelock Hotel, as it was last year. Approximately thirty players and partners attended an enjoyable and at times boisterous evening upstairs in the private dining area. The highlight of the evening was the spirited and at times desperate bidding for players in the auction for the A Grade Best and Fairest count as individuals attempted to procure some insurance against private bets taken out on the winner of the award.

The individual honours presented were as follows:

A Grade	
Best and Fairest	Soo-Jin Leng
B Grade	
Best and Fairest	Sam Staker
Most Improved	Nick Timbs
Best First Year Player	Steve Silver
Best Team Man	
A Grade	Mark Collins
Top Goal Scorer	Nick Timbs (20 goals)

It is worth noting that the A grade scored 42 goals this season, a marked improvement on last year when Chris Benson, playing at fullback was the top scorer with 8. Nick Timbs has been a revelation this year and is in line to receive the Collegiate League "Golden Boot" award for the overall top scorer, an honour which would be a deserved acknowledgement of his precocious scoring talent.

The Havelock Hotel was the Club's sponsor for the season. This sponsorship allowed subscriptions to be set at the reasonable level of $90 and the Club had 25 registered players at this level.

In all the Club used some 35 players over the season and it is worthy of note that, with the exception of some players who only played the odd game, virtually all Club members attended the presentation dinner.

On a personal note, I would like to congratulate debutant Club Coach Graham Butterworth on a tremendous season of personal commitment in all areas of the Club. There is little doubt that the Club's success this year is a reflection of the energy he has devoted to the job as well as the perennial invaluable contribution of Club Secretary, Peter Ingman. Congratulations also to Club stalwarts Chris Benson, Mark Collins and Todd Brown each of whom this season played their 100th game for the Club.

All in all the Club had a remarkably successful season, from both a results perspective and in providing once again, an enjoyable environment for Old Scholars to foster friendships based on a common interest in the game and the School. In this role the Soccer Club is at the very least, the equal of any of the Old Scholar sporting clubs.

Squash Club

The Squash Club once again had an extremely successful and enjoyable year in 1997.

The Squash Club had teams in the 1996 Spring and 1997 Autumn Coca-Cola Pennant and, after finals were contested, the positions were:

1996 SPRING PENNANT

TEAM	POSITION
State 4	3rd
State 5	8th
Div 3 S	3rd
Div 4 M	1st
Div 4 M	1st
Div 4 M	6th
Div 4 E	4th

1997 AUTUMN PENNANT

TEAM	POSITION
State 2	6th
State 5	2nd
Div 3 Metro Monday	1st
Div 3 Metro Tuesday	3rd
Div 4 Metro Monday	3rd
Div 4 Central Wednesday	6th
Div 4 Metro Thursday	2nd

The Squash Club is delighted and greatly encouraged by the fact that one of the teams which played in the Spring 1996 Coca-Cola Pennant comprised students at PAC.

The School is extremely fortunate to have Viv Jenson, who is a former State 1 squash player herself, as a full time teacher and coach of the students in squash at the School. Viv's high level of expertise and commitment to squash at the School is well known. The Squash Club wishes to express once again its gratitude to Viv for the tireless and excellent work which she has performed and continues to perform in the promotion of squash.

From Friday 25 April to Sunday 27 April 1997, the fourth Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Junior Squash Tournament took place.

There were 45 entrants and the Tournament was open to junior boys and girls ranging from Under/13's to Under/23's. Entrants ranged from the top players in the State most, if not all, of whom are part of the SASI programme to players who have only recently been playing squash.

Parents, players and spectators all enjoyed a wonderful carnival atmosphere and witnessed some very good squash from the Juniors.

The results of the Tournament were as follows:

PRIZE WINNERS 1997

RESULTS	BOYS	GIRLS
U23 Open winner	Jason Bednarz	Kirsty Groves
runner-up	Ben Gould	Melissa Vacca
U17 Open winner	Jason Wolff	Janine Bryan
runner-up	Chris Simcock	Dani Davis
restr. winner	Michael Brinkley	Kym Farrant
U15 Open winner	James Rogers	Alicia Kerr
runner-up	Luke Margan	
restr. winner	Alex Chapman	
U13 Open winner	Steven Parker	Kellie Simpson
runner-up	Matthew Turnbull	
restr. winner	Christopher Green	
U11 Open winner		
runner-up		
restr. winner	Michael Rogers	

ENCOURAGEMENT AWARDS

Michael Yallup, Peter Beard, Ben Chambers, Kate Jinks and Jamie Ianunzio

Our thanks must go to the School and, in particular, the Headmaster, Dr Brian Webber for making the venue at the School available, Viv Jenson for creating and organising the Tournament, the PAOC Squash Club for its financial assistance as well as the assistance of its members Rob Sallis, Andrew Chapman, Rex Wilson, Dr Chris Dibden, Rick Bond, Derek Spencer and Robert McHugh for helping with the food and drinks as well as generally assisting, Squash Rackets Association of South Australia Inc and its Administration Officer Wendy May and Tournament Director Terry Powell for their help, and the sponsors Coca-Cola, Living Health, Len Atkins of Ascot Agencies, Greg Hobba of Rackets and Strings and Robert McHugh for their support. But most of all, our thanks go to the junior boys and girls who made the Tournament the success that it was.

The Tournament was a great success with a pleasing number of entries, enthusiastic support, positive comment from the parents and players as well as the spectators, matches occurring on time and excellent behaviour from the juniors.

We look forward to an even bigger and better Tournament next year. It is anticipated that the Tournament will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday 13-15 March 1998 during the Carnival.

The results for the 1996 Club Championships were as follows:

Open	
Mal Barton Trophy	Brenton Hicks
"B" Grade	
Brian Measday Trophy	Rocky Powell
"C" Grade	
Rex Wilson Trophy	Tom Farrant

The Club Championships for 1997 are yet to be played and the results thereof will be reported in next year's Chronicle.

The Squash Club Annual Dinner for the 1997 year will be held of Friday 13 February 1998 at 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm in the prestigious and eloquent confines of the Public Schools Club with the proposed guest speaker being a well known Old Scholar, David Raggatt, who has for many years now worked for Coca Cola and has made a great contribution to sport in South Australia.

At the Dinner David Raggatt will present the PAOC Squash Club Perpetual Trophy (generously donated by Dr Chris Dibden) to the worthy recipient. This Trophy is awarded annually to the person who exhibits the best qualities of sportsmanship, enthusiasm and Club spirit for that year. The 1996 Trophy was presented by Chris Dittmar, a former No. 1 squash player in the world and a current media personality, to Tom Farrant. Trophies will also be presented by the Squash Club to members of all teams who win grand finals in the 1997 Pennant season as well as the players who win Club Championship Awards.

The Squash Club is also very proud and pleased to be the first Old Scholars' sporting club to become a member of the Foundation. Thanks go to Brenton Hicks, the members of the Committee and the Squash Club for making this possible.

The Squash Club also donated prizes for the internal championships between students at the School held at the School during 1997, as well as making financial contributions towards the maintenance of the squash courts and the capital improvement of certain associated facilities. The Squash Club wishes to thank the School and the Headmaster for the use of the squash courts and the associated facilities and for providing the Squash Club with the opportunity to have contributed to the maintenance and capital improvement thereof during 1997. The Squash Club believes that it has established an excellent foundation on which it can build for many years to come.

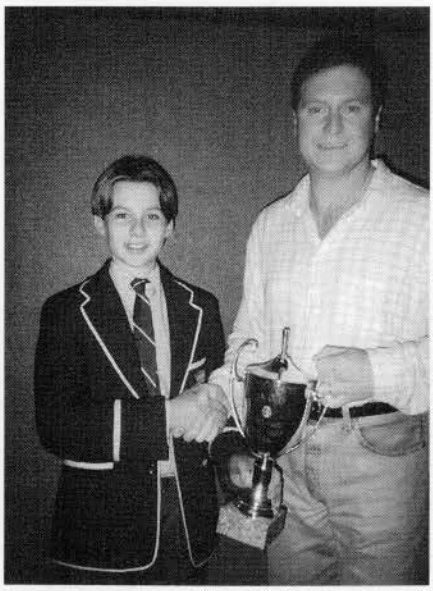
As an incentive, the Squash Club is offering any new school leavers or Old Scholars the opportunity to play their first Pennant Season at no cost whatsoever for the 1998 Autumn Pennant Season or the 1998 Spring Pennant Season. There is also the opportunity of becoming only a social player for a very modest fee.

The 1998 Autumn Pennant Season will commence on Monday 16 February 1998 and the Spring Pennant Season will commence sometime in August 1998 on a date to be fixed. The Annual General Meeting of the Squash Club will be held on Friday 13 February 1998 at 6.30 pm.

The Squash Club wishes to sincerely thank all those people who have contributed to a most successful and rewarding year in 1997.

Any person interested in finding out about the Squash Club and its activities is most welcome to contact Rex Wilson (Secretary) ph: 8332 6202 (h) or 8294 8888 (w), or Rob Sallis (Chairman) ph: 8238 6670 (w).

The Squash Club wishes all Old Scholars and members of the Princes Family a safe, prosperous and enjoyable 1998.



Chris Dittmar presenting the PAOC Squash Club Perpetual Trophy (generously donated by Dr Chris Dibden) to Tom Farrant at the Annual Squash Club dinner for 1996.

Brisbane

The 14th Annual Queensland Dinner was held in the private dining room of the Brisbane Club on Friday 29 August 1997. We had an average attendance of twenty Old Reds who, in the absence of a special guest, enjoyed a very informal evening.

Attending for the first time was Ronald Williams, the Anglican Bishop Diocese of Brisbane, who met his old classmate Bruce Walker after many years.

On a sad note we missed Ian Nottle who had attended every Queensland Dinner and had become our resident historian. Ian succumbed to a serious illness and died in October. He will be sadly missed by us all.

Enquiries for Queensland function should be directed to Dean Trowse phone (07) 3236 5175.

Canberra

This year we broke new ground over here by combining with our SPOC friends and helped them celebrate their school's 150th anniversary, and in the process helping re-establish the Canberra Branch of SPOC.

The setting at the Boat House Restaurant on the shores of Lake Burley Griffen was wonderful with the dining room overlooking the Lake with the reflecting lights of Parliament House, The National Library and The High Court.

We had 48 Old Boys, including interstate travellers Senator Grant Chapman, David Cornish and Pieter De Witt. (Saints won on quantity with 25).

Nick Symons (Saints) welcomed everyone, David Thiem said grace, school toasts were proposed by Pieter De Witt (Saints) and David Cornish (Princes), with David ably tracing Saints and Princes combined Old Boys' dinners back to a 1900 Boer War occasion. Brougham Clarke introduced the principal speaker, Senator Chapman, who talked about a number of development initiatives underway in our old home State.

Ages of the Old Boys ranged from early 20s to late 70s, and everyone seemed to know someone from the other school, and of course everyone was a much better sportsman or academic than the historical records showed. Highlights of the evening included the questions and answers for the give-aways (official colour of SPOC swimwear up to the late 1960s - pink, PAC Master nicknamed after a Japanese Prime Minister - Tojo, names of the two brothers who taught at each school - Smith etc). Undoubtedly the best part of the evening was the re-establishment of friendships from years ago, like Paul Martin, WW II pilot, talking to Marc Faunce, the medico who pronounced Paul fit in Borneo during the War but refused to issue a guarantee.

The occasion was such a success with so many favourable comments during the evening, that we plan to combine with SPOC again for next year's dinner.

PAOC attendees:

Brett Bayley	John Bruni
Grant Chapman	Brougham Clarke
David Cornish	Ian Denton
Kim Fullgrabe	Steve Gower
Douglas Guppy	Frank Hambly
Robert Harvie	Tom Holland
Ian Hone	David Horner
Edward Jackson	Matt Jamieson
Ian Lynch	Phillip Lynch
Paul Martin	John Norman
Michael Parkinson	David Thiem
Roger Wainwright	

Darwin - combined Princes and Saints Dinner

This year's dinner was held on Friday 15 August at Vorrasi's Restaurant in Darwin. A change of venue and date was necessary due to other functions held in Darwin during July and the 150 year celebrations being held by St Peters.

A total of 32 Old Scholars attended our dinner with 20 from Princes and 12 from Saints. A large number of apologies were also received from both schools. Again it was encouraging to see a wide cross section of Old Scholars attending and a number of Old Scholars who have returned to the Territory, once again coming along to the dinner.

Richard Giles (Princes) gave the toast to both schools. Michael Bratchell, on behalf of Princes, welcomed all attending the dinner and mentioned those who were unable to be there. Special mention was made of Stephen and Ben Wilkinson who had flown out from England a few days beforehand to attend the dinner. While in Australia, they thought they would take the opportunity to attend their brother's wedding (Martin) which was being held the next day. Another special mention was made to Tony Prentice and his secretary for their efforts in organising the venue, menu and notifying all of the dinner.

Unfortunately Saints were unable to provide a guest speaker for the evening, but Bob Elix, the Saints Convener for the Northern Territory, addressed the gathering to give a run down of the Intercol sporting and other events. The results of the Intercol football match dew the most interest from all concerned. Bob also informed the gathering of the activities that were being held for the celebrations of the 150 years of Saints.

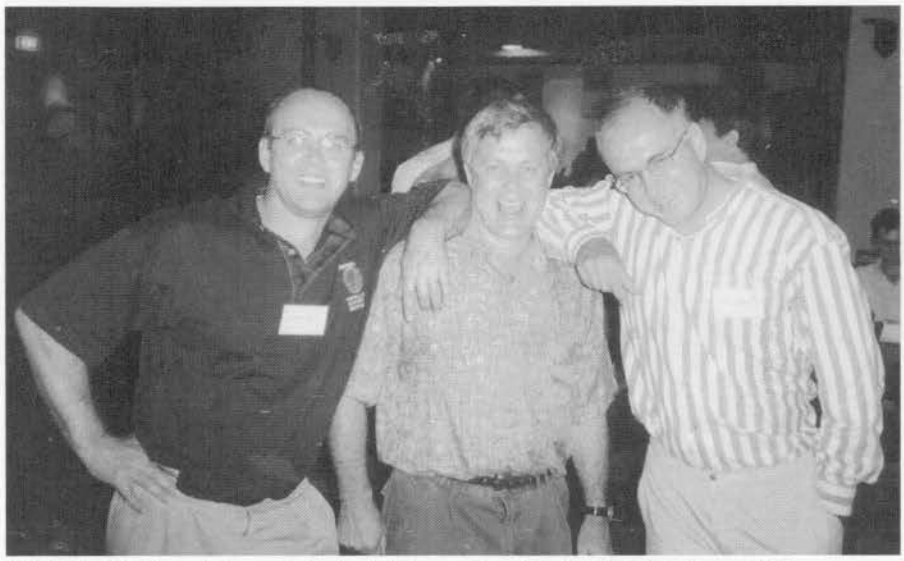
Oldest Old Scholar	- Tom Fawcett
Youngest Old Scholar	- Richard McElwee
Furthest travelled	- Stephen and Ben Wilkinson (London)

All who attended the dinner had an enjoyable evening and were encouraged to advise new arrivals to the Territory of our successful combined function.

No date has been set as yet for the 1998 dinner but it will likely be held in mid August. Darwin contact is Michael Bratchell, P.O. Box 210, Darwin N.T. 0801 - Phone: (h) (08) 8945 0748 (w) (08) 8946 9868 (fax) (08) 8946 9937.



Left to Right: Chris Prance (Saints), Tony Field, Danny Moore and Tom Fawcett (PAC)at the 1997 Darwin Combined Dinner.



Left to Right: Ben, Martyn and Stephen Wilkinson at the Darwin Combined Dinner 1997

Melbourne

The Annual Dinner was held at the RACV Club in October of this year and was well attended with 35 Old Reds being present.

Our guest speaker, Matt Benson, was a past attendee of our Annual Dinner before moving back to Adelaide some two years ago to be the General Manager of the Sturt Football Club. Matt's presentation generated a great deal of interest from the old and young in regard to the current status of the Sturt Football Club and the SANFL.

Those who attended the dinner included, Kim Gray, Ian Murton, Ian Stacey, Angus Focken, Chris Hall, Andrew Foote, Bob Skinner, David McGowan, David Haines, Malcolm Boyce, Chris Kidd and many others. As tradition has it, many of those who attended the dinner continued to enjoy themselves well into the early hours of the morning.

If you would like to be part of next year's dinner, please contact Trevor Lands on (02) 9629 5422 (w).

Perth

The Annual Dinner was held on 7 November 1997 in Subiaco. Eighteen Old Reds had a very enjoyable evening recalling old School days.

The toast to the School was given by Richard McBride and was received with acclamation. Brian Kelton asked the gathering to recall their experiences at the old School and several members including Richard Keeves and Michael Waterson gave numerous descriptions of their days at PAC.

Brian Hockney spoke at length on the wines supplied on the evening and did extremely well considering he did not know what he was talking about!

Sydney

The Sydney Branch 70th Anniversary Dinner was held in August at the Royal Automobile Club with the attendance at 56 being the highest for many years.

The attendance in Sydney this year was notable for the number of younger Old Boys attending (or possibly I am getting older), an indication of the opportunities in Sydney at the present time.

Regrettably the Sydney stalwart Bunny Monfries (1919-24) was unable to attend due to illness. Bunny has been reputed to have attended every Sydney dinner since inception of the branch, and his input was sadly missed. We look forward to seeing him back next year. Jim Cowan (1920-27, as the oldest Old Boy present, filled in for him admirably.

Our main address and toast to the School was provided by Peter Weinert (1958-63). Peter is former president and chairman and also No. 1 ticket holder for the Sydney Swans. His talk, accompanied by a video, was extremely well received and the questions flowed. Alistair Walker, President of Prince Alfred Old Collegians, responded.

We are planning a branch Christmas cocktail party again, this time without SPOC, and 1998 may involve a luncheon with SPOC. The annual dinner will be held in August 1998.

We welcome any contact from Prince Alfred Old Collegians in Sydney. Contact should be made through the Branch Secretary, Michael Gray, or Branch President, Chris Harvey on (02) 9221 1233 or fax (02) 9221 4501.

Lower North

The Lower North Dinner was held this year at the Burra Community Sports Centre on Friday 24 October. About fifty people attended what was an excellent evening of splendid food, friendship and fun.

The Adelaide committee presence was strong at the dinner with members and wives who made the trip from Adelaide totalling fourteen. The visiting party included the Headmaster, the President, Immediate Past President, Vice President and Treasurer which is proof of the reputation of the event being a highlight of the Association calendar. A number of the visitors again moved into Kookaburra Cottage at "Dick's Place" and enjoyed the hospitality of Helen and Richard Cleland.

At the Dinner the local Chairman and Convener, John Tiver, led off the proceedings as the Master of Ceremonies and he introduced Jim McBride who proposed a toast to "The Queen". Former Master of the School, Mr David Mattingley proposed a toast to "The School" and provided us with some of his mirth-provoking memories that included old headmasters, cadets and rowing.

The Headmaster, Dr Brian Webber, responded and also informed the gathering of the latest developments and achievements at the School. The Headmaster was particularly impressed with the number of recent school leavers who attended the dinner at their own table with the Boarding Housemaster, Conrad Mathias. It was pleasing to see the newest of Old Scholars keenly supporting the Association.

Mr Richard Cleland proposed a toast to the "The Association" and gave us all a magnificent insight into what it was like at the School in the 50's. He related to the gathering a number of wonderful stories of school, football, athletics and masters. He humorously related how it has always puzzled him how a number of his contemporaries at school had a black and white attitude to football.

Vice President, Peter Crouch responded and informed the gathering of news within the Association and gave thanks and

It was notable that one of the scholarships provided by the Association for attendance at the School has been awarded to a local boy, David Reid, who will attend year 10 in 1998. He was present at the dinner assisting his father, Chris Reid, with the refreshments.

The following awards were presented by the President, Alistair Walker. Oldest Old Scholar (1928) Jack Wise

Youngest Old Scholars
Andrew Mitchell
Tim Fletcher
Tom and William Rayner

Furthest travelled
Richard Martin

Retiring Local Chairman
John Tiver

On the following Saturday a large number of people from the dinner visited the magnificent homestead at "The Bluff" Hallett where host Jim Rayner and the local committee entertained all comers with a superb barbecue in perfect rural surroundings. Some of the fifties generation were more than ready to kick a football end to end with the younger Old Scholars where the only injuries sustained were to pride. A highlight of the afternoon was the impromptu "Webber Wine Auction" that included a notable "Bacciarelli Bid". If you were not there, ask someone who was.

It was a fitting finale to another wonderful weekend in the Lower North enjoyed by visitors and locals alike. Many thanks to the local committee and all those people who helped to make the dinner a success that it surely was.



POAC Dinner, Burra Oct 24
Barbecue the following day at Jim and Mary Rayners



Murray and Grace Olsson at the Broken Hill Dinner 1997

Broken Hill

On Saturday 3 May, 1997 a very successful combined Princes/Saints Old Scholars' Dinner was held in the Peppinella Restaurant of the Royal Exchange Hotel in Broken Hill.

The success of the evening can be attributed to Mitch Harrison of Langwell Station who arranged and conducted the Dinner. Thirty three people attended a mixed dinner with twenty two representatives from Princes and eleven from Saints. The last occasion a mixed dinner was held in Broken Hill was in 1984.

Visitors who travelled from Adelaide were the Acting Headmaster, Milton Haseloff and Wyn, Immediate Past President, Murray Olsson and Grace representing Princes, together with SPOC Chairman of Committees, Tony Keynes and Faffy, and Assistant Development Officer, Pieter de Wiet and partner.

The Dinner was informal with plenty of rivalry and good spirit. Milton Haseloff spoke on behalf of both Schools due to the Headmaster of Saints being unable to attend as the School was conducting a Community Day in its 150th year. He mentioned the healthy rivalry that exists between the Schools both academically and on the sporting field. He also placed emphasis on the giant strides presently being made in academic learning.



Mitch Harrison at the Broken Hill Dinner 1997

This was followed by messages from Murray Olsson and Tony Keynes. New Old Scholars Ties were presented to Chris Harrison, Phil Kneebone, Richard Treloar and a conventional tie to Magnus Badger. As Milton Haseloff is to become an Old Scholar at the end of the year, it was the wish of the meeting that he should also receive a new tie. Key rings were also given to the following ladies; Julie Evans, Anne Bartholameus, Christabel Treloar, and Sue Andrews.

It was agreed that the Dinner should be repeated at least every two years.

Eyre Peninsula

The Eyre Peninsula Dinner was held at the Cleve Hotel-Motel on Saturday 8 March 1997. It was a mixed dinner which had an attendance of forty people.

Chairman and Convener, Tom Bagshaw, had invited four couples who had sons at PAC but whose fathers were not Old Scholars. This added something to the evening and their company was enjoyed by all present.

The Rev. Peter Brown proposed the toast to the School and the response was given by Mr Milton Haseloff, Deputy Headmaster. Greg Cook proposed the toast to the Association and the response was by Lawrie Hoad, committee member of PAOCA.

Ties were presented to the following:

Oldest Old Scholar -
Bill Nosworthy

Youngest Old Scholars-
David Rogers and David Simpson who left PAC the same year.

Furthest travelled -
Tim McDonald

A most enjoyable evening.

The next Eyre Peninsula Dinner will be held in Port Lincoln on 7 March 1998.

Kangaroo Island

The fifth Kangaroo Island Dinner was held at the Parndana Community Hotel, on Saturday, 13 September 1997, with Old Scholars and their partners present from PAC and Westminster School. It was the first joint country dinner held with Westminster Old Scholars.

Seventeen people made the trip to the Island on the School bus driven by our Junior Vice President, Peter Crouch. The group included the Headmaster, Dr Brian Webber and Beverley, the Acting School Chaplain, Stephen Weisz, Gloria and son Shep., Dean Bowen, President, Westminster Old Scholars, Murray Olsson, Immediate Past President and Grace. Other members of the party included David and Jane Olsson, Dennis and Joyce Wiltshire, Rob and Leonie Hall and Peter Cox.

It was the usual early start from the School on Saturday morning to catch the "Philanderer" at 9.00 am from Cape Jervois. We had a smooth trip to Penneshaw.

On arrival at Penneshaw we journeyed into Kingscote for lunch at the Queenscliff Hotel before proceeding to Parndana. At Parndana we unloaded the baggage to find that the rain had entered the trailer and a number of overnight bags were saturated. This caused much consternation and the Laundromat together with the efforts of our Host overcame the problem.

Paul Houston was the Chairman for the Dinner supported by his wife, Carol. She had played in a netball final during the afternoon and proudly displayed her winners medallion throughout the evening.

The Toast to the School was proposed by Andrew Heinrich in a light hearted, meaningful manner giving an insight into his days at PAC. The Headmaster responded to the Toast and outlined the many initiatives the School was undertaking to keep it in the forefront of education in this State.

The Toast to the "Associations" of both schools was given by Richard Trethewey and the response was shared by Murray Olsson and Dean Bowen.

One important feature of the evening was that there were three generations of one family present, namely, Dudley, Ian and Andrew Kelly.

Association mementos were presented to the following:-

Oldest Old Scholar
Dennis Wiltshire

Youngest Old Scholar -
Andrew Kelly

Special Awards -
Stephen and Shep Weisz, Carol Houston, Dean Bowen and Andrew Heinrich

At the conclusion of the Dinner it was decided that the next dinner would be held in two years time, possibly in March 1999. Andrew Kelly agreed to convene this dinner.

On Sunday the Adelaide contingent attended a Church parade at the Parndana Uniting Church. The Scripture was read by the Headmaster and the Sermon given by the PAC Acting Chaplain, Rev. Dr. Stephen Weisz.

Following the Service we joined with a number of the Islanders for the "Houston" tour. The first stop was a Marron Farm where we witnessed the propagation and harvesting of marron. This was followed by a BBQ lunch at "Kaiwarra" Cottage where Chris and Laurel Whitham joined the group. After lunch we journeyed to Seal Bay and spent time watching the seals. In the late afternoon we returned to a wild life sanctuary at Parndana and enjoyed the excellent array of wild life. We all enjoyed the "Houston" tour and thank Paul for an enjoyable day.

We would like to express our thanks to the School for making available the School bus.



Kangaroo Island 1997 - The Kiawarra Luncheon



Kangaroo Island Dinner 1997
Three generations of the Kelly Family, Andrew, Ian and Dudley

South East

The South East Dinner was held at the Chardonnay Lodge, Coonawarra, on 15 February, 1997 with some 60 Old Scholars present.

David Clarkson was the convener for the night, and also took over as Chairman, after Peter Degaris decided his wisdom (teeth) needed removing the day before.

There was a wide range of age groups present which created a very happy atmosphere and successful evening. There were four members of the Committee from Adelaide present, as well as the Deputy Headmaster, Milton Haseloff, and our President, Alistair Walker.

David Anderson proposed the toast to the School, and the Deputy Headmaster responded on behalf of the School. Mr Haseloff gave an excellent speech in which he recalled his long association with the School of some thirty years and recounted how much the School had changed, enlarged and progressed since he first joined. However, he also recounted that certain things did not change at Princes, that being the spirit and determination of Princes men, most notably displayed on the sporting field.

Mr Haseloff also advised the Dinner of his intended retirement at the end of the year, and requested those present to notify Old Scholars in the district that the boarding house was full and had double the bookings it could cater for in Year 8 in 1998.

The toast to the Association was given by Rohan Giles, who left the School in 1976. The senior Vice President of the Association, David Blanch, responded on behalf of the Association and thanked David Clarkson and Hugh Jarvis for their help in organising another highly successful South East Dinner. David went on to mention the reduced Life Membership now available to members, as well as other initiatives of the Committee, including the provision of a Scholarship at Year 10 for sons of Old Scholars. He then went on to pay tribute to Milton Haseloff and the enormous contribution he has made to PAC in his thirty years, twenty two of them as Deputy Headmaster.

The President of the Association, Alistair Walker, was then invited to hand out Calendars and Ties to the following:

Ron Kelly	Oldest Old Scholar present
Andrew Lock	Youngest Old Scholar present
Simon Ashby	Furthest travelled - Tintinara

As has become the custom at the South East Dinner, Simon Ashby and Bill Hunt entertained those present with another bracket of humourous jokes. Old stories and tall tales were still being told in the wee hours of the morning. The Dinner eventually concluded at approximately 3.30 am. Another great dinner.

Southern Hills/Fleurieu Peninsula

This year's dinner was held at Victor Harbor in the Hotel Victor, which once again proved to be a popular venue with some 40 Old Reds in attendance. There were a large number of apologies and it is hoped that numbers will increase in the future.

As the local convener Mr Kym Bartel was unable to attend, the evening was ably chaired by Mr Andrew Jeffery who also proposed the Loyal Toast. Mr Donald Pynor proposed a toast to the School. This was responded to by Mr Conrad Mathias, Rushton House Master, who spoke of recent happenings in the School and in particular of the boarding house. Mr Owen Stephens proposed the toast to the Association. This was responded to by Mr Brenton Gibbs, the Adelaide convener, and by Mr Alistair Walker, the Association's President, who informed the dinner of happenings in the Association. The importance of regional dinners to the Association's yearly activities was highlighted and members were thanked for their continued support.

Awards were presented to the following;

Oldest Old Scholar -
Dr Fred Heddle (1922-28)

Youngest Old Scholar-
Mr Ben Koch (1996)

Furthest travelled -
Mr Graham Coldwell (Stirling)
Mr Phil Stubbs (Macclesfield)

The Association Committee once again provided strong support to this regional dinner with a large party present from Adelaide. Thanks must go to Kym Bartel, the local convener, for his efforts in organising the dinner. Next year's dinner will once again be held at the Hotel Victor on a date in June to be decided and may be a mixed function.

Yorke Peninsula

This year the dinner was held on 22 August at the Maitland Hotel, Maitland. It was supported by thirty seven Old Reds who enjoyed the evening.

Tim Davey spoke of his time at the School, what the School had meant to him and how the boarding house had changed and shaped his life. He then proposed the toast to the School.

The School was represented by Mr Conrad Mathias. He spoke of Milton Haseloff's retirement and how he had contributed to the School over his thirty years as a master and deputy head. He went on to discuss the year's school activities and intercol results.

The new Old Scholars' tie was presented to the furthest travelled and oldest Old Scholar. Don Gunning was presented with the new tie.

Yet again it was a good dinner at Maitland and a good chance to catch up with Peter Thomas who is enjoying life on the Peninsula.

Local identity Mr David Davies gave the toast to the Association in his typical entertaining way. It was full of good humoured stories about his time at the School, and of the exploits of his two sons Sam and Tom, both whilst at school and as Old Scholars. He thanked the Association for the support they give to the country dinners and country members.

Many thanks go to Simon Greenslade the local convener who puts in a lot of time and effort. Next year the dinner will again be held at the Maitland Hotel.



Yorke Peninsula Dinner 1997

MARRIAGES IN THE ERIC FREAK MEMORIAL CHAPEL 1997

Christopher Mark Chapman to Fiona Anne Franks on 6 April 1997

Timothy Lewis Gray to Sinjini Mukherjee on 22 June 1997

Colin Macleod Dudley to Barbara Focareta on 24 August 1997

Stuart Craig Amos to Elinor Kristin Shattock on 1 November 1997

FUNERALS HELD IN ERIC FREAK MEMORIAL CHAPEL 1997

Geoffrey James Barton on 11 January 1997

Dianne Elizabeth Clothier on 23 May 1997

Daniel Price Pontifex on 14 October 1997

New Members

Aikins, Toby J.
Allan, Benjamin G.
Bagshaw, Alexander G.
Bartell, David A.C.
Barton, Andrew J.
Beare, Darren J.
Bennett, Andrew R.
Bennett, Dale A.
Bennett, Richard Dobson
Bertram, Glenn
Bocjzuk, Samuel I.
Bond, Ryan Douglas
Booth, Marcus A.
Bowditch, Thomas P.H.
Branford, Gregory R.
Briggs, Mark J.
Butler, Matthew T.
Carracher, Andrew
Cawrse, Brett S.
Chai, Min Wui (Eddie)
Chalmers, Aaron J.
Charitopoulos, Pantelis
Cheung, Brian Shing Bun
Chien, Choa Chun (Tim)
Christie, Samuel J.
Cooper, Nigel Robert
Copping, Harley G.
Cox, Benjamin M.
Crichton, Simon L.
Crook, Koyosaku M.
Dalidowicz, David L.
Davies, Thomas E.
Edwards,Chadd A.
Edwards, Granton V.
England, Grant
Gamble, Christopher R.
Gardiner, Kym R.
Hall, Wesley J.
Hancock, Rory A.R.
Hatcher, Edward H.
Hayhow, Bradleigh D.
Holness, Alexander R.
Howard, David R.
Humble, David Andrew Seton
Ibbotson, Brett A.
Jaafar, Zainol B.
James, Rodney A.
Jenson, Matthew W.
Johnson, Nathan L.
Jones, Richard B.
Kassapis, Constantine P.
Keane, Kevin B.
Keane, Thomas W.
Koch, Benjamin A.
Koch, Joseph F.
Kolberg, Adam M.
Kowalik, Bartosz, A.W.
Kuhadasan, Kantha R.
Lazarevic, Martin
Ledgard, James P.
LeGrand, Wesley L.
Lines, Haydn T.
Lock, Andrew J.
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Marsh, John D.
Martin, Benjamin N.
Marwe, Charles W.R.
Masters Brett K.
McGrath, Malcolm J.
Meldrum, James M.
Mifsud, Morgan D.
Moritz, Toby P.
Morton, Timothy S.G.
Muldoon, Russell C.
Mullner, Ross D.
Nottage, Brooke G.
O'Flaherty, Partrick J.
Oks, Oliver J.
Orken, Daniel M.
Parish, Ian G.W.
Pontt, Thomas C.
Rice, Joseph E.
Roediger, Ben
Rogers, Jeffrey A.
Roos-Freeman, Simon M.
Said, Hamdi
Samad, Mahommad K.
Sawyer, James R.M.
Scott, Mark B.
Shalan, Shahairil Bin Hj Mohd
Silver, Stephen P.
Sirakovit, Pradon
Smibert, Peter
Smith, Ian R.
Sosnowski, Robert S.
Spangler, Craig R.
Staker, Samuel L.
Stobie, Michael W.
Symons, Scott C.
Tilley, Leith J.
Trowse, Fletcher L.
Tucker, Ian B.
Turner, Benjamin J.
Uppington, Craig S.
Vandepeer, Alfred (Luke)
Vast, Michael B.
Verwoert, Daniel G.
Watson, Christopher J.
West, Timothy W.J.
Wilkinson, Simon A.
Williamson, Brett A.
Wilson, Nicholas A.
Wong, Nicholas M.
Woodrow, Christopher L.W.
Yu, Samuel Ching Shen
Zeiberts, Peter G.

Deaths of Old Boys notified to the Association since the issue of the last Chronicle

Ackland, John Lancelot	1923 - 1924
Allen, Angus	1938 - 1939
Ash, Alexander Thomas	1930 - 1935
Baker, Gordon William	1928 - 1931
Balnaves, K. Dean	1943 - 1944
Barrey, Morris Linden	1933 - 1935
Barton, Geoffrey James	1940 - 1942
Bayfield, Harold Clifford	1929
Brammer, John Murray	1945 - 1948
Butler, Gordon Charles	1930 - 1933
Charles, A. Joffre	1929 - 1932
Clarkson, Alan James	1921 - 1927
Clement, Colin William	1946 - 1948
Combe, Laurence Wilson	1940 - 1941
Cosgrove, Charles C.	1915 - 1921
Davidson, Lloyd John	1943 - 1945
Dudman, Mark LeQuan	1982 - 1989
Eglinton, Arthur Irvine	1936 - 1939
Farrell, Stephen James	1974 - 1975
Fradd, Melville R.	1939 - 1941
Francis, Robert Leonard	1944 - 1945
Geddes, Bruce Vernon	1943 - 1944
Gilding, G. Wesley	1935 - 1940
Gove, David William	1957 - 1959
Greenslade, Howard James	1920 - 1923
Haldane, Maxwell John	1921 - 1925
Hancock, Duncan Wallace	1923 - 1930
Harper, Peter Rollo	1946 - 1948
Heaslip, Lloyd Howard	1927
Holder, Reuben (Ben) Clement	1933 - 1941
Holmes, William Frederick	1930 - 1931
Hurn, Walter William Morgan	1920 - 1923
Jacka, Gordon William	1928 - 1930
Kelly, Charles Robert (Bert)	1925 - 1929
Lamming, Allan Edwin	1927 - 1928
Leak, Weston Hugh	1931 - 1933
Little, Kenneth Edgar Treloar	1955 - 1959
May, Rolland - Music Master at PAC	1946 - 1971
Medcalf, John Lawrence	1925 - 1932
Mellor, Hubert Alfred	1920 - 1921
Michelmore, Walter Maxfield	1931 - 1935
Morris, Charles Linford	1948
Morris, Kenneth Mark	1944 - 1947
Norman, Arthur Edward (Ted)	1935 - 1940
Norton, Clifford Bright	1916 - 1917
Nottle, Ian Rex	1940 - 1941
Phelps, Reginald Thomas	1922 - 1925
Pontifex, Daniel Price	1986 - 1991
Provis, Douglas Franklin	1929 - 1938
Richards, Maurice Evans	1921 - 1924
Richardson, Murray Bruce	1925 - 1929
Saint, Thomas Maxwell OBE	1923 - 1924
Saunders, Ernest Spencer	1920 - 1927
Simpson, James Walter	1934 - 1936
Treloar, Howard Gordon	1948 - 1954
Trestrail, Alfred C.	1917 - 1919
Waugh, Ian McBride	1947
Wicks, Frank Neil	1927 - 1930
Wildash, Donald Bathurst	1939 - 1941
Woods, Arnold Samuel	1920 - 1923

FOUNDATION REPORT 1997

Foundation Executive

At the Annual General Meeting in April Mr Malcolm Buckby retired as President of the Foundation after five years of outstanding service. Mr Russell Trim was elected as President. The Executive Committee for 1997/98 is:

Dr Brian Webber	Headmaster
Mr Russell Trim	President
Dr Chris Dibden	Vice President
Mr Tim Moffat	Director of Development/Executive Officer of the Foundation
Mr David Stewart	Hon. Treasurer
Mr Malcolm Buckby	Chairman of Allocation Committee
Mr Murray Olsson	Chairman of Bequests Committee
Mr B.H. Perks	Chairman of Membership Committee
Mr Peter Ballard	Chairman of Programmes Committee
Senator Grant Chapman	
Mr D.G. Hallett	
Mr P.A. Heywood-Smith	
Mr Robert Sallis	
Mr Andrew Chapman (Representative of the Old Scholars' Association)	

Pledged Giving

The on-going Pledged Giving programme commenced in August this year and the Director of Development and others continue to liaise with potential donors. We are delighted that already significant pledges are being obtained.

The principal focus of the Pledge Programme is the exciting plans for redesign and development of the Prep School. Other projects include renovating seating and kitchen facilities in the Assembly Hall, upgrading of classrooms and learning areas in the Centenary Wing, upgrading of facilities in the Main Building Central Tower, developing specialised learning and House areas in the Colton Wing and developing new dining and convention facilities. The Pledge programme is the cornerstone of the Total Development Programme. It involves on-going, face to face asking, including lunches with Preparatory School parents and other groups from the School community. Lunches are now being held in the recently refurbished H.F. (Bon) Gaetjens room in the Preparatory School with preparatory school parents. A colour brochure to support the Programme has been completed and is distributed as "asks" proceed. Members of the PAC community are warmly invited to obtain a copy of this brochure from the Development Office at the School. We are excited by the projects supported by the Pledged Giving programme and encourage the School community in turn to offer support. We thank those who have already pledged and look forward to continued and generous support of present and future members of the Princes community in the years ahead.

Annual Giving

Annual Giving in 1997 raised in excess of $21,000. A number gave for the first time this year. Annual Giving focuses primarily on Old Scholars and most Old Scholar year groups now have year group leaders who write to their former classmates.

Reunions

Reunions have been held or are planned for those whose alumni year was 1948/49, 1957, 1967 and 1977. They continue to attract enormous interest and have led to the re-establishment of contact with the School and with classmates. Organising committees are/were:

1948/49 Matt Tiddy, Peter Harley, Frank Beauchamp, Gerald Cox and John Michell

1957 John Deslandes, Ian Gemmell, Deane Treloar and John Edwards

1967 Graham Sweeney, Rob West and Greg Stanford

1977 Russell Brealey, Brett Graham, John Easling and Grant Noblet

Grandies Club

The Club has 117 financial members with numbers continuing to increase. The events of the past twelve months have included:

Two luncheons at Parliament House in March.

Grandies Day for Prep School and Year 8 Friday 12 September.

Spring Luncheon in the Headmaster's garden with over 50 attending.

Over 400 attended Grandies Day. This is becoming an increasingly popular event.

Special Events

The Foundation Dinner and Wine Auction.

Nearly $20,000 was raised from this special event which featured Normie Rowe and Mime Comedian "Harry Houdidn't".

Princes Carnival 1998

Planning is well underway for this major event in the Schools history. It will be held on 14 March 1998 and is involving lots of hard work by so many members of the School community. It promises to be a great day.

1997 Calendar

The 1997 Calendar (with a Technology focus) was distributed to school parents.

Princes Record

Editions of the Princes Record continue to be distributed to over 8,000 members of the Princes community.

Data Base

The Development Office continues to undertake a major up-grade and reorganisation of the data base. Many names have been added as a result of reunions and general upgrade work. Any missing names or amended details are always welcome.

Foundation Annual General Meeting 1998

The Foundation will hold its Annual General Meeting on Tuesday 7 April, 1998.

Salvete (in italics)
Valete (in bold)

Prep School 1997

R/1B
Cannizzaro, Robert
Carlson, Alfred S
Cuzzocrea, Justin C
Das Parashar
Harkness, Joshua J
Kapitza, Joshua N
Kunze, Darian R
May, Benjamin T
McMillan, Alexander J
Milton, Anthony W
Moore, Reece J T
Nadolny, Hayden B
Risby, James A
Spano, Jonathan R
Spencer, James A
Stone, Kane A
Taylor, Jack
Toh, Peter W
Weiler, Zasch A
Woodroffe, Jae S
Zogopoulos, William G

R/1Bk
Athanasov, Atanas
Chronis, Andrew P
Crawford, Nicholas R
Dickson, Andrew C
Fawcett, Myalls T
Findlay, James R
Gerard, Joshua H
Gleeson-Hammerton, Thomas
Hewlett, Steven A
Hoimes, Basil A
Jarver, Cian J
Kerin, Brandon T
Mitropoulos, Aleco
Nemer, Elias J
Perks, Jack A
Snodgrass, Casey A
Stranks, Lachlan D
Tregeagle, Hamish J
Wood, Llewellyn O

R/1L/H
Broadbent, Jeremy J
Brown, Alexander G
Buxton, Ian A
Calabrese, Christian N
Ellison, William H
Foster, Cameron P
Hallion, Dion B
Hilbig, Thomas J
Hilditch, James R
House, James W
Mangos, James M
Moore, Joseph M
Schmidt, Zaine C
Spriggins, Connor T
Teague, Thomas G
Valkonen, Samuel M
Weston, Ramesh R
Woolford, Thomas O

2P
Benson, Thomas P
Biggs, James A
Brazzale, Nicholas A
Brebner, Christopher G
Brewerton, Callum T
Brown, Christopher R
Cuzzocrea, Joseph J
Economos, Alexander C
Elliott, Jarrad J
Francis, Benjamin M
Gillott, Angus J
Hara, Kazutaka
Harry, Christopher J
Luu, Winston
Michell, Alastair E
Miller, Justin T
Nihill, Toby R
Perks, Harry S
Sandow, Kieran M
Shahin, Farid M
Sullivan, Thomas B
Vasileff, Jared M
Zadow, Joshua A

2/3C
Badawee, Daniel A
Benson, William C
Blanch, Thomas A
Brewerton, Joshua P
Chalmers, Samuel M
Cunynghame, Adam
Cuthbertson, Thomas H
De Ruvo, Patrick
Dods, Sean B
Frisby, Simon J
George, Alexander
Giulianetti, Alexander R
Joyner, Nicholas
Keith, Simon F
Khoo, Anthony C
Lovell, Brandon J
Palios, Andrew J
Pugh, Nicholas J
Sandhu, Amrit S
Simounds, Daniel T
Stoyanoff, Justin J
Thomas, Hamish D

3O
Aggarwal, Abhinau
Alam, Javed M
Calabrese, Michael A
Carter, James H
Clarke, Michael H
Covino, Christopher J
Dickson, Simon L
Finn, Harry L
Francis, Eli T
Hilditch, Samuel J
Hissey, William A
House, Justin, C
James, Harrison D
McMahon, Jason W
Michell, Alexander W
Montarello, Nicholas J
Neale, Benjamin M
Neroni, Michael P
Samson, Charles O
Scarce, William J
Spriggins, James A
Stacy, Jake F
Stollery, Edward D
Tormay, Nicholas C

4M
Badge, William H
Barletta, Adam M
Bonesmo, Carl
Brew, Ben
Chesser, Murray J
Chronis, George-Michael
Economos, Jack D
Gillott, Ross D
Giulianetti, Nicholas J P
Gross, Martin
Hallion, Luke R
Khouzam, Daniel J
Luu, Benjamin
Magain, Ben S
Oliver, Tom
Rech, Fabian N
Roberts, Michael E
Sadlier, Patrick J
Schlaikier, Reece E
Sullivan, Jeremy R
Treloar, Andrew G
Walrut, Thomas P
Wearne, Oliver E
Weeks, Nicholas J
Westhorpe, Daniel Bruce
Wingate, Bradley J

4/5L
Antoniadis, Anthony G
Bahnisch, Jamie-Lee
Blair, Nicholas D
Brook Andrew J
Brown, Alfred W
Burgess, Andrew R
Choimes, George J
Ellison, Samuel C
Elwood, James P
Ghabriel, Peter M
Haskard, Thomas L
Healy, Michael P
Humphrey, Bryce E
Mangos, Daniel N
Nguyen, Jonathan J
Olver, Robert O
Rex, Samuel J
Romano, Daniel C
Savvas, Peter R
Schwartz, Nicholas
Simounds, Matthew D
Stewart, Benjamin D
Tassone, Adam V
Toh, Daniel W
Wicks, Lachlan J

5H
Baranik-Vlahakis, George-Nicholas
Blanch, Nicholas W
Brebner, Thomas C
Browne, Christopher J
Carthew, Brett M
Cavanagh, Alexander E
Cheng, Jeffrey F
Close, Oliver J
Davies, Christopher E
Dodd, Michael C
Donaldson, Christopher S
Eley, Samuel J
Gascoigne, Andre E
Gosling, Christopher A
James, William A
Lambert, Thomas W
Lian, Justin K
MacIntosh, Marcus J
Na, Andre J
Neale, Matthew P
Nelson, Christopher A
Penhall, Hugh A
Phillips, William G
Scopelitis, Anthony P
Tyndall, Scot W
West, Thomas M
White, Cameron J
Wylie, Elliott G

5P
Bezborodow, Damien R
Bromell, Nicholas J
Buxton, Graham A
Capolongo, Anthony
Cervelli, Nathaniel M
Cherry, Matthew J
Christou, Athinagoras C
Denton, Thomas P
Dorsch , Alexander C
Hawkes, Henry M
Jensen, Micha A
Martin, Nicholas H
Nobbs, Benjamin J
Noske, Benjamin J
Oetjen, David S
Prior, Chris J
Pugh, Joshua I
Raeside, Casey P
Rees, Nicholas J
Ricketts, Thomas M

Rochow, Lane C
Selby, Philip R
Skirianos, Saran-Dis D
Spencer, Cameron A
Strazdins, Kurt A
Sullivan, Matthew
West, Angus R
Willsmore, Brett I

6Hn
Bourne, Nicholas P
Brown, Alexander P
Clarke, James H
Dodd, Robert C
Findlay, Tobias
Leung, David K
Mencel, Joseph C
Na, Justin U
Nesbitt, David C
Perks, Hugh C
Phillips, Thomas W
Reid, Stuart J
Sandow, Ryan L
Scaglione, Samuel G
Teal, Justin R
Temple, Adam J
Tsagouris, Daniel J
Warneke, Richard D

6Hs
Adamson, Hamish
Chrisohoou, Michael R
Cuthbertson, James M
Davis, Matthew L
Goode, Lucas G
House, Henry D
Kahl, Matthew B
Kelly, Andrew D
Khoo, Edmund, C
Marshman, Devon J
Mashtoub, Kamahl
Miller, Lachlan J
Monksfield, Nathan T
Platis, Jordan C
Politis, Paul-Alexander
Ramsey, Andrew
Rech, Paul J
Rinaldi, Adam J
Seaman, Michael J
Selway, James H
Stoyanoff, Matthew P
Tirrell, Samuel J
Walrut, Bernard C
Wheeler, Tyron H

6W
Acott, Thomas W
Cogan, Ryan N
Cook, Robert
Ellison, Thomas J
Fincher, Hugh E
Ghabriel, Stephen M
Gustafsson, Johan
Hains, Simon D
Harrison, David A
Harry, Benjamin T
Hickinbotham, Alan R
Hicks, Thomas G
Hoimes, James A
Hosking, Mark
House, Thomas J
Huxtable, Tomas B
Kernot, Thomas H
Moffatt, Stuart J
Popp, Michael J
Raggatt, Benjamin A
Stevens, Andrew J
Stollery, Trent M
Turner, Michael J
Van der Zee, Ben

7D
Alvaro, Nicholas J
Blair, Christian R
Bonner, James P
Broadbent, Matthew S
Close, Jeremy
Dalwood, James A
Dufour, Jeremy J
Gilchrist, Steven R
Heddle, Edward
Kapiris, Paul C
Kildea, Matthew J
Kyriakidis, Jacob
McLaughlin, Aaron J
Mitolo, Matthew J
Mockford, Nicholas J
Murray, Benjamin B
Perkins, James R
Radbone, Nicholas J
Rex, Mathew D
Seely, John L
Tapley, Joseph N
Tidswell, Christopher A
Toner, Austin
Treloar, Thomas D
Vrynios, Constantine

7M
Allen, Jordan F
Besir, John
Bethune, Michael C
Clothier, Aaron D
Denton, Richard J
Doolette, Angus J
Dorsch, William B
Eley, Jade
Galea, Blake T
Garry, Aaron M
Georgiadis, George C
Ghandour, Nader
Grieve, Edward C
Hobby, Andrew D
Jarvis, Mackenzie D
Knight, Samuel W
Koh, Samuel Y
Lucas, Evan R
Milton, Hugh D
Moschou, Simon M
Pappas, Nikonus
Park, Ki-Tae
Siciliano, Andrew N
Thomas, James R
Traianos, Christopher P
Welden-Iley, Jordan J
Westhorpe, Damien A
White, Alexander M

7W
Almond, Michael W
Bromell, Scott
Coombe, Evan M
Davies, Michael L
Garry, Cameron G
Horne, Sam
Hosking, Nicholas W
Hurburgh, Samuel C
Jones, Todd
Medlin, Tobias W
Morton, Leon H
Myhill, Matthew T
Owens, Hayden J
Phillis, Charles A
Pillarinos, Jamie
Pomery, Andrew B
Raptis, George M
Richards, Luke W
Roberts, Gareth P
Schelvis, Leigh A
Spencer, Christopher A
Tamblyn, Jonathon P
Taylor, Scott W
Thomas, James L
Weisz, Shep
Wong, Paul K

Senior School 1997

8 Bubner
Ballard Cameron
Bayetto Craig
Beard Peter
Cleveland Ashley
Doody Cameron
Elassaad Danny
Evans Thomas
Farrant Tom
Gilchrist Alexander
Hobby Brett
Jenne Nash
Kolarovich Sasha
Miller Toby
Mooney Benjamin
Park Tae-Ho
Paterson Craig
Quilliam Benjamin
Raeside Tyler
Sandow Jarrod
Sims Michael
Symons Leigh
Trim Mark
Washington Bryce
Whitham Aleck
Wong Gareth

8 Clark
Bills Darren
Blanchard Matthew
Burford Elliott
Carmody Gregory
Darley William
Dawe Jason
Denton Hugh
Dillon Alastair
George Ryan
Heywood-Smith Anthony
Jones Gavin
Kajino Sho
Lacey Benjamin
Lehman Jason
Lin Feng-An
Min Kyung-Joon
Magain Tom
Rawnsley Simon
Saint Alexander
Scott Lachlan
Smith Trent
Surman Andrew
Trelease Daniel
Trimble Robert
Trowse Wesley
Tyler Sam

8 Johnson
Bond Alexander
Borecki Peter
Brockhoff Edward
Cannan Matthew
Cartledge Bjorn
Cooper Andrew
Deduhin Nickolai
Dent Jack
Economou Anthony
Elliott Andrew
Fieg Anthony
Hall Benjamin
Kelly Henry
Martens Brent
Ngan Wilkie
Phillis Adam
Redmond Noah
Richardson Samuel
Ripley James
Salagaras Peter
Saxon Alexander
Sernecki Luke
Stoll Alexander
van Bavel Anton

8 Jordison
Barnett Kahn
Broom Rupert
Brown Lewis
Buxton Michael
Christou Demetrios
Cox Simon
Craven Michael
David Benjamin
Donaldson Timothy
Johinke Jason
Karaduman David
Marsland Leigh
McElwee Jonathan
McGuffog James
Michael Scott
Morgan Thomas
Nicholls Thomas
Ockenden Alexander
Olver Christopher
Overbeeke Nathan
Papathanasopoulos Peter
Park Hyun-Duk
Rains Alexander
Stevens Lang
Tysoe Michael

8 Pallett
Asimokopoulos Tommy
Bratasiuk Adam
Bridges Tom
Buxton Dudley
Carlier Lachlan
Clark Christopher
Crosby Joseph
Dawkins Thomas
Fung Ricky
Guelzow Joshua
Hall Fletcher
Hallett Michael
Kahl Adam
Kannangara Goshaka
Kerr Warren
Lillie David
Mathews Peter
McDonald Lachlan
Radford Angus
Raptis Arthur
Perks Thomas
Richardson Michael
Speakman Thomas

9 Blacket
Besir Michael
Chapman Alexander
Copley Andrew
Csaky Mischa
Davies Samuel
Drew Richard
Harrod James
Heuer Andreas
Hugo Nicholas
Masters Jeremy
Michael Thomas
Morfey Owen
Nguyen Anthony
Reding Nicholas
Robertson Ross
Salagaras Reuben
Stewart Nathaniel
Syvertson Marcus
Taylor Alexander
Thompson Aaron
Ung Ben
Waye-Harris Jacob
Wilson Michael

9 Delbridge
Bleby Mark
Camens Aaron
England Cameron
Furze Tasman
Garry Michael
Gill David
Haydon Wayne
Hocking Matthew
Hodgins Kris
Jackman Nicholas
Jovicevic John
Lee E.-Young
Longmire Evan
Price Adam
Rice Nathan
Rogers-Dryden Nicholas
Stankiewicz Michael
Steenvorde Richard
Vlassis Vangelis
Weckert Scott
Wilkinson Joseph
Will Andrew

9 Hemsley
Bolzon Douglas
Chapman Nick
Clothier Brendan
Cowley Alexander
Dufour Benjamin
Harris Scott
Herbert Adam
Hodge Lea
Holmes Peter
Johnson Simon
Kleinig Richard
Martin Thomas
Murchland Iain
Nielsen Andrew
Olechnowicz Sam
Perks Henry
Pilcher David
Puvi Aaron
Raptopoulos Philip
Rignanese Kon
St Claire Elliot
Wylie Owen
Yoon Byung-Kwan

9 Oldham
Alvaro Matthew
Campbell James
Chapman Michael
Christie Nicholas/Edwards Richard
Filmer Sean
Hallion Nathan
Hoffman Nicholas
Hudson Timothy
Hutton Justin
Huang Wei
Low Michael
Manning Phillip
Mitchell Jonathan
Muir Aidan
Rech Michael
Rinaldi Anthony
Ritter Nathaniel
Seglenieks Christopher
Teale Andrew
Thomas Sam
Wheeler Claytn

9 Stanton
Angel Timothy
Bickmore Ryan
Bourlotos Theodore
Close Bradley
Fornarino Benjamin
Green James
Hancock Christopher
Hick Collis
Horne Thomas
Jessop Thomas
Leslie Clinton
Mackie Lachlan
Macleod James
McDonald Michael
Mullan Simon
Purcell Alexander
Rankine Henry
Rattle Nicholas
Siciliano Michael
Southon Josh
Stevens Jarrad
Swanson Alex
Wegener Callum

10 B
Antonas George
Bulley Paul
Bratasiuk Alex
Britton Dylan
Cox Andrew
Crawford Miles
Daniel Bradley
Denton James
Fincher Andrew
Fisher Matthew
Grogan Adam
Guthrie Simon
Haylock Benjamin
Lane Edward
Lane Simon
Leung Christopher
Osborne David
Patterson Benjamin
Roma Mark
Salagaras John
Steinberg Martin
Tolmer John
Tunbridge Guy

10 D
Adamson Fergus
Bates Luke
Chen Cheng
Coles Rowan
Darsow Benjamin
Finlay Luke
Holmes Michael
Hurburgh Clifton
Jones Simon
King David
Koh Remy
McGrath Rob
McKnight Thomas
Phillips Andrew
Pyragius Chris
Sirakovit Drakon
Scott Bradley
Silz Alexander
Thomas Stephen
Whelan Michael
White Benjamin
Worthley Nicholas

10 H
Antonas Anthony
Bass-Rees James
Giamarelos Vasilios
Gardner Hugh N
Halim Peter
Johnson Lachlan
Lam Charles (Kin Fung)
Leckie Peter
Lewis Gareth
Manuell Hartley
Marantos Christos
Milligan Lawrie
Phillis Alexander
Powell Mark
Rogers Adam
Ross Andrew
Simmons Nicholas
Tsagouris Alexander
Waldron Blake
Williams David
Woodforde Mark

10 O
Antonas James
Bryant Andrew
Cheng Eric
Clarke Thomas
Cocchiaro Leon
Ferguson Edward
Gobolos Alexander
Hunt Timothy
Knight Bradley
Knight Samuel
Mahoney Tristan
McLeay Nicholas
Mignone Umberto
O'Neill Dominic
Paine Thomas
Pappas Yannis
Raeside Mitchel
Vanstone Roland
Whittenbury Thomas
Wong Bradley

10 R
Arney Simon
Barton Robert
Byrne Ryan
Chansiriwat Tui
Chun Hyuk-Sung
Edwards Seth
Han Sung-Kyun
Kaethner Thomas
Kitchin Nicholas
Longbottom Angus
Mitchell Angus
Myers Jamie
Phelps Nicholas
Plush David
Ramsey Ryan
Rhee Seung-Seok
Said Izam
Saputra Kenny
Short Gregg
Simpson Benjamin
Story Daniel
Talbot Stephen
Tilley Jarred
Trengove Tomas
Whitham Timothy
Williams Simon
Yates Haydn
Yusof Tarmizi

10 S
Croft Lachlan
Crook David
Crossley Paul
Duffy Thomas
Dwyer Grant
Gilchrist James
Gummow James
Just Matthew
Krzywonos Kajetan
Liu Pang Hung
Moffat Timothy
Nache Ryan
Nguyen Huy
Nicholls Timothy
Philpot Oliver
Pratt James
Saint Andrew
Schmidt Andrew
Spencer Timothy
Swensson Michael
Wijeyekoon Eshan

11 B
Araujo Henrique (Ricky)
Beard Michael A
Brinkworth Andrew M
Chalmers James H
Clark Timothy D
Copley Jonathan W
Davies Luke B
Hadjimarkou Kosta
Hicks Nicholas M
Hugo Henri V
Lang James A
Messner Jamie
Olver Scott I
Reding Christopher D
Shannahan Christian J
Stewart Joshua J
Trowse Stafford C
Wadham Trevor H
Wickham Joshua H
Williams Sam

11 D
Brinkley Michael
Collins Trent L
Faehse Samuel J
Harrison Richard
Hartstone Michael J
Jackson Thomas N
Mills Ben J
Newman Adam Kingsley
O'Reilly Stephen
Perks Hamish M
Pontifex Jamie E
Redmond Matthew F
Roach Stuart A
Roberts Jason D
Sheehan Peter
Victory Jean-Paul
Welsh Thomas J E
Wyatt Chad
Yeung Woody

11 H
Baker Aaron
Choi Dong-Gil
Clothier Bradley K S
Craven Jamie B
Dawe Hamish A
Fielder Nathan
Lam Simon (Kim Man)
Loveday Graham J
Lovell Thomas A
Makphol Alongkorm
Martin Michael N
Newman Thomas A
Roediger Christian
Thomas Oliver
White Timothy J W
Williams Lachlan P
Wylie Clint W
Yap Toby C A-Y

11 O
Antonas Daniel J
Bennett Stephen J
Broom Adrian J
Campbell Thomas A
Dietman Matthew C
Freeland William C
Girgolas Matthew T
Golding Liam D B
Groves Warwick J
Khoo Patrick D
Low Jonathan S H
Manuel Ryan P
Markwick Andrew J
Mooney Andrew J
Nguyen Thanh
Norman Joshua A D
Rose Maxwell
Rundle Craig F
Simcock Christopher G
Sullivan Andrew D
Williams Timothy J
Wong Timothy K C

11 R
Barlow Samuel R
Cartledge Henry D
Coates Marcus
Cook Damon
Dearing Benjamin
Gunning Scott
Hickman Brenton
Kajino Yutaka
Kang Junshik
Kealy Sam
Kho Steven
Lange Michael
Laver Alex
Lee Henry
Mc Gregor Don
Masters Shane
Mohamad Aminul
Mort Jock
Morton Peter
Myers Simon
Parsons Aaron
Ranpura Ashish
Robinson Andrew
Rowland Alistair
Rowland Hugh
Sandow Alister J
Stone Darrin
Talbot Andrew
Tucker Mark
Wake Rowan
Wehr Stewart

11 S
Bell Tom
Bilyk Marc
Croft Jeremy M
Green Andrew N
Hough Andrew P
Jones Hugh A
Kelly Rupert
Klauber James G
Lovell Christopher J
Martens Dale L
McDonald Stephen A
Nichols Scott J
Olijnyk Pij
Ramsey Michael
Rofe Paul
Secomb Justin A
Sutherland Heath J
Tirrell Joshua S
Trim David M
Verpoorten Shane M
Williams Justin J
Wimbush Trent J

12 B
Au Kai Sum
Chong Timothy W-C
Dean Nicholas P
Drew Christopher R
Forbes Daniel M
Gaunt Hayden S M
Harrod Alexander W
Hobby Michael D
Khaw Kevin (Keng -Hor)
MacDonald William T
Moore Stephen K
Morfey Gwyn
Ng Jeff (Soon Chiat)
Robinson Luke
Taylor Duncan
Thompson Matthew W
Thiengburanathum Pree
Timbs Andrew P
Vodopivec Troy A
Wickham Tennyson J
Williams Luke
Woodhouse Gareth P

12 D
Chan Darren Jee Seong
Day James R
Dillon Angus E
Fung Damian J
Greiner John F
Henderson Mark W
Lock David
Macintosh Julian S
McKay Scott A
Mullane Luke G
Ngan Kanvin
Palios Vasilios G
Pettman Mark J
Phillips Jonathon C
Sanders Nicholas P
Tamblyn Thomas J
Thomas Ryan J
Williams Ryan J
Wilson Benjamin N
Worthley Andrew L
Weisz Kirk (T2&3)

12 H
Ashcroft Ross I
Barber Russell
Chong Woon-Feng
Cooksley Huw H
De Maria Joseph J
Forsyth Benjamin
Glaetzer Nicholas C
Humphries Mark A
Kurylowicz Benjamin S
Lam Angas
Liston Adrian
Marantos Alexander
Min Mike (Shih-Hsuan)
Nicholls Samuel J
Polomka Daniel E
Rasheed Matthew D
Richardson Adam R
Rogers Martin W
Tan Duncan
Williams Damien M
Woite Ryan

12 O
Basuki Yogie
Burke Simon D R
Edwards Krisjon
Gobolos Mark S
Jarvis Lachlan
Korkiatphitak Boonpat
Kontozis Kyriacos
Manfield Joseph B
McMahon Jeremy
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