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Mrs J Blades (1997) – Catering Assistant
Mrs N Boraso (2000) – School Assistant, Preparatory School
Mrs R Brice (2007) – Scool Assistant, Preparatory School
Mr P Brown (1997) – Trades Assistant
Mr D Buchanan (2005) – Business Operations Manager (Term 1)
Mrs J Buchanan (2006) – Library Assistant, Preparatory School
Ms C Buck (1989) – Out of School Hours Child Care Coordinator
Mr A B Chambers (2006) B.Min. – Youth Minister
Ms P Cook (2005) – Housekeeper
Mr D F Cornish (2001), B.Bus. (UniSA) – Manager, Development
Mrs P Coupe (1986) – Housekeeping
Mr A Crawford (1996)–Printer
Mr P Dawes (2000) – Project Manager
Mrs C Fagioli (2006) – Laundry Assistant
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Mr W F Fechner (2003) – Security Caretaker
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Mr R R Gardiner (1996), B.Bus. (Acc)–Finance Officer
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Mrs M W Gleaves (1979) – Executive Assistant to the Headmaster
Mrs N Grab (2007) – Housekeeping
Mrs M Green (2006) – Library Assistant, Secondary School
Ms K Harding (2006) — Administrative Assistant (Staffing)
Mr M H Hissey (2000), B.A. Acc, CPA–Finance Manager (Terms 1, 2, 3)
Miss H Howard (2006) — Receptionist, Administrative Assistant (Boarding House) (Term 3)
Mr P Hughes (2001)–Property Services Manager
Mrs M Hurnell (1993)–Administrative Assistant (Boarding House and Pastoral Care)(Terms 1 and 2)
Mr K Irvine (2000)–Housekeeping
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Mrs J Larcombe (1995)–Catering Assistant
Miss P Lathlean (2007) – Receptionist
Miss T Learmonth (2007) – Human Resources Manager
Mrs C Lenman (1999), RN – School Nurse
Mr D Lyne (2005) – Team Leader, Finance
Mrs H McDonald (2005) – Administrative Assistant (Finance)
Mr A McLachlan (1984) – Plumber
Mrs M L McLaughlin (1995) – Administrative Assistant (Secondary School)
Mr J Mitchell (2007) – Technical Assistant
Ms K Moyle (2007) – Assistant to Head of Finance
Miss N Ong (1987) – Catering Assistant
Mrs K Peterson (2006) – Administrative Assistant (Music Department and Pastoral Care)
Mr I Pilkington (2007) – Multimedia and Network Technician
Mrs J Porter (2007) – Administrative Assistant (Preparatory School)
Mr D Potts (2002) – Director of Rowing
Ms K Prosser (2007), Dip.Outdoor Rec. (Tafe SA) – Outdoor Education Instructor (Terms 1 and 2)
Ms A Rees (2005) – Kindergarten Assistant
Mrs K Reynolds (2006) – Kindergarten Assistant
Mrs M Roberts (1997) – Assistant to Admissions and Strategy and Communications
Mrs F Robertson (1992) – Accounting Officer
Mrs C J Roney (2004) – Manager, Admissions
Ms K Rose (2002) – Catering Assistant
Mrs S Sibly (2006) – School Assistant
Mr P Sillett (1989) – Laboratory Technician
Mr M S Talbot (1997), B.Sc. (Hons)–Network Technical Assistant
Mrs M L Saunders (2005) – Manager, Communications and Strategy
Ms A Thomson (2000), RN–School Nurse
Mrs A Totani (2007) – School Assistant, Preparatory School
Mrs E E Uhde (1981)–Tuckshop Manager, Preparatory School
Mr M Vidler-May (2007) — Housekeeping
Mr M Walker (2007), B.A.Aust.St., Grad Dip.Info St. – AV Library Technician
Mrs D L Wilson (1998) – Administrative Assistant (Curriculum)
Mr S Wood (1999) – Assistant Network Manager (Terms 1 and 2)

Princes Parade

Mrs M Nicholls (2002) – Manager, Facilities Officer
Ms T Christensen (1996) – Assistant
Mrs L Hollitt (2007) – Assistant

Boarding House Staff

Mr B Cook (2005)
Mr F Guo (2005)
Mr J Hern (2007)
Mr M Nestor (2007)
Mr A Keal (2007)
Mr C Kelly (2005)
Mr D Hern (2007)
Mr L Griffiths (2007)
Mr E Brockhoff (2007)
Mr M Surry – Gap Student

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Ms E Berberyan (2006), B.Mus. (Hons); M.Mus. (Sth Africa) – Violin
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Mr J Callisto (1999), B.Mus.(Jazz), Grad.Dip.Ed.(SACAE) – Bass Guitar
Ms E Chin (2001), B.Mus. (Hons Perf), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adel) – Piano
Mr R Dawe OAM (1992), A.Mus.A. – Voice/Choirmaster
Ms A Douglas (1995), Dip.Mus. (Adel) – Flute
Mr C Elmer (1995), Ass.Dip. (Jazz), B.Mus. (Jazz) (Adel) – Modern Guitar
Mr P Ferreira (2007), B.Mus (Adel), B.Ed. (Flinders)
Mr F Fragomeni (2003), Ass.Dip. (Jazz), B.Mus. (Jazz) (Adel) – Percussion
Ms U Gruszewski (2001), B.A., B.Mus. (Hons), Dip.Ed., Masters (Music) – Piano
Mr W Hancock (2001), B.Mus. (Hons) (Adel) – Piano
Ms A Heike (2007), B.Mus. (Hons) (AIM), L.Mus.A. – Violin
Mr N Holmes (2005), B.Mus. (Orchestral Studies) (Adel) – Clarinet
Mr D Jacquier (1991), B.A. (Mus), B.Ed. (Adel)
Mr J Kourbelis (1989), B.Mus. (SACAE), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Adel) – Guitar
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Mrs J Parkinson (1990), B.Ed.(Mus) (Adel) – Piano
Mr R Plummer (2004), B.Mus., Adv.Dip. (Perf) (Adel) – Trumpet
Mr R Smith (2004), Dip.RAM., FRCO, LRAM, ARCM, LGSM, MIMT, MACE – Piano
Ms R Stimson (2002), B.Mus. (Perf), Dip.Ed. (Adel) – Oboe
Mr S Varga (1996), B.Mus. (Ed), Grad.Dip.Ed. (Sec) – Percussion
Mr J Webb (2007), B.Mus. (Adel), Grad.Dip.Perf. (RNCM, UK) – Cello

Editorial

The purpose of the Prince Alfred College Chronicle is to publish and highlight the highs and lows of this schooling year. It aims to capture and preserve the very essence of current school life, so that one day, when the current Princes' men are old and grey we can reflect on the 'Good old days'. For Princes, this year has seen many new goals met and many new challenges acquired.

Prince Alfred College strives to maintain the very best of education. In its aim to make Princes a world class school, some of the older buildings have undergone very modern restoration. The buildings that house the faculty areas of Science, Humanities, Mathematics and the Library are now symbols of a truly up-to-date and environmentally friendly school. The most recent building to be renovated is the Mathematics building (the Wilfred Cooper Building). This three-storey Mathematics complex incorporates state of the art computer laboratories and multi-purpose classrooms, which means that classes have ceiling fitted projectors and large open floor space. The new three level walkway that surrounds the divide between the Humanities and Mathematics buildings means that gaining access to the upper levels takes only one minute. This walkway also incorporates a lift which helps with wheelchair access and heavy lifting.

This year the students have also had access to the new library. The Frederic Chapple Library offers a modern computing facility, desks, couches with ottomans and large windows which gives the building a comfortable natural light. This library has been the place for both rest and study for many of the hard working Princes' men.

Princes has also experienced celebrated sporting success. In both the Summer and Winter Intercollegiate Contests Princes experienced the elation of victory in many sports, including some which Saints have had a stronghold on for many years. One of the most memorable was the Football Intercol, where Princes emerged back to back victors. This moment of celebration is captured on the front cover of this Chronicle. Congratulations to all of those who participated in these contests, and displayed good sportsmanship in both victory and defeat.

2007 has given the students of Prince Alfred College more opportunities to extend themselves mentally and physically. Headmaster Kevin Tutt this year started the new Extended Stay Program for all boys in Year 9. This experience gives the boys five weeks away from school and family life, making the boys dependent on each other to survive. This year saw the first students off on a three-week program on the land that was purchased on the Yorke Peninsula.

Unfortunately this year has also had elements of tragedy, with the sudden death of Senior Physics Teacher, Mr Malcolm Dawe. Mr Dawe was a good friend to many of the students and teaching staff. His passing reminds us of how life can be with us one second and gone the next. The Princes community mourns the loss of Mr Dawe and sends its sympathy to Mrs Dawe and her family.

The Chronicle Committee this year was thrilled to have Mrs Boccaccio back to head the Committee after two years leave to care for her new family. Unfortunately, this year Mrs Leaker is leaving Princes. We would like to offer our sincere thanks for the work she has done in collating the Preparatory School section of the Chronicle for the past three years. Overall this year has been a great success and the Princes Community farewells the class of 2007 and wishes them well in their exams.

Cameron Coventry

Chronicle Committee 2007

L to R: Mrs K Boccaccio, L O Wood, S R Mugford, C J Coventry, M J Butler, M Verlato, H J Lloyd, C T Altschwager, D T McKenzie

Headmaster's Report

Mr Kevin Tutt

2007 represents the 138th year in the history of Prince Alfred College. This year has been dominated by significant capital projects in both the Preparatory and Secondary Schools, and exciting curriculum developments for our Middle Year students. The Master Plan, the Strategic Plan and Pathways to Excellence have served as the framework for achievements during the year and set us on a path of continual improvement, all with the intent of realising our vision to be a world class school for boys.

The Prince Alfred College Council has once again been ably led by Chairman, Mr Bruce Spangler. He has been assisted by the Council Executive comprising Mr Peter Bacciarelli, Deputy Chairman; Mr Ross Dillon, Treasurer; and Mr Jeff Ellison, Secretary. Much of the work of Council this year has involved the implementation of the final stages of the Governance Review which has led to constitutional changes for the Electoral Committee and Council. Prince Alfred College was formed under an Act of Parliament and amendments to the Act were required before the new constitution could come into effect. This was finalised in October. From the beginning of 2008 the Prince Alfred College Council will operate under a new, more modern corporate structure better suited to the needs of a contemporary school.

Council operates a number of committees including Finance, Building, Heritage and Industrial Relations. These have been chaired respectively by Mr Ross Dillon, Mr Craig Nicholls, Rev Dr Adrian Brown and Mr Peter Bacciarelli. Each committee has made a significant contribution to the development of the school evident in improved infrastructure, a strong financial position, a greater respect for our heritage and improved provisions for all staff. The Moderator of the Uniting Church, Synod of South Australia, the Rev Graham Vawser, has made an important contribution to cementing the relationship between the school and the Uniting Church. I express sincere thanks to retiring members of Council, Rev Chris Harkness, Rev Bill Reddin, Rev Andrew Morris and Mr Ross Dillon.

At the beginning of the year, two new buildings were opened, including the ***Frederic Chapple Library*** in the Secondary School and the ***Norman Mitchell Building*** comprising eight learning spaces in the Preparatory School. Also, the Junior Primary classrooms and the Preparatory School office area were blessed and named as the ***James Robertson Building*** in honour of the first Head of the Preparatory School. The ***Frederic Chapple Library*** was officially named in honour of the fourth Headmaster, and opened on 9th March by his descendant, Mr Geoffrey Chapple. The ***Norman Mitchell Building***, named after the third Head of the Preparatory School, was opened officially on 23rd February by Emeritus Professor Robert Crompton AM, Old Scholar and close friend of Mr Mitchell. On the same day, the ***James Robertson Building*** was declared open by Old Scholar, Mr John Adamson, the great nephew of Mr Robertson. The Preparatory School now offers state of the art facilities for boys from Kindergarten to Year 7. The final stage of the Preparatory School Master Plan now underway is the construction of a multi-purpose gymnasium, a music centre, facilities for language teaching, out of school hours care and tuckshop, toilets and change rooms. This will be an outstanding facility for use by all members of the school community.

Building developments in the Secondary School have focused on the refurbishment of the three storey Centenary Wing to provide facilities for teaching and learning principally for Mathematics, locker and House spaces for Waterhouse and Cotton, and spaces for meetings and examinations. The Centenary Wing will be renamed the ***Wilfred Cooper Building*** in honour of a major benefactor to the school. This building will be connected to the ***Neil Smart Building*** by a dramatic covered courtyard. This $3.5 million project will greatly enhance the aesthetics of the Secondary School and complement the outstanding facilities we already provide for secondary students.

Mr Kevin Tutt and Mrs Cynthia May with Captain of School, Chris Harry, and Vice-Captain Brian Chui.

A spectacular development this year has been the establishment of an ***Extended Stay Program*** and the construction of a new campus for Year 9 students at Point Turton on the Yorke Peninsula. This program has developed from a Masters research project by member of staff, Mr Dale Hobbs, and sees our Year 9 students living and working away from the Kent Town campus for five weeks. This experiential learning program includes rigorous academic study in the field, community service, and outdoor and recreational challenges. The trial this year has demonstrated very clearly that this is an outstanding program for boys and serves as an exceptional experience for students in the final year of the Middle Years

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Program at Prince Alfred College. Sincere thanks are extended to Mr Dale Hobbs and Mr Ken Watson for their dedication to implementing this unique project.

New Horizons, our Strategic Plan from 2005 to 2010 has continued to guide developments in the school. 31 of the 40 initiatives have been completed or are in the process of implementation. Key elements of the Strategic Plan in 2007 have been improvements in professional development for teachers and higher benchmarks for literacy and numeracy. Mrs Leeanne Brook in the Preparatory School has made a significant contribution in the role of Literacy Coordinator assisted by Ms Tabitha Clune in the Secondary School. Other facets of the Strategic Plan have been improvements in management and governance structures and the appointment of a Human Relations Manager to meet our commitment to providing for the unique needs and holistic development of boys. The Master Plan, as a key feature of the Strategic Plan, has also been a key focus in 2007.

During Term 1, the school undertook a guided assessment exercise in accordance with the ***Australian Business Excellence Framework***. This process of continual improvement led to 14 short term actions and five long term plans for improvement in the key areas of professional development, curriculum, knowledge management, process management, and human relations management. There have been many developments in these five areas which will progress through into 2008. The school enjoyed its association with Mr John McDowall, a business consultant, who worked alongside me in this important exercise in continual improvement.

The school has been very ably led in 2007 by Mrs Cynthia May, Head of the Secondary School; Mr Grant Nalder and Mr Neil Andary, as Heads of the Preparatory School; Mr David Stewart, Business Director; Mr Justin Sinclair, Head of Finance; Mr Grant Davis, Director of Development; and, more recently, Mr Tony Ashdown as Director of Community Relations. The School Executive Committee plays a major role in decision-making and establishing structures and systems for quality leadership of the school. I have been pleased to work with this outstanding team, which also includes the Rev Trevor Klar, our Chaplain.

Mr Kevin Tutt with the 2006 prizewinners.

During the year, Mr Grant Davis left to take up a new opportunity at Brisbane Boys College, Mr Grant Nalder shifted to Trinity Grammar School in Melbourne and Mr David Stewart assumed new responsibilities in managing the school's resources. Mrs Cynthia May will leave Prince Alfred College at the end of the year to become the Deputy Principal of St Margaret's Anglican Girls' School in Brisbane, and on behalf of the whole school I express my sincere thanks to her for the considerable contribution she has made to the development of the Secondary School at Princes.

The staff at Prince Alfred College remain a dedicated and committed team of people. A key appointment has been to the position of Human Resources Manager, which was filled by Ms Terry Learmonth, formerly a Preparatory School teacher here at Prince Alfred College who returned after seven years working in the human resources field. Other staff changes included the departure of Mrs Tracy Morrell, our Educational Psychologist and Mr Darryl Buchanan, the Business Operations Manager. Other staff who moved to take up new opportunities include Mr Anthony Izzo, Mr Shane Wood, Mrs Deborah Thornton-Wakeford, Mr Gavin Marcus, Ms Carolyn Guterres, Mrs Karen Inwood, Mrs Kate Boccaccio, Mr David Freesmith, Ms Anna Melino, Mrs Kaye Leaker, Mrs Filomena Longo, Dr Jim Flatt and Mr Andrew Chambers, the Youth Minister. The contribution of all these staff to boys' education at Prince Alfred College is difficult to measure and I thank every one of them sincerely for their contribution to Prince Alfred College. We were pleased to welcome back Ms Marilyn Hunt after more than two years of leave working at St Dominic's International School in Lisbon, Portugal. Congratulations go to many of our staff on maternity leave including Mrs Georgia Bradford, Mrs Sarah Taylor and Mrs Susan Lock. We look forward to the return in 2008 of Mrs Rosie Brooke and Mrs Pip Cooper.

With the departure of Mr Nalder and the elevation of Mr Andary, the school undertook to appoint a new Deputy Head of the Preparatory School. We were pleased to welcome Mr Craig McFarlane from Xavier College in Melbourne from Term 4 this year.

The four Houses of Cotton, Taylor, Waterhouse and Watsford are an important feature of the school, most evident in House Athletics and Swimming and as a means for the delivery of pastoral care in the Secondary School. The six staff who work as Heads of House and Heads of Year in the Secondary School deserve praise for their work in the social and emotional development of our young men. Similarly, those Year Coordinators and classroom teachers in the Preparatory School who work alongside parents to guide the transition of boys to adulthood.

House events during the year saw wins by Taylor House in Secondary Swimming and Watsford House in Senior Athletics. In the Preparatory School all Houses had a level of success: Waterhouse won the Athletics, Taylor the Cross Country, Watsford were our best swimmers and Cotton won the T-Ball and Tennis competition. The Wesley Cup for most successful House in the Secondary School was won by Watsford — this includes scores from Swimming, Athletics, House Competitions and effort grade averages over the year.

Mr Sam Cheesman is to be congratulated on his work as Head of Boarding this year. He has been ably supported by Mr Peter Hopkins and Mr Chris Nicholls and also by Mrs Margaret Hurnell who, after many years of service to the Secondary School and the Boarding House, retired at the end of Term 2. Jesse Barker Gale has been a competent Captain of Boarding this year and has been well supported by the Unit Leaders. Our Boarding House has been full all year and comprises a diverse group of boys from South Australia, interstate and overseas. Boarders' Day has become a highlight of the year.

Prince Alfred College welcomes more than 50 international students to our community. The special needs of these boys has been enhanced by the introduction of an International Students' Transition Program which provides language and cultural instruction for our newly arriving students from overseas. Ms Anna Polias, Ms Mani White and Mr David Freesmith have provided outstanding leadership in this area.

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The Year 12 results from 2006 were exceptionally good. The Dux of the School was awarded to Peter Avina who achieved a perfect IBDP score of 45 out of 45 and a TER of 99.95. Peter was one of 13 students in the world to achieve this peak result in the International Baccalaureate Diploma. The ***proxime accessit*** was Davor Pavlin-Premrl also with a TER of 99.95. The Malpas Prize for Science was awarded to Tony Le; the Longbottom Prize for Mathematics to James Moschou; and the Colton Prize for Arts and Languages to Tseng Hui Heng. 101 students undertook the SACE and 40 the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme in 2006. These students were awarded a total of 49 Merit scores, seven for SACE and 42 for the IBDP. 77 of our students were in the top 20% of the State and 92% were offered their first preference in tertiary places for SATAC. The 2006 Headmaster's Medal was awarded jointly to two outstanding Princes Men, Stefan Pretorius and Caleb Salagaras.

The school has once again been blessed with outstanding student leadership. Chris Harry, School Captain; Brian Chui, Vice-Captain; the Prefects; House, Sports and Music Captains have represented the student body expertly and overseen many improvements for our young men. This has been much the same in the Preparatory School where Ross Anderson, Captain; Nicholas Fitzgerald, Vice-Captain; and the team of leaders have set exemplary standards.

The ***Red and White*** is typically the best example of our students' ability in organisation and leadership. The Oscar Night was a tribute to the dedication of Toby Nihill and his committee. There are many other examples where the student leaders have shown initiative and worked collaboratively with staff to provide for the needs and interests of Princes boys.

The 10th ***Gerard Innovation Lecture*** was presented by Old Scholar, Mr Duncan Chessell whose story of his achievements in climbing the highest peaks in Asia and Antarctica was an inspiration to us all. The Gerard family, specifically Mr John Gerard, have a proud association with our school and we thank them sincerely for their commitment to this annual lecture.

The school was pleased to host Dr Michael Thompson, a US psychologist and leading expert on boys' social/emotional development and single sex education. Dr Thompson provided a number of workshops for students and staff and also a forum for parents. St Michael's College and St Peter's College joined with us in support of providing the best possible education for boys.

The Intercollegiate contests for Summer and Winter Sports were wonderful demonstrations of the school's sporting prowess. The end of the Summer Sports Season saw Prince Alfred College victorious over St Peter's College in Swimming, Badminton and Tennis, with losses in Rowing and Cricket. Prince Alfred College has been a premier Swimming school for many years and its success in Badminton has been reinforced this year. The Tennis Team has had an outstanding season under coach Mr Josh Tuckfield and our future in Tennis looks good. Despite an outstanding Rowing season, the First and Second VIII crews lost to Saints. The success of Rowing at Princes is attributed to the work of Mr Daren Potts, Director of Rowing; Mr Vaughn Huddleston; the coaching team; and the Rowing Parents' Support Group. The Cricket Intercol is one of the great traditions of both schools and this year Prince Alfred College lost by three wickets after a very closely contested game.

The Winter Intercol Season saw wins for Princes in Football 15.20 to 7.10; Soccer 1–nil; and Hockey 5 goals to 3. Prince Alfred College lost to Saints in Basketball and Rugby. The Princes' sides enjoyed much success in all age groups in Intercol events. The Hockey teams were undefeated and Football accorded wins in Years 5, 7A, 7B, 8, 10A and 10B. The improvement in Soccer this year is noted with the First XI Soccer Team competing in the semi-final of the State Knock-Out Competition for the first time. In Squash fifteen Prince Alfred College teams made the semi-finals and six the grand finals, with two winning for the season.

A feature of our sporting program this year has been the introduction of Sports Development Coaches in all key sports. These positions are responsible for talent identification and for working with the coaches to maximise the sporting potential of our students. This is beginning to have a very positive influence on our sporting program. Sincere thanks go to Mr Mark Dell'Oro, the Director of Sport; Mr Tim Weatherald, Sports Coordinator in the Preparatory School; and all coaching staff for their exemplary commitment to sport at Princes.

This year's musical, ***Grease***, was performed over three nights in June. The ***Princes Music Theatre Company*** comprised 40 boys and a similar number of girls representing the five independent girls' schools, mostly from Annesley College and St Peter's Collegiate Girls' School. It was a first class performance under the direction of Mr Peter Hopkins, with assistance from Mrs Pamela Freeman. Lead roles by Douglas Vandepeer, Cameron Coventry and Sam Clarkson were evidence of the talent of our boys.

Drama has attracted a large group of students in 2007. Key productions included The ***Les D'Arcy Show*** by the middle year students and ***Of Mice and***

The Memorial Building as it was c.1955.

As it is, June 2007.

As it will be, 2008.

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Men by the senior boys. Each was an outstanding production and the school expresses its sincere thanks to Ms Karen Inwood and Mr Michael Steer for their abilities in the teaching of drama and in the direction of each production. The Arts in general are popular amongst our students and there is considerable evidence of the artistic abilities of our students in Music, Drama, Visual Arts and Design.

Following in the footsteps of the successful 2006 Mooting Team, Prince Alfred College again won the State Finals of the Bond University Mooting Competition this year. The team, comprising Lachlan Campbell, Hugh Burton and William Gray competed in the national finals on the Gold Coast in July. Sincere thanks are extended to the two coaches, Ms Helena Jasinski and Mr Mark Hosking.

Tours overseas are an important part of our extra curricular program here at Prince Alfred College. In January a group of students led by Mr Jurgen Kracht and Mr Craig Bowyer participated in a language and cultural study tour to France. In April, the Prince Alfred College Hockey Team toured China as organised by Mr Bob Claxton, coach, and Mr Andrew Buxton and Mr Robin Parsons from the school. In July six Year 11 students, Clyde Altschwager, Ian Mazure-Johnstone, Andrew Pederick, Meherzad Shroff, William Veitch, and William Young travelled to Edmonton, Canada for the Global Youth Institute Conference. The group was led by Mr Peter Hopkins and old scholar, Matthew Purdy. In October, Mr Phil Noble, Coordinator of Scotts Creek, joined a group of fathers and sons to trek the Kokoda Trail. In February the school welcomed 50 students and five teachers from the Senior School attached to Shandong Teachers' University in Jinan, Shandong Province in China. We were thrilled that the Principal of the school, Mr Yu Shuzeng, was a member of the tour group. The two schools have been close friends for more than 15 years largely due to the work and influence of Mr Jurgen Kracht, our Head of Languages.

The Frederic Chapple Library

The school's band program continues to perform at the highest level under the direction of Mr Andrew Newhouse. Our bands were placed in the top ten of all categories entered for the Mount Gambier Jazz Festival. The bands also performed two ***Gigs at the Gov*** which were wonderful demonstrations of their highly professional ability in music performance. Our bands also participated in the Yamaha South Australian Schools Festival held at Westminster School in August. Each of the seven bands and ensembles were awarded silver or gold medals with the Senior Concert Band winning the Best Overall Band.

The Chapel Choir, under the direction of Mr Robert Dawe, has sustained the highest level of choral performance this year and ensures that our Easter Service and Carol Service held at Wesley Church Kent Town are magnificent events.

The Parents and Friends' Associations for the Preparatory School and whole school have continued to support the school in friend and fundraising. Respective Presidents, Mrs Janine Duffield, Mrs Gerry Stevens and Mrs Marion Tregeagle have overseen a number of highly successful events, most particularly the annual ***Art Show***, which has led to very sizeable donations to the school to support developments in teaching and learning. Particular thanks are extended to Mrs Gerry Stevens who served the P&F Association for many years.

During the year Mr Harry Perks retired as President of the Prince Alfred College Foundation and has been replaced by Mr Andrew Chapman. The school is sincerely grateful for the generosity of Mr Perks and for his significant leadership over many years. The school expresses its thanks to all members of the Foundation Board who have embarked upon a new strategic direction in support of the development of the school for the future.

The Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association has been ably led by its President, Mr Rex Wilson, in 2007. Old Scholars' Week was celebrated in July and included the great Princes' traditions of Old Old Boys' Assembly, the Annual Dinner with more than 600 in attendance and the Old Scholars' Service. The PAOCA sporting teams have had a successful season this year. Our sincere thanks go to all members of the PAOCA committee for their generous support of their old school.

Brenton Whittaker, Geraldine Cox and a number of young students from the Sunrise Children's Villages in Cambodia, are welcomed by Headmaster Kevin Tutt, and scholarship older Sopheak Louch, also from Cambodia.

A highlight of the year was the centenary of the London Branch of the PAOCA. 103 Princes Men attended a Centenary Dinner at the Oxford and Cambridge Club in Pall Mall. The special guest was His Excellency Richard Alston, Australian High Commissioner to the UK. The night was a tribute to the work of Mr David Gray, our London convenor, and to Mr David Cornish whose publication of ***Old Reds in the Old Country*** was a magnificent record of 100 years of old scholars celebrating their old school ties in London.

The sudden death of Mr Malcolm Dawe came as a shock to all members of staff. Malcolm began at the school in 1982 and taught Physics, Geology, Mathematics and Science. His co-curriculum interest was in Cricket and he coached either the First XI or the Second XI for most of his time at Prince Alfred College. Malcolm served the school in many roles, including Deputy Director of Studies, Manager of the Clipsal Innovation Centre, Head of Physics and, most recently, as Careers Officer. From November 1997 until the end of 2000, Malcolm was a Director of Tunku Putra International School in Kuching. Malcolm Dawe was a highly respected member of staff and he is greatly missed.

2007 has been a wonderful year in the history of Prince Alfred College. There has been considerable development in the school this year in buildings, curriculum and programs which ensure the school's premier position as a leading school for boys in Australia. We look forward to 2008 which will feature the 125th anniversary of Rowing at Princes but, more importantly, further development and new initiatives in boys' education.

Kevin Tutt
Headmaster

Chaplain's Report

Mr Trevor Klar

This year has been varied for the chaplaincy team. Much of our work has again revolved around the various worship responsibilities in the school. The involvement of students remains central in this with much very thoughtful input being provided by them. I have been very pleased with the great depth and spiritual insight shown by our students. This is the second year that the Year 12s have led a Secondary School Chapel Service on behalf of their house and the standard of these has improved significantly. The highlight was the Watsford service led by James Byers on homelessness. The passion and thoughtfulness of the service was exemplary.

This year we have changed the structure of Boarder's Chapel in response to a suggestion from the Head of Boarding and now there are now two all Boarder's Chapels, another for all Boarders combined with Annesley, and then the Year 7–9s, Year 10s, Year 11s and Year 12s each have a worship experience for just their age group. This change seems to have been well received, and I look forward to further feedback from the next Boarding survey.

A new program of the school this year has been the Extended Stay Program and the chaplaincy team has been involved in this, incorporating a segment on meditation and reflection as part of their program. I have travelled across to be with the students twice and have worked with these groups. I have been pleased to find that for most of them it has been a helpful exercise, with many finding the opportunity to mix exercise and meditation suiting them well. Others found the chance to reflect on their own emotions in a structured way helpful.

The work of the Youth Minister in the Middle Years continues and the "Friday hangouts" for Year 8s were so successful and so many Year 9s still found them helpful that a Year 9 hangout was commenced fortnightly on Thursdays. For both the Year 8 and Year 9 hangouts we are very thankful to have youth workers from surrounding churches come in to help out.

Much of the work of both Chaplain and Youth Worker remains focussed on supporting individual boys in their journey through life and particularly in the more difficult parts of that journey. For some of them it may be one or two conversations but for others it is a much longer involvement and much more support.

The school community remains a place of joys and struggles and we have had the opportunity to celebrate engagements, weddings and births this year. It is always a joy to see so many wonderful events shared among the staff. There is always the sadness of death as well and this year we not only farewelled old scholars but also had the shock of a staff member dying whilst at work, when Malcolm Dawe unexpectedly died during the holidays whilst doing preparation for the next term's lessons. I will personally miss Malcolm as we had a warm professional relationship, and I know that for many other staff as well, Malcolm was more than a colleague.

I thank God always for the privilege of working with people and particularly with the young men of Prince Alfred College. Once again there will be some fine young men who will leave this place, and others who will finish growing into fine men later.

I wish to thank the Youth Minister, Andrew Chambers, who continues to give us more than 4/10ths time and effort and wish each of you God's blessing in all things.

Trevor Klar, Chaplain

Adam Collins Portrait

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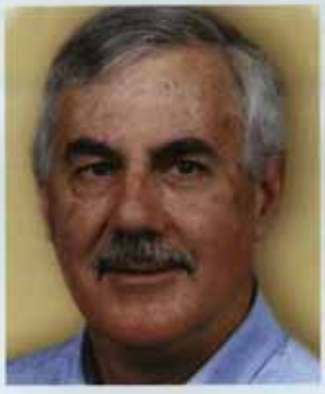
Malcolm Dawe

Mr Malcolm Dawe was appointed at Prince Alfred College from the beginning of the 1982 academic year as a teacher of Physics, Geology, Mathematics and Science.

As a teacher, Malcolm displayed a deep knowledge and interest in his teaching subjects, as well as genuine concern that each of his students learnt to his fullest capacity.

Malcolm Dawe was also an experienced cricketer and footballer. He played Seconds Football for Woodville Football Club, and was associated with the Teachers College and East Torrens Cricket Clubs. He took on the role of Coach of the First XI in 1982. He also coached the Second XI for a number of years, and retained a keen interest in cricket. Malcolm taught his cricketers and footballers the skills and attitudes he exemplified: play as a team, respect opponents, and the game itself, always strive for personal best, while shunning selfishness, and to maintain the highest standards of sportsmanship. In this regard, Malcolm revealed not only his own values but his insistence on maintaining the traditions fostered by his predecessors and to be handed on to those who would follow.

During his time at PAC, Malcolm contributed to the life of the school in many roles. He was variously Deputy Director of Studies, Head of Physics, organiser of the Year 10 Transition Education Program, Manager of the



Clipsal Innovation Centre, Coordinator of Access Learning, VET Co-ordinator, Curriculum Administrator and Careers Officer. At all times he carried out his duties with diligence and courtesy. He planned important segments of the school's program immaculately. His control of masses of detailed information was complemented by a secure grasp of the context in which he was working. The area in which he excelled was administration. He could be relied upon to dot the i's and cross the t's. In no small measure, he contributed to the smooth, predictable and well-informed functioning of the school.

Malcolm Dawe was a member of many professional committees and associations over the years, including SSABSA where his knowledge and expertise were warmly welcomed.

From November 1997 until the beginning of 2001 he took leave of absence from the school to become Director of Tunku Putra International School in Kuching, Malaysia with which PAC was associated. He handled the challenge of running an international school with enthusiasm and flourished in the leadership role. By engaging with the community through social events and sport (chiefly cricket, of course, with several man-of-the-match awards and the vice-captaincy of the Sarawak team) Malcolm made the transition to the different culture and new educational expectations with seeming ease. He was greatly respected in Kuching. In the uncertain economic conditions beginning to emerge, however, consolidating the school was a demanding task. It was not in Malcolm's character to dwell on the difficulties he faced. Rather, with optimism, courage, dogged application, detailed planning, a capacity for effective consultation, and a flexibility of mind, Malcolm inspired his team to turn the enrolment situation around. This year, a secure Tunku Putra International School has opened its new buildings.

Malcolm Dawe was a respected member of staff and we will remember his sense of humour, his dignity, the passion he had for teaching, and his love of Prince Alfred College, its students and staff. He was a capable, humble, generous, trusted, caring, diligent, sincere and principled man.

He will be sadly missed.

Mr Malcolm Dawe with wife Susan and sons Jason and Hamish.

Staff Farewells

Grant Nalder

Much has changed in the Preparatory School in the last seven years. During that time nearly every existing building has been refurbished, remodelled or demolished, and a new library and classrooms for Years 4 to 7 have been built. In 2007 the final stage of the Preparatory School Master Plan began with the clearing of the site for the new gymnasium and specialist classrooms. Parents in the Preparatory School have been treated to Father and Son Camps, Mother and Son Evenings, Speech Nights, Graduation Ceremonies and Honour Certificates.

It has been a time of change. Much of this change is attributed to the vision and commitment of Grant Nalder. At the end of his seven years as Head of the Preparatory School Grant can look back with pride at the changes, both physical and educational. A proud man, Grant rarely left anything to chance. He had a strong belief in the welfare of the boys and took great delight in their learning and exploits. Grant loved to see boys happy and although appearing at times to be larger than life, enjoyed sharing his lighter side. Annual Book Week dress up days, beginning of year services and introducing the biannual musical showed us all a lighter side of a strong and vibrant leader.

An avid sportsman, Grant introduced many boys to Basketball and shared his passion for the sport by coaching many school teams. He was an active member of the Old Scholar's Basketball Club and shared in their many highlights.

History I am sure will look kindly on Grant's tenure at Prince Alfred College. He worked hard to share his excitement for boy's education and took pride in knowing each boy's name and in most cases something special about each. Not a small feat in a school that grew from around 270 to nearly 450 in those seven years.

Mr Neil Andary, Head of the Preparatory School

Cynthia May

In March 2002 Cynthia May accepted a contract to investigate the Middle Years Program at Prince Alfred College. By the time she had submitted her report to the School Council Cynthia had already developed deep insights into the intricacies of the school and the attitudes and priorities of its staff. Later that year Cynthia undertook some teaching of Theory of Knowledge in the Secondary School and Information Technology in the Preparatory School. She took up the role as Year 8 Coordinator and teacher of English in 2003 and was subsequently appointed as Head of the Secondary School during 2004.

As the leader of the Secondary School Cynthia provided clarity for both staff and students. Through succinct statements she made her expectations abundantly clear and nobody was ever left in any doubt that she meant exactly what she said.

Whether it was promoting good sportsmanship with her squash team, encouraging intellectual integrity in her classes, articulating high expectations through pronouncements to the school at assemblies or through her thoughtfully crafted newsletter articles addressing issues of relevance to boys' lives as students and family members, Cynthia consistently articulated her principles. Above all Cynthia May stood for something, and she expected the same of her students.

Cynthia is highly regarded by the staff, having won their respect through her intellectual leadership, dedication and capacity for hard work, excellence in her own teaching, her personal and professional support and her consultative approach that demonstrated her trust in them.

Cynthia May has provided outstanding leadership: she leaves the school more ordered, more purposeful and more vibrant than it was when she arrived. She has left a mark, and we wish her every joy and success as she moves to other opportunities.

Mr Ken Watson, Deputy Head of the Secondary School

Grant Davis

Grant Davis came to Princes as a spritely and youthful Maths and Physics teacher in 1985 where he soon endeared himself to both staff and students. In 1990 Grant became Head of Blacket House. He changed the style of housemastering, encouraging a greater communication with students and parents.

Grant generated good staff morale as Common Room President and, more importantly, in his important role as Master-in-Charge of Football Tipping! Few know that Grant was a football umpire as a young teacher, but his most difficult umpiring assignment was the Annual Boarders' Football Match; more hotly contested than the Intercol.

Grant won the position as Head of Boarding in 2000 and worked tirelessly for the needs of the boys for 5 years. Grant made many friends in the rural and international community but above all he sought to make the Boarding House into a home away from home for boys.

Whilst in the Boarding House Grant undertook and completed his MBA, with Distinction, and assisted Karin Dunsford and her team in numerous fundraising events. Following the Boarding House Grant worked in the dual role of Fundraising Officer and Careers Officer where he lifted the profile of careers awareness and counselling for boys. Grant's most recent position as Director of Development suited him perfectly as he tapped into his extensive old scholar network made as a classroom teacher. It is a great loss to Princes that Grant has gone to Brisbane Boys' College where he has a similar role as Director of Development.

No matter what role he undertook at Princes, Grant worked with commitment and professionalism. However, central to his success as a colleague, teacher, housemaster and coach has been Grant's passion for life, his infectious laugh and his deep affection towards all in the Princes community.

Mr Craig Bowyer, Coordinator, Visual Art and Design

Staff Farewells

David Stewart

David Stewart began working for Prince Alfred College in 1990 as the Administrator. We acknowledge with great gratitude the 17 years which David has given in service to the school.

Recently David has served the school as Business Director in times of change and development. He has been a careful steward of the school's resources and played a role in managing the many building projects which have occurred.

David made a significant contribution to the governing body of the school including the business of Council, Finance Committee and Building Committee. David was an old scholar who always maintained a high level of affection for the School.

David will be remembered by his workmates for his leadership and strong work ethic over nearly two decades. Although no longer on the campus his service to the school community will continue to contribute to the well-being of Prince Alfred College. We wish him every happiness and success in his new role.

Mr Justin Sinclair, Head of Finance

Margaret Hurnell

In 1993 Margaret Hurnell began working in the Student Enquiries Office in the Secondary School. During this time she demonstrated her care for the boys and love of the school. Margaret extended this when she took the opportunity of working with the Boarders of Rushton House in the role of Housemother. Her great understanding of the boys' welfare meant she was able to discern when a casual question indicated a deeper pastoral need and she was expert at supporting all those who came under her watchful eye. Countless Boarders were deeply grateful for Margaret's care and concern. Her impact in providing pastorally for these boys was very significant. Margaret also worked for a time in the Secondary School Library and provided valuable clerical support to the Heads of House and Heads of Year. We wish her well.

Mr Sam Cheesman, Head of Boarding

Shane Wood

In, 1990, Shane began service as a part-time, Library-based Computer Helpdesk, quickly becoming appreciated for his empathy, understanding and fast response to calls upon his expertise. Boys lined up to share stories about technological problems and adventures. Shane was especially loved by Boarders.

His performance demonstrated a clear need for this kind of support in the school. Shane's time was increased to full-time with broadening responsibilities — in the Secondary Library, the Gerard Innovation Centre and as part of the Network Services team. From July, 2004 to December, 2006 he was Acting Network Manager.

Shane left Prices this year to broaden his experience in the higher education sector. He is remembered as a well-respected colleague, particularly for skill, patience and an ability to sound friendly when answering help desk telephone requests! We thank Shane and wish him well.

Ms Marilyn Hunt and
Mr Andrew Fergusson

Raelene Schar

Raelene was recruited directly from completion of tertiary studies, her profile having come to our attention via the achievement of the Australian Library Association's annual national award — Library Technician of the Year.

From the beginning of 1997, from her department in the Secondary Library, staff and students accessed expert, approachable support. Her clear understanding of teaching and learning enabled Raelene to "value add" to her role, predicting and extending PAC's audiovisual services.

She was well-loved by students for her ready willingness to guide them with editing and production challenges — for school and recreation purposes.

Raelene served for just one week short of a decade at PAC. She continues her career in the independent education sector, still modelling her belief in lifelong learning. She is working towards a Diploma in Multimedia and Web Design. We thank Raelene sincerely and wish her well for what is assuredly a bright future.

Ms Marilyn Hunt

Anthony Izzo

Anthony Izzo joined the school in 2000 as the Information Technology Across Curriculum Coordinator, Technology teacher and as a teacher within the Arts. He has taught Information Technology, Multimedia, Art, Design, Animation and Film, Drama and Materials Technology while at Princes.

Anthony left the College for a brief period in 2005 to experience working in industry as a project manager for an information technology company. He returned to the College in 2006 to take on the role of Head of the Technology Department with responsibility for Information Technology, Multi-media and Materials Technology. Anthony provided innovative leadership during his time in the role. He was also responsible for developing the skills of the Technical Crew in the Assembly Hall.

Anthony is a gifted teacher who has an enviable rapport with students. His particular strengths are his ability to relate to the students at their level and his extensive knowledge of contemporary IT issues.

Mr Michael Steer, Head of The Arts

Gavin Marcus

Gavin Marcus came to Prince Alfred College midway through 2003 having previously taught in South Africa and via a career in the IT industry. He taught Science in the middle years and senior Physics. His approach to teaching reflected his personality, gentle and caring, to which his classes responded positively. He promoted understanding and compassion amongst his Tutor Group. He has a passion for Soccer which he passed on to many students.

Although Gavin preferred to take a low key approach and remain in the background, he was a team player who played a major part in the redevelopment and revitalisation of junior science courses. He contributed ideas and assessment tasks to units of work using his background in IT to make the concepts studied by students more relevant to their lives.

Gavin and his wife Pauline are expecting another child next year. With his strong commitment to his family, Gavin is moving into a new phase of his life and the Princes community wishes him well for the future.

Mr Chris Jordison, Head of Science

Staff Farewells

Kate Boccaccio

Little did we know in June 2000, when Kate Boccaccio joined our staff that we were getting far more than "a Teacher of English 8–12". Although this was her job description, Kate will ever be remembered for going well beyond the basics.

In addition to her outstanding skills in the English curriculum, as a Tutor of Year 10 boys, Kate brought her own delightful personality to bear, delivering birthday cards and chocolates, remembering special events, acknowledging excellence and encouraging the strugglers. Her generosity, infinite patience and good humour sustained many fragile students. Her vivacity, passion for her role and determination motivated many others to achieve beyond their expectations.

During 2004 and 2005, Kate undertook the role of Assistant Head of the English Department, supporting the Head of Faculty through her highly professional grasp of both the curriculum and of boys' learning needs. From 2003, she also undertook the onerous task of editing the school's annual magazine, The Chronicle.

In November 2005, Kate took maternity leave for the birth of her son, Marc. With her second baby due in early May 2008, she has tendered her resignation from Prince Alfred College, much to the chagrin of all who have taught with her or been taught by her.

Kate is respected, admired and held in deep affection by both her students and her peers. We will miss her and wish her our very best.

Mrs Viv Jenson

Filomena Longo

Filomena Longo began teaching at Princes in 2002 where she predominantly taught English and Humanities to boys in the Middle School. She was also a Year 9 tutor for two years and Year 8 tutor for three years. From a Head of Year's perspective, Filomena was everything I could have wanted one of my tutors to be. Professional, firm with the new boys, but also ready to give them as much care and time as they needed to integrate into the Senior School.

Filomena was also the Debating Coordinator, where she developed extremely successful teams with her keen and enthusiastic strategies. In 2007 Filomena took on the role of Assistant Head of English, where she supported and developed the faculty in new areas.

As a dear friend and colleague, I will miss her glowing smiles and deep empathy for all she comes in contact with. I wish her well with her ventures in her new school and do hope she will return to us.

Mr Paul Balestrin, Head of Year 8

David Freesmith

David Freesmith first began teaching at Princes in 2002 and has built a reputation as a professional and caring teacher much admired by students and staff alike.

David has made a wonderful contribution to the ESL program (IB and SACE), has excelled as a teacher of the Theory of Knowledge course (IB) producing a library of outstanding resources and has been a most innovative and inspirational teacher in both the English and French faculties.

David has handled responsibility with ease as exemplified by his leadership as Acting Head of International Studies and his marvellous coordination of the Creativity, Action and Service program which has become a much valued and integral part of the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

David has always given of his time most generously. His coordination of Harmony Day celebrations, his organization of the Global Youth Institute Conferences, his tireless work as a Year 9 tutor and his preparation of the Debating teams has been outstanding.

David has been a wonderful role model for the students and we will certainly miss his integrity, commitment and bright personality. David will take the role of Coordinator of English as a Second Language at St Peter's College in 2008.

Mr Stephen Clobesy, Head of Physical and Personal Development

Carolyn Gutteres

Carolyn Guterres began working at Prince Alfred College in 2002 as a Music Teacher. She taught SACE Music, IB Music and both Junior Music and Drama during her time at the College. She was also a successful and committed tutor of Watsford House.

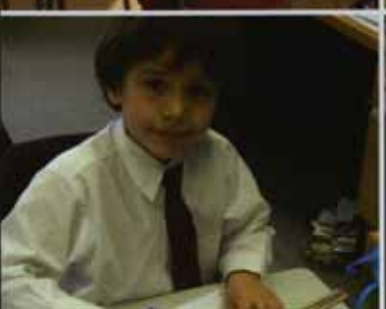
Carolyn is an accomplished flautist, pianist, Theatrical director, dancer and actor and used her considerable talent and skill to good advantage in both her teaching and co-curricular involvement. She choreographed the school musical "HMAS Pinafore" in 2006, directed a number of small productions and conducted musical ensembles, notably the String Orchestra.

Carolyn will be remembered for her skill, professionalism and for the quality of her relationships with both staff and students.

Carolyn performed as a musician at assemblies, staff functions and services and enriched the musical life of the College as a result. We wish her all the best.

Mr Michael Steer, Head of the Arts

Preparatory School



Head of the Preparatory School's Report

Another year has drawn to a close, and this year has again brought about many new changes for the Preparatory School. This is my final report as Head of the Prince Alfred College Preparatory School. I departed the school to take up a new position at Trinity Grammar School — Kew in Melbourne, at the beginning of Term 4. On announcing my departure, the school searched nationally for a replacement and came to the conclusion that the best candidate was already working at Prince Alfred College. Neil Andary, the Deputy of the Preparatory School, took over the position at the end of Term 3.

As I began to write down the changes that had occurred at Prince Alfred College in the seven years, I became surprised at the length of the list.

- The Preparatory School, Kindergarten to Year 7, had grown from 290 students in 2001 to 460 students in 2007.
- In 2004 we revamped the House system and introduced four Houses into the Inter-House competition. The Houses, for the first time, extended from Kindergarten to Year 12. Two of the Houses, Cotton and Waterhouse, were original House names in the Secondary School.
- Changes were made to the leadership opportunities for the Year 7s. There was an increase in Preparatory School Captains from five to eight. A Captain and Vice-Captain of the Preparatory School were maintained, as were the Captains for each House (which extended to four). A Community and Services Captain and a Captain of The Arts were introduced.
- The School Representative Council (SRC) was re-established from Reception to Year 7.
- We changed the curriculum and introduced the International Baccalaureate Primary Years Programme. In 2007, the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme was reintroduced along with the mini Personal Best Projects.
- The introduction of Student Portfolios to show-case boys' work and bring about a better understanding and communication between parent and teacher groups.

Mr Grant Nalder

- We advanced our computer-generated reports that greatly improved the quality and quantity of information disseminated to parents twice a year about their sons progress.
- The Behaviour Management / Pastoral Care Guidelines were reworked which brought greater consistency and transparency for boys and staff alike.
- A Youth Minister was employed to help expand the pastoral care to our students in the Preparatory School and also assist boys gain a better appreciation and understanding of worship.
- The introduction of Honour Certificates at assemblies along with prizes and awards presented at the Preparatory School Speech Night to recognise achievements of all boys for curricular and co-curricular activities.
- The Music Programme became far more extensive and a Beginner Band was introduced, mainly comprising of Year 4s.
- We removed composite classes (mixed year groups) from our younger year levels and reduced the number of intakes into Reception to twice a year.
- We introduced the Gifted and Talented Programme and two multi-level classes — based on students identified as Gifted and Highly Talented in the Preparatory School.
- We replaced all class furniture, specifically student desks and chairs from Year 2 to Year 7.
- School Entry Assessments were introduced for all boys beginning Reception. The Basic Skills Assessment for children from Year 2 to 7 was also implemented, thereby meeting the requirements of the Federal Government regulations of mandatory testing for all students in Years 3, 5 and 7.
- Our students began participating in the University of New South Wales National Competitions for Maths, Science, Reading, Writing, Spelling and Computers. Many boys have enjoyed success on this front.
- The introduction of three languages in the Preparatory School starting with Mandarin Chinese in the Kindergarten and then French and German as an alternative from Year 3 onwards.
- The school commenced acceptance of three-year-olds into the Kindergarten programme. The weekly planning was altered to accommodate a two-morning through to a five full day programme to cater for working parents.
- To facilitate the growth in the Kindergarten — 'Little Princes' was split into two rooms.
- There was the introduction of many community programmes including Family Picnic Evenings; Year 5 Father and Son Camp; Year 6 Mother and Son Dinner; Year 7 Graduation Dinner and Year 7 Valedictory Service.
- The Year 7 Graduation Ceremony was remodelled into an end of year Speech Night that recognises many artistic, academic and sporting achievements across Years 3 to 7.
- In response to parent feedback that many children were not involved, we changed the Inter-House Sports Carnivals. Every child now participates in a minimum of four events — many captured via the fun or novelty events. Even parents experience greater involvement by participating in Parent/Teacher/Student events.
- The Spirit Cup was introduced to all Inter-House Carnivals to promote sportsmanship and camaraderie amongst team members and opponents.
- We breathed fresh life into the school uniforms.
- Our many building projects:
  - Ningana — our new library, computing room, three classrooms and Audio Visual room.
  - Complete refurbishment of Preparatory School Offices, staffroom, staff workroom, meeting

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rooms, and four new classrooms, plus a new computing facility and learning support rooms.

- Construction of the Norman Mitchell Building that houses seven new classrooms and an additional computing facility/laboratory.
- The Preparatory School Gymnasium is finally underway, due for completion in 2008.

What is listed above could be the more obvious changes that occurred over the last seven years. Needless to say, there have been many more initiatives that have helped the school to evolve and acquire the wonderful reputation it has today.

Highlights of the 2007 year for me included:

- The induction ceremony of eight proud Captains of the Preparatory School at the beginning of the year.
- The opening of the Mitchell and Robertson Memorial Preparatory Buildings.
- Open Day — another very successful event, showcasing what boys do well. The Year 5 chair percussion was memorable, as was the Kindergarten Health-Hussle.
- Inter-house Swimming Carnival — Watsford experienced their first success at winning the Carnival. Cotton took home the Spirit Cup.
- The Kindergarten, Reception, Year 3 and Year 5 excursion to the Clipsal 500 and interaction with the Stone Brothers Racing Team and Team Vodafone. Getting into the pits with Craig Lowndes; having the chance to hop into his car was a highlight!
- Marjorie Jackson-Nelson, the Governor of South Australia, unveiled the Foundation Stone for the new Preparatory School Gymnasium and Music Centre Complex. Watsford won the baton relay which culminated in every House having a representative from each year level, Kindergarten through to Year 7, including a House Captain parent.
- Year 5 Father and Son Camp — significantly special this year for me as I took my two sons to Scotts Creek for the first time (and they loved it).
- The P&F Mother's Day Morning Tea and Fashion parade, and later in the year the Quiz night.
- Prep School Cross Country — I will never forget the torrential downpour we all endured in the name of sport. Several of the boys came off worse for wear on the slippery, muddy trail. You would never have known their shorts were white. By the way, Taylor won the day!
- The Year 6 Mother and Son evening and the Senior School musical Grease.
- The Preparatory School Concert Bands that showcased the exceptional progress the boys make in such a short period of time.
- Book Week and the Year 1 Book Launch.
- The Junior Primary Father/Son Bedtime Story Night where the staff, in their pyjamas or costume of character, put on a brave performance for all the Dads and sons in the Chapel with the boys later sharing their favourite book in class.
- Grandies' Day — the largest ever in attendance. An estimated seven hundred or more. There was not a spare seat in the Assembly Hall.
- The Year 7 Personal Best Projects — an outstanding representation of the marvellous work accomplished by all boys.
- The Year 5 PYP exhibition. The boys presented their understanding of Advertising through the Unit of Inquiry titled 'The Persuaders'. We were treated to excellent TV, radio and print advertisements displaying a range of issues and understandings.
- The two Sports Days, this time as a father. Waterhouse were the victors on the day for the Year 3 to 7 Carnival and Watsford won the Spirit Cup.
- The many and varied community and service projects the school took on throughout the year. The charity organizations included International Centre for Eyecare Education, KESAB, the Juvenile Diabetes Association, Adopt-A-Family, TEAR, the Childhood Cancer Foundation, Breast Cancer Foundation, Royal Flying Doctor Service, Salvation Army, Children's Medical Research, Guide Dogs Association, Sponsoring children from the Sunrise Orphanage in Cambodia, Prisoners of War Association and The Wesley Mission.

Once again there have been many individual successes, far too many to mention, not only in academia and sport, but also in many co-curricular activities.

In Term 4 events such as the Jack De Vidas Art Exhibition and the Nativities were wonderful events for the school.

Over the course of the year we have also farewelled Chris Harris, Georgia Bradford (maternity leave), Tracy Morrell and Narelle Mancini.

This year we welcomed Julie Porter, Peter Cornthwaite, Alexandra Marcus, Julia Menzel, Georgina Burnard, Annette Totani, Robyn Brice, Janet Ricks and Craig McFarlane.

All of the aforementioned changes, and indeed the success of this school, is due to the hard work of the very committed staff (the best I have ever worked with), and the very generous and caring members of our school community. I have been truly blessed to have had the opportunity to work in such a wonderful environment.

Take care everyone.

Prep School Captain's Report

This has been another very busy and exciting year in the Preparatory School. There have been additions to the school, departures from the school and some exciting new beginnings to chronicle.

At the start of the year, the Year 4's, 5's and 6's came back to modern classrooms in the new Norman Mitchell building. The building had its official opening early in Term 1 and this was a great event with many old scholars attending and sharing with the boys their stories of what PAC was like a few years ago!

Sport plays a big role at PAC. All boys enjoy the team spirit that is gained through sport, even if they don't always succeed. This was displayed very well in the build up to and during the Swimming Carnival, in Term 1. It was a hot day and all boys were glad to be in the pool at every available opportunity. This year, it was a close contest between the 4 houses, but Watsford excelled themselves and won the Swimming carnival, with Cotton taking out the Spirit Cup. Everyone had a lot of fun, regardless of whether they won or not!

In Term 1 we also had a fun sporting event to celebrate the laying of the foundation stone for the new Preparatory School Gymnasium. The boys were delighted to welcome the Governor at the time, Her Excellency, Marjorie Jackson-Nelson to lay this stone. The Ceremony began with a fun baton relay race that saw boys, staff and parents from each house racing around the front oval. After a hard fought race, Watsford were yet again victorious and the winning House Captain, Will Swale was proud to present Her Excellency with the mallet to tap in the foundation stone. There was an eerie silence around the marquee when this was performed, as Her Excellency was using the very same mallet which Prince Alfred used to lay the foundation stone of the main building around 140 years ago. The Watsford boys, teachers and parents all received winner's medallions, to treasure, from Her Excellency. The boys are very excited now to see that the construction of the new gymnasium is under way.

Captain of the Prep School, Ross Anderson

Term 2 saw the boys from Year 6 escorting their Mother's to the Prince Philip Theatre for the traditional Mother and Son Dinner. It was a special night, with the boys presenting their Mother's with poems that they had written and musical pieces. Following the Dinner, everyone enjoyed the Senior School Musical "Grease".

At the end of the Term 2, the School Community was sad to farewell Mr Harris, who left to teach at a school in Hong Kong. The Year 6's and 7's organised a goodbye BBQ lunch on his last day and presented him with gifts. It was a fitting farewell to one of the boy's favourite teachers.

Term 3 was a very busy term. The school took part in the 40-hour famine. It was great to see many boys volunteering to give up food, or other things such as technology, for up to 40-hours, to raise money for less fortunate children in Laos.

In Term 3 also, the boys from Year 7 were proud to present and display their Personal Best Projects. This was a new addition to the Curriculum for the Year 7 boys this year. It was an opportunity for the boys to display their creative skills and every boy chose a project that related to something that he was passionate about. There was a vast array of different projects on display and all were outstanding. The samples of wine given out by those boys who chose to undertake wine making projects were very popular with the parents!

The Preparatory School was sad to farewell Mr Nalder at the end of Term 3. After 7 fantastic years at PAC, Mr Nalder headed East to Melbourne. The boys took part in many events to farewell Mr Nalder and there were a few tears shed along the way. Many parents attended the "goodbye Mr Nalder picnic" on the front oval, where Mr Nalder was presented with gifts and good wishes and there was a ceremonial releasing of PAC balloons into the sky to mark his departure. Shortly after this, Mr Andary was sworn-in as the new Headmaster of the Preparatory School. All the boys were extremely pleased and happy to welcome this familiar and friendly face to his new position.

Sports Day was held at the end of Term 3. Waterhouse won by the narrowest of margins over Cotton. Watsford continued their winning streak for 2007 by winning the Spirit Cup. All the boys thoroughly enjoyed the day and it was great to see them trying hard, supporting each other and displaying good sportsmanship.

Term 4 is a busy and emotional time for Year 7 boys and their parents. At the time of writing this, all the year 7 boys are busy preparing for their trip to Canberra, where they will visit many interesting places including Parliament House and Questacon. This year of course there will be added excitement in Canberra, with the election being just around the corner!

It has been a very busy and rewarding year for me. I have been privileged to be Preparatory School Captain when there has been so much happening. I have learnt so much, had a lot of fun and I have many people to thank. Firstly, I would like to thank all my captains. They have been good leaders, done a great job and have represented the school well all year. In particular, I would like to thank Nick Fitzgerald and Sam Duffield, who have both helped me with my day to day duties and have readily filled in for me when I have been absent. Thank you also to the staff who have helped and supported me throughout the year. In particular, I would like to thank Mrs Brister, Mr Sparks and Mrs Leaker for their positive support and encouragement which has helped me to develop in my role. Finally, I would like to thank Mr Nalder and Mr Andary, who have both been the best and most supportive Headmasters that a Captain could ask for. They have enthusiastically guided and supported all the Captains throughout the year and helped us develop into better leaders and people. 2007 has been a great year at PAC! I wish everyone the best for next year.

Ross Anderson

Kindergarten

Beads

Ethan Bald creates a pattern with beads

Book Week

Sebastian Girardi dressed as the pig who made his house of bricks for Book Week

Chinese New Year

Anthony Pham adds some gold to our Chinese lion for our Chinese New Year Celebrations

Clowns

Sam Jenkin and Tony Huang in their favourite dress ups

Dressups

Can you guess?... Austin Swaffer

Easter

William Thrower as the Easter Bunny

Flowers

William Thrower the Florist

Making Table

Charlie Walsh created a shiny submarine

Mothers day

Joshua Lasscock and his Mother, Deborah, enjoy morning tea at the Princesses Tea Party

Mum Cushion

Austin Swaffer and the cushion he created in the shape of his Mum!

Paper Making

Tommy Saunders pulls his deckle from the tub to make home made paper

Pigs

Ethan Hayes and his pig made from clay

Police Visit

Oliver Gasparin and Michael Slavotnik as police when we were visited by Constable David from Hindley Street Police Station

Sports Day 022

David Finlay gets active in the Health Hustle on Sports Day

St Patricks

Joshua Lesicar, Ethan Hayes and Patrick Singleton celebrate St Patricks Day

Writing

A picture of concentration, Finn Carolan

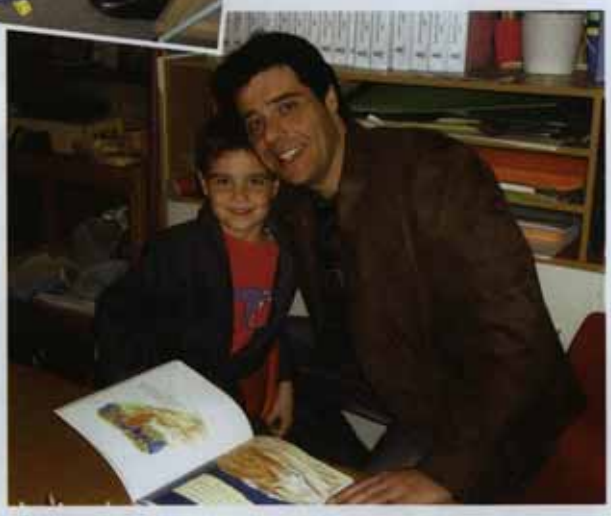
Reception

It has been a fabulously busy year in Reception. As usual we have been amazed at the growth in the boys' learning.

We zoomed into our first PYP unit called 'Moving Right Along' in Term 1. The excursion to the Clipsal 500 and visiting Charles Davison's Aussie Racing Cars was a highlight. Throughout the unit we investigated vehicles that move on land, air and water. At the same time we established school routines with the unit 'My Favourite Things' which showed the boys that we are all unique and highlighted our place in our family and school community.

Term 2 began with 'Once Upon a Time...' a unit which gave the boys an opportunity to look at traditional stories. The boys made Gingerbread Men and dressed up as their favourite fairytale character for story-time in Mr Tutt's office.

'The Body Puzzle' was our next unit. We made life size bodies complete with heart and lungs. We shared our knowledge at the Junior Primary Assembly.



The Mid-Year Reception class began in Term 3. Our classrooms were transformed into Tropical Rainforests as we explored our unit 'Under the Canopy'. Highlights include visits to the Botanical Gardens Conservatory and 'Zoo School'.

The year finished with our unit 'Animals at Work' in which the boys explored the roles of animals in the community, followed by 'Christmas: Here, There and Everywhere.'

We have thoroughly enjoyed the year. We are very proud of our little Princes Men.

Stephanie Hart, Margot Lesson and Tania Crawford

Year 1

Our thirty seven Year 1 students have spent an exciting and rewarding time working together this year.

Peace Unit

Our first PYP unit of inquiry explored what it means to be peaceful and how to create peaceful communities. All boys made their very own 'peaceful pillows' to use throughout the year as part of our Reflection times.

Our Princes Community

Through visiting different areas and people who work within our school community, our boys developed their understanding of the ways in which our community operates. They became more aware of the history of Princes, with a visit to our school museum a real highlight. They also enjoyed a guided tour through our boarding house and kitchen as well as participating in some wonderful Science experiments under the guidance of Mr Chris Jordison in our Senior School Science Lab.

Year 1 Presentation in the Senior School Assembly

The presentation of a Year 1 item at the Senior School Assembly at the beginning of Term 2 has now become a tradition. Mr Tutt requested Year 1 boys perform last year and this year our boys again delivered another great performance. They performed a line dance called 'Popcorn' and sang our School song. This was a wonderful experience for our boys and much appreciated by the audience of senior boys and families.

Literacy Focus

The 'Tell Me a Story' unit is a favourite of all Year 1 boys. The key task is to write a detailed narrative about their own teddy bear, which is then published into a first edition hardcover book. Our boys enjoyed seeing their own book develop through the writing process, from using a simple idea to creating a book to share with others at our Year 1 Book Launch and special assembly.

To celebrate Book Week we went to see the Patch Theatre Company's production of Pamela Allen stories. This was an outstanding performance that was enjoyed immensely by all present.

To celebrate National Reading Day, all Junior Primary boys wore the colour red on September 5th. This supported our theme for the day which was 'Have you read a book today?

Father/Son Bedtime Story Night

This was the second year we have held this event and it was well attended by over three hundred boys, Dads and other special guests. Junior Primary teachers presented a play titled, 'The True Story of the Three Little Pigs,' with Mr Neil Andary being the star of the show as the wolf.

During this evening we also launched our Literacy Show Bags. Every Junior Primary boy received his own show bag, while another 70 bags were made to distribute to other members of our community. These bags contained many items based around the theme

'Has the Reading Bug Caught You? ' Boys designed their own reading bug and created door hangers, book marks, placemats and jigsaws as well as writing their own story based around a finger puppet character. Many families donated new picture books to include in the 40 show bags we donated to the Wesley Mission.

Leeanne Brook, Erica Parker

Year 2

The Year 2 boys and teachers have enjoyed their learning journey this year. We began with a PYP unit called 'Top Gear' which coincided with the Clipsal 500 Race. Excursions to the National Motor Museum and the Road Safety School were informative and involved hands on learning. A selection of guest speakers answered the boys' inquiry questions about cars and their functions. Each boy designed, made and raced his own step-in car which competed in what is becoming the annual Year 2 PAC 500 Car Race.

'Read Between the Lines' was another Term 1 PYP unit which was literature based, focusing on Aesop's fables and parables from the Bible. The unit culminated in an Assembly presentation where the boys acted out a selection of fables for the enjoyment of the Junior Primary boys.

Our Term 2 focus saw us delve into our PYP unit 'Food, Fun and Fitness'. Weekly food experiences including making fruit kebabs, ice-cream, bread and rice provided a springboard for our inquiries. The excursion to the PAC Kitchen was a highlight. Poetry writing on food enriched the boys' language. Our regular fitness circuits were enthusiastically completed with the boys recording individual tallies and reflecting on their improved fitness over the term.

Connecting this unit to our 'A Look at China' unit provided an international perspective where we visited the Central Market and had lunch at a Chinese restaurant.

Our PYP unit for Term 3 'Ripples in the Pond' was a fascinating journey for the boys as they delved into pond environments, especially focusing on the world of frogs. A visit by Steve Walker from KESAB waterwatch who spoke on frogs was a highlight.

We were also involved in many other exciting events including Bookweek, the Father and Son Bedtime Story Night, the Premier's Reading Challenge, Grandies Day, International Day of Peace kite flying, and Sports Day.

Our PYP unit 'The Gift of Christmas' in Term 4 saw the boys study Christmas traditions in their own families and gift-givers and traditions in a variety of cultures. Each boy decorated a wreath with his own hand-made decorations reflecting Christmas traditions around the world.

Our boys have now come to the end of their exciting Junior Primary journey!

We hope they will remember these years with lasting memories.

Pam Martin and Alexandra Marcus

Year 3

Bodyworks

Term two saw the incredibly successful unit on "body systems". The boys learned about the muscular, digestive, skeletal and circulatory systems. It was evident to see how much they really loved exploring all the interactive models of organs and systems that each classroom shared. The boys were also lucky enough to have three guest speakers who pecialized in different areas come and talk as well as answer the boys' burning questions. The body systems research taught them so many new anatomical words they had never heard of before and by the end of the topic they were being used freely! At the end of the topic, the boys gave a presentation to the class about their chosen system. Some of them built models, others made posters or PowerPoint presentations to demonstrate what had been learnt.

Chocolate Research

In term three the boys went crazy for our "chocolate" unit. They began by tasting and describing cacao beans, cocoa and dark, milk and white chocolates. Creative questions were posed about when it was discovered, how it's made and where cacao beans grow. Together they researched interesting facts about the discovery of chocolate and created a time line to show some of these events. Next the boys decided to create their own chocolates with individual boxes. It begun with some market research, asking boys in lots of classes questions about their favourite flavours and chocolate wrapper designs. This information was used to design and create their own chocolates and wrappers. Some had mint in them, some had cherry or apricots and some even had a mixture. The boys produced their boxes on the computers and by carefully folding and fastening, made them look like the real thing.

Rainforest

Trips to the Adelaide Zoo and the Bicentennial Tropical Conservatory were highlights of the boys' inquiry into rainforests and the endangered animals and plants that live in them. At the Conservatory they were able to handle a number of insects and bugs that inhabit such environments. Some of the insects looked ferocious and some boys were a little apprehensive when handling them. Seeing some big spiders and scorpions was a treat that the boys liked. The zoo enabled us all to observe some of the endangered animals we had been researching at school. The honey bears and the monkeys kept the boys entertained with their antics and movement around the enclosures.

Sunrise Children's Village

This year PAC became involved with the Sunrise Children's Village in Cambodia. As part of this association, around 30 children flew to Adelaide and visited PAC for a few days.

The Year Three boys met a child called Sahkd who played them tunes on a xylophone and told them what life was like in Cambodia. The children who came from the village all had some very unique and special musical talents that our boys were lucky enough to witness at a special concert they presented. Discovering that the children in Cambodia had a lot less than themselves, the boys also come up with a fundraiser to help. During four recess times, each house put on a cupcake/cake stall and had incredible fun not to mention success!! They decided on appropriate prices, handled money and worked together as a team managing to raise over $400.00 — quite an effort!

3/4 5 R Report

Attention please! This is a report on a very exciting class called ¾/5 R. In Term one, we researched explorers, but these were no ordinary explorers. They felt pain and victory that you couldn't even imagine. We gained knowledge and understanding of how they felt. We also looked at our own life adventures and imagined our future. We made new friends and helped the new boys to the school settle in. After the first set of holidays we all forged ahead into the discovery of time. We were all shocked by the range of topics that people chose to learn about. It was also amazing how much time impacts in our life. We also walked the city of Adelaide. This was fascinating because of the range of structures we discovered. We had never really looked before. We faced the Domino Effect challenge which was amazing. Five different actions had to happen sequentially. We were surprised at the range of models the boys had constructed. Is 50% a half or a whole? We discovered that percentage in maths is in fact fun and we enjoyed all the aspects of maths. In Term 3 we prepared the Year 5 Exhibition with the theme of advertising. In our production groups we filmed a T.V. advertisement, created print versions and recorded radio ads and jingles. During the Exhibition we made lots of new friends from the other classes. It all was really interesting and a big success. We read classics of our choice. When we were a good way through them we were asked to make a comparison between our classic and another book that was written in a different style. This was fun and we enjoyed reading and thinking about the books. We think our year was a great one, and we mean a great one. We also say thank you to Mr Roller for helping us along the way. Thank you for your attention.

Robert Colton and Jack Doney

Year 4

A fresh new start

2007 has been an exciting time for many of us. First of all we moved into our brand new classrooms, in the brand new building we have been looking forward to for so long. We had new teachers, with new ideas and different methods of teaching and we also had the sprinkling of new boys who had just started their PAC journeys. It was a fresh start for all and we could not wait to get started.

Term 1

Throughout Term 1 we inquired into Pollution and its causes in our unit titled 'Strangling the Planet'. We enjoyed researching, writing and making projects on topics such as acid rain, factory pollution and even sewage. Boys were involved in fund raising efforts to raise money the Salvation Army and to buy recycling bins for the school so that we could begin recycling the plastic bottles sold by the canteen.

We went on a camp to Victor Harbor and stayed at the Toc H camp site. We were involved in a lot of beach games and aquatic activities. We wrote in our journals each day and visited such places as the Signal Point at Goolwa and Granite Island at night to see the Penguins. On our last day we went to Greenhill's Adventure Park before returning to PAC.

Term 2

What a busy term we completed 2 units of inquiry titled 'Invasion or Settlement?' and 'Change Matters'.

For 'Invasion or Settlement' we went on three excursion to help us inquire into the question, was Australia invaded or settled by Europeans? We visited Tandanya where we were exposed to the Aboriginal culture and learnt more about the 'Stolen Generation' by hearing personal stories first hand. We also went to the Botanical Gardens, our guide was an Aboriginal lady named Aunty Stephanie, and she told us how the Aboriginal people used the environment and plants in their everyday lives.

Change Matters we became young scientists, we visited the science labs in the Senior School where Mr Jordison conducted many experiments to excite us. He used dry ice, water and food coloring to make a reaction and we needed to wear protective clothing. Then we tried out our own experiments using food and growing mould and bacteria, making crystals and changing the colour of roses. We also learnt how to write a scientific procedure.

Term 3

Inquiring into Poetry was how we started the second half of the year. Our unit was called "Packing a Punch with Poetry' and we became powerful poets ourselves. We first read many different poems and became involved in many 'Poet's Theatre'. We practiced poems to recite for a Poetry Morning where we invited the parents, Mr Nalder, Mr Andary and Mr Tutt, we also recited poems for the Year 3/4/5 poetry festival. We became fans of poetry when we saw Pegge and Potter recite many poems to our classes. Our favorite was a poem titled 'Mangoes'. We used the computers to publish our own poems that went into our portfolios.

For our second Program of Inquiry we studied inventions in a unit titled 'Technological Times'. We looked into inventions from the past and present; we made our own models and researched into whether they have improved our lives. We used the library and the resource section with its encyclopedias to help our research.

To make our term even busier we enjoyed other activities such as Grandies Day.

Term 4

In Term 4 we inquired into Choices and how to make good choices in a unit titled 'Being Choosy'. We inquired into how the choices we make can have an impact on both our health and lifestyles. There are many things we are looking forward to as the end of the year comes near, such as the planned excursions to the Central market. At the Markets we will plan a lunch that is healthy and then we will buy all the ingredients. We will then make and enjoy our lunches at Elder Park, before having a play and returning to school. To add to the fun and business of the end of the year there are events that we all look forward to such as Orientation Day where we meet the new boys who will be us in year 5 and Speech Night.

2007 has been a great year because our teachers have managed to fit in a lot of fun things for us to do, while still finding the time to do more serious work. Everybody is excited about starting year 5 and the challenges that await us there.

Year 5

Together Everyone Achieves More

Following its huge popularity in 2006, the Year 5 community again undertook an in depth study of the facts and myths associated with making a successful team.

Through hands on learning activities both inside and outside the classroom, guest presenters, personal research and class outings, all the boys developed a solid understanding of the key components and ingredients required to make the most of any team situation.

A stand out highlight was the day we spend with the team members of Stone Brothers Racing at the Clipsal 500. Through the smell of burning rubber and the colour of the 500,000 strong crowd, the boys observed a highly motivated and successful team in action.

More than ever, all the boys now comprehend that

Together Everyone Achieves More!

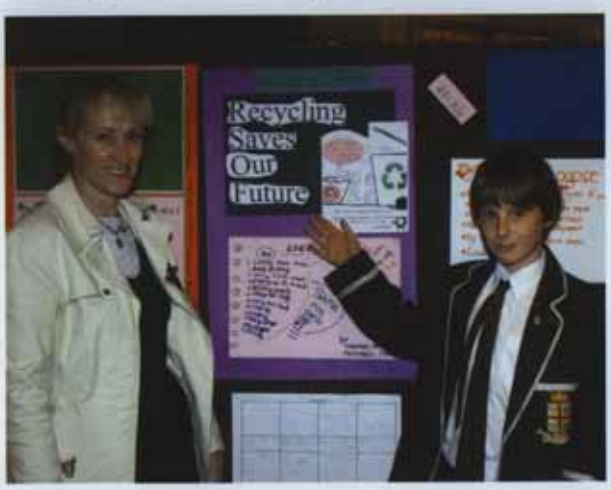
PYP Exhibition

The Persuaders

The PYP Exhibition is the culmination of the boy's learning experiences through the IB Primary Years Programme.

Through individual and group research, professionals from the field visiting and mentoring the boys, class presentations and the use of various cutting edge computer software, the boys learnt about the influence and power of advertising.

In small groups, set up like advertising firms, the boys put their new found knowledge into action, creating an advertising portfolio on a socially relevant issue.



The advertising portfolios, which included a television commercial, billboard advert and a radio jingle, were presented to parents and friends in a highly successful evening at the end of Term 3.

Outdoor Education Camp

The world is ours to explore and take responsibility for...

In the last week of Term 1, the Year 5 boys packed up their board shorts, hats and sense of fun and adventure and headed to the college's campsite Scotts Creek, on the banks of the Murray River near Morgan.

Through cultural activities such as Aboriginal artwork appreciation, team games such as rock climbing and physical challenges such as kayaking, the boys had the opportunity to further develop and realize the important role that they can and already do play in making our country a strong and prosperous nation!

Year 6

What a fantastic year!

The year started with sand burnt feet as on a really hot day the Year 6s walked to the city volleyball complex. This was a wonderful opportunity for all the Year 6s to meet, mingle and acquire new skills.

A new innovation this year was for each class to participate in its own school camp. Scotts Creek is always really enjoyable with the highlights being — sleeping in the dorms, Kamp Krusty and Capsizing the Canoes. Being with our own class meant we have more opportunity to participate in activities and bond with our own class mates.

A highlight of the year was the 'Mother and Son Dinner' which gave us the opportunity to practice being gentlemen as we escorted our mothers during the evening. Auditions were held to select the musical entertainment through the first part of the evening and we all enjoyed the musical items. The opportunity to meet the mothers of our friends was another feature of the evening. The senior school production of *Grease* concluded a wonderful evening.

Tech Studies in the Senior School is an exciting part of being in Year 6. The making and designing of Hot Air

Balloon, Box Kites, Wooden Cube Structures and our Solar Powered Catamarans (which we raced against the girls from Wilderness) was really enjoyed by us all.

In the middle of the year we farewelled Mr Harris and welcomed Ms Burnard.

Academically we have had a challenging, but rewarding year. Units of Inquiry, Literacy Circles, Author Studies, Rotational Mathematics, Maths Olympiad, Science Challenges have kept us motivated and engaged in our learning.

As part of our community service we enjoyed participating in our walkathon around Rymill Park for The Royal Flying Doctor Service. We have learnt that once again we raised the most money among the participating metropolitan schools. This enabled us to visit the Royal Flying Doctor base at West Beach. We were given a wonderful insight into the activities of the RFDS and were able to tour one of the retrieval planes. It was a privilege to meet the students from the Sunrise School in Cambodia and to provide them with warm clothing during their stay.

We have enjoyed school exchanges with our sister school Annesley and discos with the other schools enabled us to make new friends.

Sports Day, Swimming Carnival, Band, Choir and our many sporting teams have contributed to a well rounded and exciting year.

"The year was great and everyone enjoyed it." Said Cy Hunter

Year 6 teachers

Year 7

2007 has been a very busy, productive year for our Year 7 boys. It again commenced with the challenge of rock climbing the walls at Vertical Reality Climbing. Depending on your belayer is a wonderful way to learn trust and the value of friendship! Other excursions throughout the year included visits to Waste Stations and Recycling Centres, St Kilda Mangroves, the Airport Bureau of Meteorology, a religious places tour of the Zen Buddhist Temple, Mosque and St Peter's Cathedral, Channel 7 and finally in Term 4 our annual trip to Canberra which consolidates our theme of 'Civics and Citizenship.'

Various Community Service activities have also been part of our Year 7 program. In addition to helping locally by providing food and toys for the Wesley Uniting Care Mission we have also collected clothing for Sunrise Orphanages in Cambodia, held a Year 6/7 Social and cleaned up the school on 'Clean Up Australia Day.' The Entrepreneur Award in Term 4 enabled the boys to devise and implement a 'mini business' of their own choice and the Year 7 Fair provided lots of fun for the boys in the Preparatory School.

We have again combined with Annesley Year 7 for a number of special days including a PAC to Annesley Walkathon, Maths and Science Days and bowling.

The Scotts Creek camp in Term 2 was even more challenging this year as we travelled by canoe and camped out overnight on a beautiful spot on the River Murray.

Our inaugural Personal Best Project Exhibition was held in Term 3 and the diversity of projects and amount of effort expended by the boys was amazing.

Included within our Year 7 Curriculum was a five week course on 'Growth and Development' and HIV / AIDS conducted by the Family Life Association and also a 6 hour Basic First Aid course led by St John trainers.

Academically, our Year 7 boys have participated and enjoyed success in many additional activities such as the University of New South Wales assessments, Maths Challenge, Maths Olympiad, Westpac Maths, Young Writers' Award, and the Premier's Reading Challenge.

Many students have developed their skills in public speaking through Junior Orator and the Lodge Short Talk Competition and also the skills of debating through involvement in the Inter-School debating competition. Chess too has been a very popular extra-curricular activity which many boys have enjoyed.

The boys keenly showed the House Spirit at the Sports Day, Cross Country and Swimming Carnival and also at the Inter-House matches for the various sports.

With such a plethora of sports available, many of our Year 7 boys are kept busy all year round. A number of Year 7 students, who excelled in their chosen sports had the opportunity to represent the school in SAPSASA and State teams.

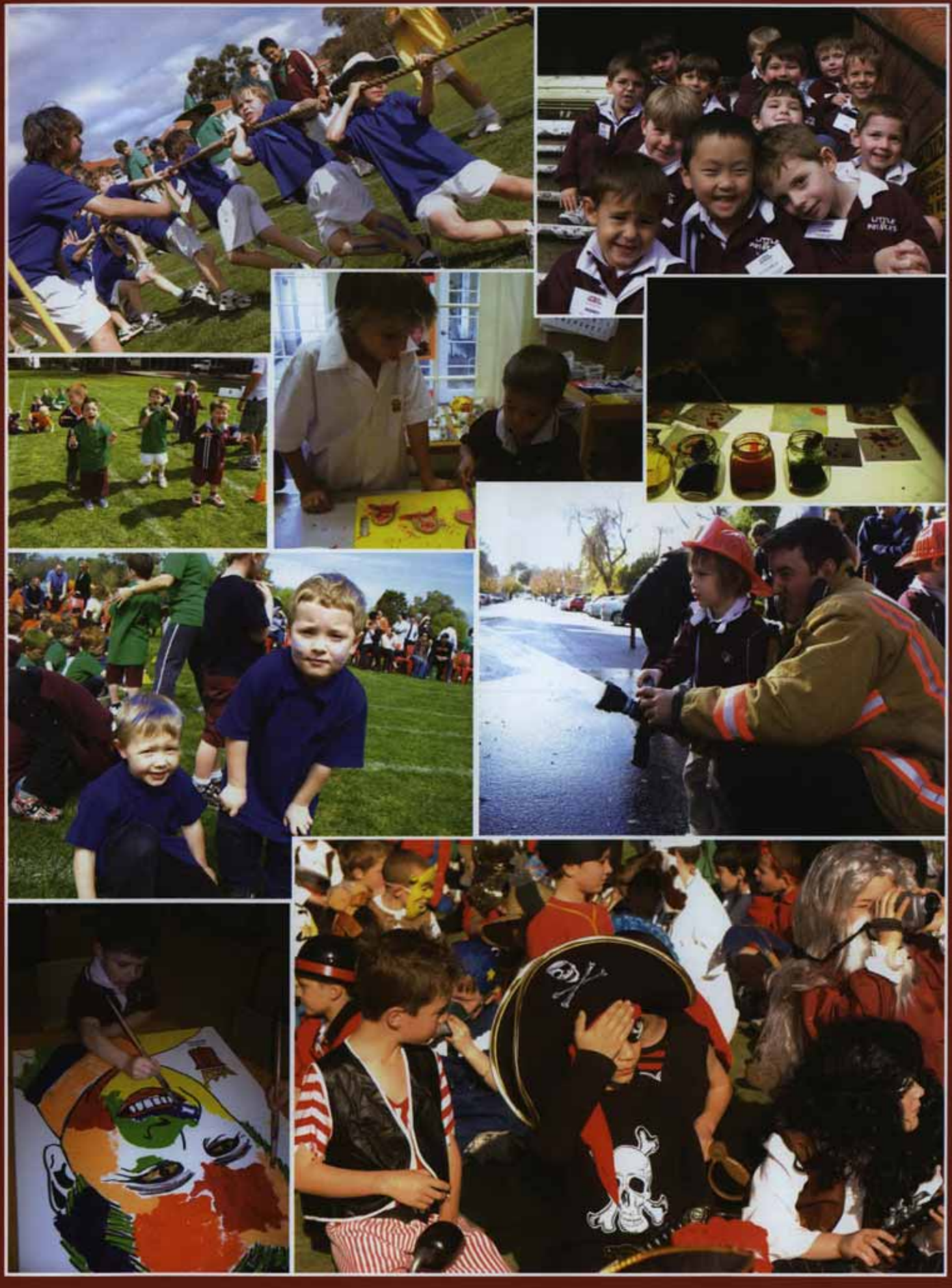
In this final year of the Preparatory School the Year 7 boys are given ample opportunities to accept responsibilities and develop their leadership skills, whether these be in sport or in school captaincy positions.

Throughout 2007 we have often been entertained by individual students playing their respective instruments, choirs, ensembles and bands and it is encouraging to see the enthusiasm and development of skills in music.

Our two Transition Days in the Senior School provided a 'window' into the next five years we will spend in the Secondary School. We will be moving on and whilst this is tinged with sadness, we have such wonderful memories of our experiences in the Preparatory School.

We know boys

We know boys



House Activities

House Swimming Carnival 2007

This years' Swimming Carnival was held on a day when temperatures were around 37 degrees, and the boys all enjoyed the chance to get into the pool and compete for their Houses. In a close contest all day the eventual winner of the Gramp Cup as the winning House went to Watsford, the first time they have won a major carnival. Congratulations to all boys who competed, with special mention to the age group champions and Arata Gwinnett who won the Cox Trophy as the best senior swimmer. We were treated to some half time entertainment when the Roulettes flew over as well as the F-18 Hornet. Thank you to all staff, parents and friends who made it such an enjoyable day.

Watsford Swimming Captain Arata Gwinnett and House Captain William Swale with the House Swimming Trophy.

Open School Swimming Carnivals

Throughout the year our PAC-Seymour swimming team competes in three carnivals. At time of printing we were sitting in second position by ½ point with one carnival to go.

Tsuen-Zern Lee (closest to camera) in action during the Open Schools carnival.

East Adelaide SAPSASA District Swimming Trial Day

On Tuesday 6th March, sixteen of our swimmers competed in a trial day for our district SAPSASA team. All of the boys participated strongly and we had some excellent results. The depth of our swimming team was shown when we won all of the team relays at the end of the day. From the results we had three boys selected for the East Adelaide team.

Swimming Team

Seated Row: J Dongas, T Nicholls, G Waterhouse, G Meredith, F Willsmore, A Gwinnett, S Jackson

Second Row: J Leung, T Lee, T Plant, A Gwinnett, D Sharp, A Gwinnett

Teacher: Mr T Weatherald

Arata Gwinnett was selected in the 13 year old 50m and 100m Freestyle and the relay team. Zern Lee in the 12 year old backstroke and relay team and Adam Gwinnett made the 11 year old boys backstroke. These boys competed in the SAPSASA metropolitan championships at the Adelaide Aquatic Centre.

SAPSASA Representatives 2007

Swimming	Arata Gwinnett, Adam Gwinnett, Zern Lee
Tennis	Li Tu (state team), Lawrence Bataljin (state reserve)
Football	Christopher Hanneman, Mitchell Wicks, William Curyer, Matthew Faull
Soccer	Kristian Quirke
Hockey	James Keeves (State team), William Fryer, David McCappin
Athletics	Robert Colton, Andrew May, David McCappin, Thomas Gray, Jack Doney
Golf	Leo Liu, Samuel Johns
Cricket	Lachlan Glynn

SAPSASA Cross Country

Seated Row: W Swale, W Kolaroff, J Dongas, S Sibly, P Russo, F Crameri, J Sarah-Katnich, A Gwinnett, C Skrembos, S Meredith

Second Row: A Gwinnett, J Doney, G Waterhouse, F Kette, N Braund, S Clark, W Fryer, A Lalic, C Hunter

Third Row: C Hall, C Scheepers, A McBride, A Gwinnett, T Waddington, T Browne, R Colton, O Collison

Teacher: Mr T Weatherald

House Activities

House Cross Country

In Term 2 all Year 3–7 boys participated in the House Cross Country event. The boys in Under 8, 9 and 10 race over 2km and the 11, 12 and 13 year old boys race over a 3km track around the parklands opposite PAC. In very wet conditions the boys ploughed through the mud to finish the race. After all the points were added up the winning house was Taylor on 155 points with Cotton 2nd, Waterhouse 3rd and Watsford 4th. Individual winners were Zachary Weigold (8 years), Ned Collison (9 years), Sean Meredith (10 years), Adam Gwinnett (11 years), Lachlan Glynn (12 years) and William Fryer (13 years). From our school event 40 boys were selected to compete in the State Championships around Victoria Park Racecourse.

Tim Weatherald

SAPSASA Athletics

Seated Row: I Rudd, O Collison, F Crameri, G Meredith, J Doney, A Gwinnett, S Meredith

Second Row: T Plant, T Browne, N Braund, H Worrell, W Fryer, A Lalic

Third Row: R Colton, C Heitmann, S Clark, T Waddington, A Gwinnett, A May

Teacher: Mr T Weatherald

House Athletics

In the last week of Term 3 we held our Years 3–7 House Sports and Field Events days. We were fortunate to have good weather on both days which led to some fabulous competitions and performances. After two days of some fierce rivalry Waterhouse won the House Athletics cup with 226 points, Cotton 2nd on 221, Taylor 3rd on 206 and Watsford 4th on 199. Watsford were awarded the Spirit Cup.

Individually we had some great performances as well with the following boys winning their age group championship awards:

8 years	Zachary Weigold
9 years	Stuart Harris / James Chalk / Ned Collison
10 years	Jack Doney
11 years	Adam Gwinnett, including a new school record in the 1500m race
12 years	Lachlan Glynn
13 years	David McCappin.

Shea Clark was awarded the Milner trophy as the highest scoring Year 7 student.

Waterhouse — House Champions

Waterhouse — Age group champions

Watsford — Adam Gwinnett on way to another victory

House Internal Sports Winners

T-Ball	Cotton, Waterhouse, Watsford, Taylor
Basketball	Waterhouse, Watsford, Taylor, Cotton
Cricket	Takes place in 4th term
Football	Waterhouse, Watsford, Cotton, Taylor
Soccer	Watsford, Cotton, Waterhouse, Taylor
Table Tennis	Cotton, Waterhouse, Watsford, Taylor
Hockey	Taylor, Waterhouse, Watsford, Cotton
Tennis	Takes place in 4th term

Tim Weatherald

From the Classroom

Debating

Debating is offered as an extra-curricular activity to all boys in Years 5, 6 and 7. This year we entered seven teams in the South Australian Debating Association Competition; three in the A Grade and four in the B Grade. All teams enjoyed a very successful season, competing in four rounds of debates against other Independent Schools. The development of the boys' confidence and skills in preparation, delivery and rebuttal was very encouraging and rewarding. The B teams, capably coached by Mrs Brister, Mrs McCauley, Mrs Leeson, Ms Hart and Mr Roller concluded their debating season after the fourth round as there are no finals for the B Grade but the A teams achieved first, second and fourth ranking, placing them in the quarter finals which are still to be held in Term 4.

Lynda Polain

Debating

Seated Row: S Farley, J Harris, R Anderson, E Worrell, L Branch, T Lyons, C Karykis, H Morelli, S Gilbert, T Miller, J Dongas

Second Row: D Elix, M O'Brien, R Colton, A Ngo, H Worrell, S Cox, A Mondair, J Keeves, H Ly, S Lynch

Third Row: J Leung, J Terp, A Mansell, T Gray, B Watson, L Glynn, D Sharp, W Miller, C Colombo

Teachers: Mrs Brister, Mrs Polain, Mrs McCauley, Ms Hart

Public Speaking / PAC Lodge Short Talk Competition

In Term 1 all boys in Years 5, 6 and 7 are invited to participate in the JSHAA Junior Orator Competition. Three heats were conducted within the school and from these; boys went on to participate in the external competition against speakers from other Independent Schools. Two students Declan Sharp [Year 6] and Tom Milton [Year 7] showed outstanding skills in public speaking and represented PAC in the semi-final.

The PAC Lodge Short Talk Competition is an annual event in which Year 7 boys are invited to participate. The boys are required to present a prepared speech and then an impromptu speech. The event is sponsored by the PAC Lodge who award a perpetual trophy and medal to the outstanding public speaker. This year the competition was extremely close and of a very high standard but the award was presented to Nicholas Fitzgerald who presented two very entertaining speeches.

Lynda Polain

Public Speaking

Seated Row: C Colombo, J Leung, J Keeves, T Milton, S Lynch

Second Row: A Mansell, S Cox, B Watson, T Gray, D Sharp

Teacher: Mrs L Polain

Oliphant Science Awards 2007

Entering the Oliphant Science Awards is not about winning a prize but rather an adventure into some aspect of science through art, experiments, essays, photographs, models, computer simulations and several other categories. It is, however, always exciting when students are recognised for their exceptional efforts. Over forty boys from Reception to Year 7 entered the OSA this year. Every entry was of a high standard and reflected original thinking, a commitment to research and quality of presentation.

Ten boys received awards with six being Highly Commended Awards. David Wilmore, in 1P, came 2nd in the R-2 Poster category. Angus Fry, in 2MN, received 3rd Prize in the R–2 Experiment section. Patrick Gayen, in 2MS came 2nd in the same category and was also awarded the Australian Institute of Physics Prize from all the other entrants in the OSA. Robert Colton (Year 5), in 3/4/5R, was 1st in the 5–7 Essay section with an outstanding examination of the reliability of DNA testing. Robert also gained 2nd place in the Young Scientist Award (male), the premier awards of the OSA, chosen from all participants. This was the second year in a row that Robert had received significant awards in this prestigious competition.

André Roller
OSA Coordinator

Left, Patrick Gayen, recipient of the Australian Institute of Physics prize
Right, Robert Colton, Young Scientist of the Year award winner

Summer Sport

Cricket

A1 Cricket

Seated Row: P Russo, L Mahadeva, M Wicks, H Barnes (Captain), L Grope (Vice-Captain), J Keeves, C Hall

Second Row: J Teisseire, W Curyer, L Glynn, B Andary, S Bean, H Collison

Teacher: Mr G Jenkinson

B Maroon Cricket

Seated Row: J Harris, T Lyons, M O'Brien, D Sharp, K Quirke, J Schiller, S Gilbert, A Duthy

Second Row: J Whitehead, S Athanasov, J Sullivan, S Cox, B Anderson, C Burnett, D Parker

Teacher: Mr T Weatherald

A2 Cricket

Seated Row: N Fitzgerald, L Burns, J Teisseire, S Duffield, W Swale

Second Row: A Mcbride, N Braund, T Gray, G Burford, T Browne

Teacher: Mrs M Brister

B White Cricket

Seated Row: A Lawrence, L Tu, A May, W Van Dissel, M Webber, C Hunter, J Gugliotta

Second Row: D Elix, J Terp, A Mondair, T Plant, S Fahey-Sparks, A Bean

Teacher: Mr T Weatherald

A2 Cricket

Term 1 cricket for the A2 side was outstanding. The team managed to remain undefeated due to a consistent team effort. All team members participated fully and fielding was a real strength of the side. There were some standout performances and they included brilliant bowling from Nick Fitzgerald, Charlie Hall and George Burford and some super scores from Nick Braund, Will Swale, Albert McBride, Lachlan Burns and Sam Johnston. Tremendous catches were taken by Sam Duffield, Josh Teisseire and Tom Gray. Thank you to all parents who assisted with scoring, umpiring and most importantly hearty barracking. Thanks also to Mrs Brister for managing us and Charlie for being a great coach.

B Red Cricket

Seated Row: N Broadbridge, F Kette, L Roney, H Perks, T Lee, S Lynch

Second Row: M Vasileff, S Clark, T Waddington, H Worrell, M Bevan

Teacher: Mr Cornthwaite

Summer Sport

Year 5 White Cricket

Seated Row: H Lyons, N Glynn, C Karykis, C Scheepers, M Burgess, A Thomson, W Macdonald

Second Row: J Easling, F Willsmore, J McSweeney, E Thomas, J Casalbore

Teachers: Miss Marcus, Mr M Surry

Year 4 Cricket

Seated Row: L Guglielmo, J Hailstone, J Hewlett, T Lancione, S Harris, P Stefanopoulos, C Amos, J Liascos

Second Row: S Jackson, I Oloruntoba, J Cushway, L Delbridge, S Steicke, T Hobbs, M Nyuyen, M Mitolo

Year 5 Red Cricket

Seated Row: S Sibly, T Miller, O Collison, T Santin, C Marshall, F Crameri, J Dongas, A McInnes

Second Row: S Farley, J Sarah-Katnich, G Waterhouse, T Parish, J Doney, A Gwinnett, A Gwinnett, R Mitchell

Teachers: Ms G Burnard

Year 4 White Cricket

After a very disruptive start to the season due to extreme heat and unseasonable rain, our main focus became training sessions. The boys practiced their defensive and attacking batting strokes in the nets and it was pleasing to see the progress made. Both bowling and fielding drills encouraged boys to improve their performance and all showed courage and increasing accuracy. The Term 4 schedule afforded more games and helped bring the group together as an effective team.

Tennis

Tennis A1/A2 Red

Seated Row: H Morelli, A Mallia, T Milton, A Ngo, C Dorsch, J Leung, H Martin

Second Row: C Perrin, C Colombo, J Turner, A Gwinnett, D Sharp, L Bataljin, C Henry

Teacher: Mrs L Brook

A1/A2 Red Tennis

Sixteen boys formed this squad for the year, with teams being selected on a weekly basis to play Friday afternoon competition matches. We had a disappointing first term, when boys were only able to play two games due to many cancellations because of inclement weather. However, all boys were most enthusiastic players and displayed good sportsmanship throughout the season.

Leeanne Brook

Summer Sport

Tennis A1/A2 White

Seated Row: A Parkinson, N Fitzgerald, M Faull, J Keeves, G Burford, K Quirke, S Johns, W Swale

Second Row: L Grope, C Hannemann, T Browne, N Krantz, T Gray, C Hall

Teacher: Miss J Menzel

Al/A2 White Tennis

This team has had a very enjoyable season. Great teamwork has been the key and incredible sportsmanship from all the boys was evident. In Term 1 Mr Harris did a great job at firing up the boys and offering useful advice and assistance. With Mr Harris's departure, Miss Menzel took over and looks to offer the same inspiration for Term 4 and beyond. Thank you to all the coaches and people who supported the boys this year, we especially appreciated the parents' encouragement and enthusiasm from the side lines!

Will Swale

B White Tennis

Seated Row: T Chambers, N Kapitza, J Park, A Smith

Second Row: I Partington, A Crawford, B Watson, A Xydias

Absent: M Katsambis, N Thomas

Teacher: Mrs P Martin

B White Tennis

The B White team, consisting of Year 6 and 7 boys began the year with boys new to tennis and others having more match experience. It was encouraging to see all boys persist and give of their best in challenging matches and also show good sportsmanship to opposing players. The boys have developed more confidence in their playing as the year has progressed. It has been a pleasure managing this team.

Pam Martin

Tennis B Red

Seated Row: C Brown, H Ly, W Peciulis, S Liew, B Eskander

Second Row: D Specht, J Melani, S Hamood-Staines, A Mansell

Absent: R Waters

Teacher: Mrs M Levesque

B Red Tennis

The B Red Tennis team had a difficult start of the year due to unpredictable events. The weather being consistently unfavorable, the boys only had the opportunity to play one game in Term 1. Their consistent efforts at training finally showed results as they started Term 4 with a strong victory against Blackfriars College. The second game against St Paul's College turned out to be a harder challenge but the spirits were high. All members of the B Red Tennis team are very enthusiastic about the games still to come. We are all crossing our fingers for mild weather and a successful end of the season!

Tennis C White

Seated Row: Z Papazaharoudakis, R Colton, C Oppedisano, S Meredith

Second Row: W Miller, J Frost-Shepherdson, T Vasileff, V Malladi, B Siebels

Teacher: Mrs S Taylor

C White Tennis

The boys in C White Tennis have had a very good season so far. With the majority of games being wins, the boys have been very pleased with themselves. We have had some laughs on the court while the boys have been very supportive of each other from the side lines. Some of the boys have been learning how to score and even trying to score the games themselves with the help of the umpire. All in all a good season had by the boys.

Summer Sport

Tennis C Red

Seated Row: D Moss, I Rudd, R Vereker, W Kolaroff, T Nelson

Second Row: C Skrembos, E Worrell, C Ma, J Mowat, A Mubarak

Teacher: Mrs J Gilchrist

C Red Tennis

This team had a very good year. Many of the boys had never played tennis before and it was pleasing to see their increase in skills and confidence. They showed very good sportsmanship and were courteous towards their opponents. Boys were appreciative of the coaching they received, and we were all delighted when the team won on many occasions. Thankyou to all the parents who watched their sons play and helped with umpiring.

Table Tennis

Year 6/7 Red Table Tennis

Seated Row: B Eskander, S Meng, H Ly, C Colombo, H Morelli, T Chambers

Second Row: A Lawrence, S Hamood-Staines, F Goldsworthy, N Karalis

Teacher: Mrs K Leaker

The year started with a large number of boys keen to play table tennis which meant we decided to field two teams in which the Year 6 and 7 boys competed and a practice team comprising Year 4 and 5 boys. The large number of boys entered placed a strain on practice facilities which were relieved when new tables were purchased

The Year 6 and 7 boys had mixed success in the schools' competition but the boys' skills and match tactics steadily improved. The boys are to be commended on their sportsmanship.

Year 4 Tennis

Seated Row: A Kumar, J Casalbore, E Hannemann, F Shahin, K Hirayama, M Masri, M Hood

Second Row: H Lindner, L Cialini, N Tsakalos, C Rice, T Nicholls

Teachers: Mr K Sparks, Ms L Sims

Year 6/7 White Table Tennis

Seated Row: S Lynch, C Brown, S Liew, J Leung, A Smith, J Harris, A Duthy

Second Row: D Specht, N Athans, N Krantz, A Ngo, D Parker

Teachers: Mrs K McCauley, Mrs M Hosking

Table Tennis Year 4/5

Seated Row: L Guglielmo, L Borrelli, J Frost-Shepherdson, D Eom, M Polychronopoulos, K Hirayama, Z Papazaharoudakis

Second Row: A Mubarak, N Tsakalos, A Athans, C Rice, M Masri

Teacher: Miss J Menzel

An internal competition was held by the Year 4 and 5 boys which ensured they gained a greater understanding of the skills and match rules required to play table tennis.

Kaye Leaker, Kelly McCauley, Julia Menzel, Margit Hosking and Jenny Gilchrist

Summer Sport

T-Ball

Year 6/7 T-Ball

Seated Row: L Branch, D Eom, G Meredith, C Heitmann, A Athans, C Tormay, L Graham

Second Row: T Skrembos, O Nicholl, N Athans, F Goldsworthy, W Fryer, N Karalis

Teacher: Mrs L Polain

Year 4/5 T-Ball

Seated Row: C Ross, L Borrelli, V Garcevic, M Georgiadis, L De Garis, N Karalis, A Oakley-Conlon

Second Row: H Vadasz, M Polychronopoulos, S Heitmann, V Bowyer, T Walsh, A Mitolo, K Moorthy

Teacher: Miss S Hart

Year 6/7 T-Ball

Our team of 12 players has comprised some experienced players and others new to the game. The skills development has been remarkable as the boys have bonded together as a team. Increased self confidence is evident in the batting skills and throughout our matches many boys have scored 'homers'. Similarly, the team's fielding skills have also improved with an increased focus on watching the game and a greater understanding of where to throw the ball to get the opposition's batsmen out. We have been victorious in all our matches, played either at PAC or at St Peter's College, to mark a very successful T-Ball season.

Lynda Polain

Year 4/5 T-Ball

During training sessions, the boys improved their batting, catching and fielding skills and fine-tuned their knowledge of the rules and how the game is played. The boys should be proud of just how much they have improved and for giving T-Ball a go. Special thanks to Mr Guy Collins who assisted with umpiring the matches. Many boys were new to T-Ball this year and should be congratulated for their skill development over the two terms.

Stephanie Hart

Winter Sport

Snow Skiing Team

Seated Row: C Lyons, X Lyons, J Cameron, O Lidums, D Linn, E Collison, J Bloomfield, H Lidums, C Cameron, C Keeves

Second Row: H Lyons, E Hannemann, S Heitmann, D Sharp, J Sullivan, L Lovell, T Vasileff, J Keeves, O Collison, H Fahlbusch-Moore, M Giardini

Third Row: A Gwinnett, T Lyons, G Burford, M Vasileff, P Hannemann, C Heitmann, L Grope, W Van Dissel, A Gwinnett

Fourth Row: F Willsmore, M Faull, A Gwinnett, C Pye, M Pascoe, M Burford, C Hannemann, H Collison, N Collison

Snowsports

SA Interschool Snowsports Championship

The 2007 Jarvis Subaru South Australian Interschools Snowsport Championships were held in the July school holidays at Mt Buller. Thirty Nine Prince Alfred College students were entered in the Championships with outstanding results. Fantastic snow increased the excitement among the families that were there. We were very successful during the week and we won the overall primary school trophy, Lucas Lovell won the fastest boy trophy and many other boys won medals and placed highly.

Winter Sport

Basketball

Year 6/7 Basketball Gold

Seated Row: G Burford, B Andary, N Braund, R Colton, H Collison
Second Row: N Krantz, A Mcbride
Teachers: Mr G Nalder, Mr N Andary

Year 6/7 Basketball Red

Seated Row: T Milton, A Crawford, T Browne, S Sibly
Second Row: N Athans, N Fitzgerald
Teachers: Mr G Nalder, Mr N Andary

Year 6/7 Basketball Maroon

Seated Row: C Hunter, J Melani, H Worrell, M Wicks, M Webber
Second Row; J Whitehead, C Henry
Teachers: Mr G Nalder, Mr N Andary

Year 6/7 Basketball Silver

Seated Row: M Faull, J Turner, S Cox, H Barnes, L Grope, A May
Second Row: O Nicholl, R Subhani, J Sullivan
Teachers: Mr G Nalder, Mr N Andary

Year 6/7 Basketball White

Seated Row: A Mansell, J Teisseire, C Hannemann, L Burns, S Duffield
Second Row: C Heitmann, I Partington
Teachers: Mr G Nalder, Mr N Andary

Basketball Year 4/5Gold

Seated Row: Z Papazaharoudakis, M Masri, O Collison, C Oppedisano, M Hood
Second Row: E Thomas, T Parish, T Vasileff, C Marshall
Teacher: Mr L Golding (Absent)

Year 4/5 Basketball Gold

We were not a very tall team but everyone battled hard each week. Thank you to our coach Liam Golding for his efforts; he taught us a lot about team work this year.

Year 4/5 Maroon Basketball

Under the guidance of Mr Collins, we finished the season in top spot and defeated Saints in the Grand Final. Thank you to Kellie Stam and Catherine Martin for scoring each week.

Winter Sport

Year 4/5 Basketball Maroon

Seated Row: P Stefanopoulos, B Siebels, E Worrell, C Skrembos, H Martin
Second Row: S Jackson, L Delbridge, W Kolaroff
Teacher: Mr G Collins

Year 4/5 Basketball White

Seated Row: S Farley, C Rice, W Miller, A Oloruntoba
Second Row: M Nguyen, A Athans, V Bowyer, M Georgiadis
Teacher: Ms Farrell

Year 4/5 Basketball White

Our basketball team was very competitive and hardworking. The boys who had less experience tried very hard and developed well. Mrs Farrell and Mr Bowyer, our two coaches, put in a lot of time and effort. The proof was that we won the end of season final.

Year 2/3 Basketball Red

Seated Row: T Fletcher-Harriss, L O'Carroll, T Sibly, O Fox, D Linn
Second Row: M Colton, B Reynolds, A Day
Teacher: S Colton, S Silby

Year 2/3 Basketball

The boys have a greater understanding of the rules of the game and the way in which the game is played. Throughout the season they have appreciated each other as a team.

Year 4/5 Basketball Red

Seated Row: I Rudd, L Cialini, J Doney, F Crameri, L De Garis
Second Row: J Casalbore, N Glynn, J Casalbore
Absent: L Branch, Mr A Roller

Year 4/5 Basketball Red

Jon-Luke and brother Joseph Casalbore gave all players great inspiration. Luke improved in finding attacking space, Jack could score a goal with his eyes closed, Lucas was like a terrier in defence and Fraser could leap and retrieve almost every rebound. Isaac could sprint up and down the court non stop and Nick Glynn could drive and shoot with great strength. Thank you Mr Roller for your excellent coaching.

Year 3 Basketball Gold

Seated Row: O Lidums, E Collison, H Milic, Z Weigold
Second Row: F Crowley, J Chalk
Teacher: K Dowling

Year 2/3 Basketball White

Seated Row: W Liao, M Georgiadis, R Benson, A Skrembos
Second Row: H Crawford, A Miller, J Nalder
Teacher: E Skrembos

Winter Sport

Year 2 Basketball Maroon

Seated Row: U Oloruntoba, J Farley, Z Ren, J Marschall, U Dibiamaka

Second Row: P Mourtzios, U Dibiamaka, N Burchett-Knott, P Gayen

Football Year 6/7B Football

Seated Row: C Hunter, J Terp, D Sharp, C Burnett, L Mahadeva, M Webber, M O'Brien, C Hall

Second Row: A Mondair, J Park, A Crawford, W Jury, J Turner, B Andary, J Melani, S Duffield, R Terrell

Football

Year 6/7A Football

Seated Row: W Swale, A Parkinson, N Fitzgerald, W Curyer, C Hannemann, M Wicks, H Collison, P Russo

Second Row: M Faull, L Burns, L Grope, H Perks, G Burford, T Browne, C Dorsch

Third Row: J Teisseire, H Barnes, T Gray, N Braund, T Plant, S Bean

Absent: Mr J Parkinson (Coach), A McBride

Teacher: Mr G Jenkinson

Year 6/7B Football

We had an excellent season, winning about half of our matches with the highlights being close victories against Sacred Heart and Pulteney. We also had a fantastic win against St Peter's in our final match. The most pleasing aspect was the great improvement by many of the boys.

Year 5 Football

A team focused group of boys who were more than happy to play out of position and try various roles within the team to help balance our experienced and less experienced players. We were only beaten by two opposing teams. During these narrow defeats the boys showed courage and great depth of character to push these sides all the way to the end of the game. The highlight of the season was our 14 point win over St Peter's during Intercol week, where we came from behind and overran the blue boys.

Year 5 Football

Seated Row: R Vereker, S Sibly, C Scheepers, F Crameri, M Burgess, C Marshall, O Collison, A Gwinnett, A Gwinnett

Second Row: B Siebels, L Bataljin, G Waterhouse, J McSweeney, T Vasileff, R Colton, F Willsmore, W Van Dissel, V Malladi, E Thomas

Teachers: R Pearce, I Willsmore (Absent)

Year 4 Football

Seated Row: M Hood, M Mitolo, J Hailstone, A Karalis, S Jackson, F Shahin, A Thomson, H Lindner, J Liascos, A Oakley-Conlon

Second Row: E Hannemann, T Hobbs, J Cushway, L Delbridge, A Lalic, N Glynn, T Lancione, S Harris

Absent : S Steicke

Teachers: G Burnard, N Lalic

Winter Sport

Year 2/3 Football

Seated Row: N Terp, Z Mizgalski, F Manhire, Z Schwalm, P Duffield, A Mowat, H Bosi, W Robertson, I Mantovan

Second Row: N Burchett-Knott, T Fletcher-Harriss, L O'Carroll, J Chalk, C Young, D Linn, D Willmore

Third Row: M Georgiadis, H Lindner, H Fahlbusch-Moore, E Collison, R Benson

Absent: S Fincher (Absent)

Year Minkey Year 4

Seated Row: H Lyons, L Cialini, J Hewlett, C Amos

Second Row: C Ross, S Heitmann, K Moorthy

Teachers: Mrs E Parker, N Robinson

Hockey

Year 6/7 Hockey

All players developed skills and teamwork and definitely played their best when it really counted, in the Intercol match against Saints. We ended up winning 2–1! Thank you to Mrs Leeson for being a great manager and to all the parents who came along to support us.

Year 6/7 Hockey

Seated Row: T Lyons, L Glynn, R Subhani, W Peciulis, N Kapitza, B Anderson, J Keeves, J Schiller

Second Row: W Fryer, H Worrell, T Waddington, B Watson, O Nicholl, J Sullivan, S Gilbert

Absent: C Tormay, D Mccappin

Teachers: Mr M Surry, Mrs M Leeson

Minkey and Half Field Hockey

This year, there were 3 Minkey teams represented in the competition. PAC Maroon was made up of Year 4 boys while PAC White and PAC Red were a mix of Year 2 and 3 boys. Coaching by the Senior boys, Sam Sobels and Nick Robinson, was appreciated by all.

Sam and Nick diligently coached PAC White and Red on mostly cold, wintry, Thursday mornings. Boys were often very keen to practice and enjoyed the drills and warm-up runs. On the field, teams had mixed results. PAC vs PAC matches were often hard fought but always showed wonderful sportsmanship. Game skills improved during each game, in particular passing the ball accurately and defending.

Year 2/3 White Minkey

Seated Row: A Towie, J Cameron, S Sobels, X Lyons, J Gratton

Second Row: A Fry, L O'Carroll, A Day, J Farley

Teachers: Mrs T Crawford, Mrs S Lock

Half Field Hockey

Seated Row: I Rudd, J Mowat, V Garcevic, C Ma, A McInnes

Second Row: W Miller, V Bowyer, E Worrell, T Santin

Absent: M Claxton (Coach)

Teachers: Mrs E Parker, N Robinson

Nick also helped to coach the Year 4 Minkey team and the Year 5 Half Field team during Tuesday Sports practice. Our other coach was Matt Claxton. We appreciated the help from both boys.

Winter Sport

Year 2/3 Red Minkey

Seated Row: Z Schwalm, H Tremellen, J Greenslade, J Chapman

Second Row: P Gayen, O Fox, J Lesicar

Teachers: T Crawford, Mrs S Lock, S Sobels

Soccer

A Soccer

Seated Row: S Johnston, S Fahey-Sparks, K Quirke, N Broadbridge, F Kette, D Elix, L Tu, J Gugliotta

Second Row: Y Venardis, T Skrembos, M Bevan, C Heitmann, S Clark, S Cox, A Gwinnett, T Milton

Absent: M Katsambis

Teacher: Mr S Behan

Year 4/5 Soccer

Seated Row: J Casalbore, A Gwinnett, T Walsh, L Branch, O'Collison, A Mitolo, C Oppedisano

Second Row: H Vadasz, J Easling, M Georgiadis, A Gwinnett, J Casalbore

Absent: A De Palma, A Cox

Teacher: Mr L Ritchie

B Soccer

We had a moderately successful soccer season, winning one game and drawing three. Our defence was good, and midfield, striker and the goal keeper played very well this season.

B Soccer

Seated Row: G Meredith, A May, S Johns, T Adelson, A Mallia, A Bean, R Waters, C Perrin

Second Row: Y Lee, S Athanasov, I Partington, M Vasileff, L Roney, J Whitehead, T Lee, A Mansell

Absent: L Janowski, A Xydias

Teacher: L Chu

Year 5 Red Soccer

The season started with a few experienced players carrying most of the responsibility for taking the game to the opposition. However, by the fifth match the team came together as a unit with all boys contributing to the effort. This led to memorable gritty victories -away from home - against the perennial tough opposition of St. Michael's and Rostrevor.

By mid-season the boys enjoyed a series of high scoring wins characterised by solid defending, tireless build-up out of midfield and ruthless finishing. It was very satisfying to see the development in skills and confidence of the less experienced members of the team.

Year 5 Red Soccer

Seated Row: D Moss, S Farley, J Dongas, T Miller, J Sarah-Katnich, L Graham, T Nelson, W Kolaroff

Second Row: C Skrembos, C Karykis, T Parish, G Waterhouse, J Doney, H Martin

Teacher: Mr K Sparks

Year 4/5 Soccer

All the boys in our team scored at least one goal during the season which was great. Our largest victories were against St Peter's. During our 2 matches against Saints we kicked a total of 32 goals to their 1.

Winter Sport

Year 4 Soccer

Seated Row: W Macdonald, P Stefanopoulos, T Lancione, S Namgung, J Seo, S Jackson, A Kumar, M Hood

Second Row: C Lam, L De Garis, A Oloruntoba, L Delbridge, T Nicholls, M Nguyen, D Mai, S Meredith

Manager: Mr G Bishop

Coach: Mr D Macdonald

Year 4 Soccer

The year started off very well with a couple of close games and some good wins over Pembroke and Saints. The boys trained keenly and were happy to listen to advice and try new routines and skill drills during practise. The team's defensive play improved with every game and constantly kept opposing sides at bay. Through the middle of the season the boys had numerous big wins with many boys running hard and passing the ball well to build solid offensive moves. Late in the season we travelled to St Michaels where we went down in a fast moving and keenly fought game. With increased confidence with their skill levels the boys worked really well as a team against a strong Rostrevor before going down gallantly. Our final game of the season was against St Peters in the intercol game. With tremendous endeavour and great team work they won the match convincingly scoring the only 3 goals for the game. The Year 4 Soccer boys were a wonderful and supportive team with fantastic skills.

Soccer Year 3

Seated Row: H Milic, M Giardini, L O'Carroll, J Stathy, Z Weigold

Second Row: J Nalder, Z Tsantes, J Chalk, A Georgiadis

Teacher: A Milic

Year 2 Soccer

Seated Row: Z Mizgalski, H Klenk, H Bosi, H Tsakalos, L Harkness

Second Row: N Burchett-Knott, P Singh, W Padbury

A Chess

Seated Row: A Gwinnett, S Liew, T Chambers, T Lyons, V Malladi, A Mubarak, C Lam

Second Row: M O'Brien, J Keeves, H Perks, T Waddington, A Mondair, H Ly, D Elix

Teacher: Mr P Cornthwaite

C Chess

Seated Row: J Harris, L Branch, K Hirayama, H Lyons

Second Row: S Lynch, D Parker, C Karykis

Teacher: Mrs J Gilchrist

Music & Co-curricular Groups

String Vig

Seated Row: A Rositano, D Linn, H Lyons, X Lyons

Second Row: T Lancione, A Thomson

Junior Chorale

Seated Row: N Terp, H Milic, J Nalder, D Lim, C Young

Second Row: C Lam, R Vereker, C Ross, K Moorthy, T Takakov

Choir Fest

Seated Row: C Henry, S Liew, S Gilbert, H Morelli, L Tu, C Perrin, B Eskander, S Johnston

Second Row: A May, J Melani, S Athanasov, W Jury, M Bevan, A Ngo, J Terp, J Leung

Third Row: K Quirke, A Mondair, A Crawford, B Watson, J Park, A Mansell, J Schiller

Absent: A Duthy

Teacher: M Bell

String Orp

Seated Row: S Lynch, J Leung, C Lam

Second Row: Y Lee, C Ross

Absent: T Lee

Teacher: Mrs P Freeman

Director of Strings: E Berberyan (Absent)

Junior Concert Band

Seated Row: A Lawrence, S Sibly, D Elix, C Scheepers, L Branch, A Bean, D Eom, P Russo, S Farley, J Gugliotta, H Vadasz

Second Row: S Lynch, C Marshall, J Keeves, N Broadbridge, T Browne, L Glynn, J Whitehead, A Mallia, N Fitzgerald, T Miller

Third Row: T Lyons, M O'Brien, A Athans, L Roney, N Kapitza, B Anderson, T Adelson, S Fahey-Sparks, W Van Dissel

Fourth Row: S Johns, Y Venardis, F Kette, T Plant, S Cox, J Sullivan, C Ma, V Bowyer, M Webber

Teacher: Mr A Newhouse

Beginners' Concert Band

Seated Row: H Lindner, W Macdonald, H Lyons, A Kumar, J Cushway, A McInnes, P Stefanopoulos, L Guglielmo, M Hood, S Meredith

Second Row: A Thomson, T Lancione, V Garcevic, N Glynn, S Heitmann, G Waterhouse, L De Garis, E Hannemann, F Willsmore

Third Row: F Shahin, A Oloruntoba, C Karykis, M Georgiadis, L Delbridge, L Cialini, A Mitolo, S Jackson

Teacher: Mr A Newhouse

Secondary School

Head of the Secondary School's Report

Forests need at least two types of plants: those whose roots go deep into the soil and have been there for years and those who have more shallow root systems. The two do not compete and are in fact necessary to sustain each other. This simple analogy also reflects the life of a school such as Princes and we have seen it this year in the departures of staff in the Secondary School. Some have been with us for years and given valuable service. Others have given valuable service over a shorter time but all will leave the School richer for their having been here.

This year the senior management team consisted of Ken Watson, Deputy; Richard Bruford, Director of Teaching and Learning; Andrew Buxton, Director of Curriculum; Sam Cheesman, Head of Boarding and Mark Dell'Oro, Director of Sport and I thank them most sincerely for their work. The Extended Stay Program has been implemented with great success; a new timetabling program employed and a new timetable structure planned for 2008. I thank Geoff Brougham who has been Acting Head of English this year,

Head of the Secondary School, Mrs Cynthia May

Alastair Lupton as Head of Mathematics for the first of two years and Anthony Izzo who leaves us after three years as Head of Technology. Sam Jordan has enjoyed his first year as Head of Cotton House and Sam Cheesman established his presence as Head of Boarding. It is Heads of Department and Heads of House/Year who are the middle managers in the School and allow school leaders to be more effective in their roles. They manage curriculum, assessment, budgets and student matters with skill and energy and I value their work highly.

We have welcomed several staff to the School this year and farewelled others. Contract staff have included Chad Parrish, Hugh Haskett, Karen Inwood, Pedro Ferreira, Robyn Hillman, Michael Walker, Melody Marshall and Angela Harms whilst Jarrod Cross and Anna Melino joined the permanent staff. All have made an unassuming and valuable contribution. We have already farewelled Grant Davis, Gavin Marcus, Peter Hopkins, Emma Marshall, Tracey Morrell, Shane Wood, Margaret Hurnell, Jeanette Reide and David Jacquier this year. Marilyn Hunt was welcomed back from her two year placement in Europe. The sudden death of Malcolm Dawe stunned us and his presence has been sadly missed by all of the community. Kate Boccaccio, David Freesmith, Filomena Longo, Jim Flatt, Anna Melino and Anthony Izzo will also leave us for new positions in the independent sector or, in Kate's case, a new baby. Kathryn Harding, Assistant to the Head of the Secondary School, also leaves us at the end of the year. We celebrate a bright future for these staff and thank them for their contribution to our School.

As always I extend my thanks to the staff across the whole campus: in the Café, Administration, the Boarding House, the kitchen and the grounds. I know these people are aware of how much their work means to the Secondary School.

There are several highlights to the year which require chronicling. The first of these is the Gerard Corporation Innovation Lecture. This year, Duncan Chessell spoke on his travels with a particular focus on the Antarctic. His simple advice, to break things down

Head of the Secondary School

to simple steps, was valuable to the boys who face the daunting task of completing their Year 12 studies. Our Solar Bike crew entered the Challenge and as I write this, they are on the first leg of the race. We welcomed Sopheak from the Sunrise Orphanage and began a relationship with this community who welcome our help so warmly.

As always, many boys were awarded academic certificates for their part in national competitions and it is a wonderful balance to see them also participating in a range of other activities: sport, debating, chess, music amongst others. Our Intercol record this year was much improved and a source of pride to all those involved. The musical *Grease* and the drama productions *Of Mice and Men* and *The Les Darcy Show*, were quite different performances but each allowed the boys to showcase their talents.

I thank Chris Harry and Brian Chui as Captain and Vice-Captain of School. I have enjoyed working with these boys and assisting them as they have grown into leadership.

Student Forum members have continued to contribute in practical and enthusiastic ways, meeting three times a term. Nineteen badges were presented in Term 2 to affirm their contribution.

The Red and White saw the Convention Centre as the scene of the Academy Awards under the guidance of Toby Nihill. Valedictory Assembly and the dinner were truly celebrations for the Year 12 boys. They behaved with dignity and pride in the final week of school and staff were delighted to share these final events with them.

By the time this Chronicle reaches press, the Wilfred Cooper building will be in use and staff will at last be in their new offices. Our new Library is much enjoyed and planning is underway for the new Sports Centre. The boys and their teachers have endured noise, dust and assorted inconvenience over the last few years but we recognise that this has been necessary in order to give our facilities a new functionality.

I have been particularly privileged to have been part of this school for almost six years. I look back in amazement as my role as consultant in the Middle Years in 2002 morphed quite surprisingly into Head of the Secondary School. I have enjoyed the professional challenges faced over these years and thank wholeheartedly all those who have been part of the school in this time. You have all made this School a better place.

Mrs Cynthia May, Head of the Secondary School

School Captain's Report

It is with a mixture of feelings that I look back on the year that has been: Relief that the ordeal of Year 12 is over, sadness that such a large part of my life has ended, happiness that I now have new opportunities to take advantage of, expectation that the next few years will be as enjoyable and rewarding as the time I have experienced at Prince Alfred College.

Attending the College for so many years, I have grown up within this school community. I can still go to the Preparatory School and talk to some of the staff who assisted in my development when I was five years old. I remember a time when the Junior Primary playground was made out of wood, the Adventure playground still had a flying fox, and the art rooms were located in the new kindergarten.

Most of all it is the friends and acquaintances I have made through my many years at the school that I will remember. When the photograph of the class of '95 was taken, I realised that the students sitting to my left and right would be friends for life. While we may not have as much in common now as we did all those years ago, I can still re-live every defining moment with those students.

These bonds I have forged have been constantly reinforced throughout the events of the year. The Summer Intercols are the first events of the year in which all of Year 12 comes together to support each other on the sporting field. There was mixed success. Euphoric wins contrasted with demoralising losses, there was always the support of friends and the community. I will always remember the words of a crewmate after our race, the memory seared into my mind.

Captain of School, Chris Harry

I have always found that here we strive for true excellence, demanding so much of ourselves. Success is not always achieved, but it is when we fail that we grow and learn to take mistakes in stride. Initial setbacks in organising the Formal were overcome and the formal committee eventually hosed the most enjoyable Red and White Formal in many years, widely applauded by students, partners and staff alike.

The sense of school community was again felt as the Winter Intercols gave a huge number of students the opportunity to perform at the highest level for their school. Winning the Soccer and Hockey Intercols for the first time in years showed what spirit the school had, supported each afternoon by much of the school community.

The community and friendships that I have formed at this school have not changed over my thirteen years here, although the landscape has. Traditions have remained while the facilities have undergone transformations into some of the most modern teaching facilities around, with a new library opened for students and a central classroom block undergoing complete refurbishment. I will never experience the new opportunities it will offer, but I know it will support this school for many years to come.

The 2007 Prefects

My time at the school would have been nothing without the support of teachers and staff. I owe a deep debt to Mr Bruford and Mrs May, who have helped me excel in what I have found to be one of the most difficult years of my life. I am sure that Mr Tutt will continue to do a fantastic job of rejuvenating all aspects of the school, from the facilities to the learning that future students will experience.

I finish with a final thought that no matter what happens now my time has ended here, this College will command a place in my heart. The teachers and staff, past and present, to whom I owe so much, the students with whom I have shared a bond and good times and to my friends across the school. Whether I see them soon or not, they will never be forgotten. I hope that for those who come after me, they will experience and cherish this unique feeling.

Chris Harry

Left: Brian Chui (Vice-Captain of School) and Chris Harry (Captain of School).

Student Leadership

Functions Committee: Red and White 2007

This years Red and White themed "Hollywood Nights" was an absolute success and resembled a true reflection of the amount of time, effort and planning that was put into the night. The event took place at the Adelaide Convention Centre where boys from year 11 and year 12 along with their partners were greeted by teachers, paparazzi and a red carpet.

Following tradition, the functions committee, comprising a group of prefects, worked together to plan this extraordinary evening. The members for this year were: Jack Harford, Callum Brewerton, Nathan Daniel, Sam Harris and Toby Nihill. Each member took responsibility for a particular critical activity to secure a successful night including Decorations, Photography, Meals, Gifts and the Budget.

This year the committee set out to establish a landmark event; one that would be remembered by all who attended. This was achieved. To create a real difference, the committee decided on a number of unique ideas that have not necessarily been touched on with previous Prince Alfred College formals. This included the gift, incorporating the theme, and for the first time awarding prizes for best dressed and King and Queen of the formal. Each guest and PAC student received a PAC Oscar as a memento of the evening. We chose the 'Hollywood Nights' theme not only to make the evening special and a little more fun, but to create as much enjoyment and interaction throughout the night as possible. The venue was decorated in a similar style to the traditional Hollywood Kodak Theatre with red carpet, star spangled table decorations and exclusive table settings. Our aim was to make everyone feel like a star.

The night was fantastic and feedback from the majority that attended the evening had suggested the committee had "got it right". Even the Headmaster described the evening as "a best ever event". The glitz and glamour of the 2007 Red and White formal was a night to remember.

Toby Nihill

Memorabilia Committee

Throughout the last year as prefects within the Memorabilia Committee we have achieved our goals and are still working hard to achieve them. The team consisting of Simon Frisby, Winston Luu, Chris Harry, Alistair Murray and myself, firstly enabled the Year 12 cohort the ability to wear their Year 12 Jackets earlier than past years. Working together with Kym Foot at Rally Point has benefited the team and the year 12's as a whole. The jackets turned out well and were accepted and appreciated by the 2007 School Leavers. The Memorabilia Committee gave the Year 12's a survey in the first semester and gave the opportunity for the seniors to vote a preferred style of garment. The "Bomber Jacket" style prevailed as the most popular choice instead of the traditional "Rugby Styled" jumper. The wish of the students was to have their jumpers delivered earlier than usual and we received them from Rally Point half way through term 3.

Simon Frisby and Winston Luu worked together with Mon Thiele and Marg and Clark from Festival Photography to create a photo album of each Year 12's experience here at Prince Alfred College. The idea of the photo book is to be the School Leaver's way of reflecting on their experience in a longer lasting way than that of the traditional Year 12 DVD. The books will be presented to the Year 12's on Valedictory Day. A work in progress is that of the School Leaver's Tie, this too will be presented to the Year 12's on Valedictory Day. The tie will symbolize that the wearer is a Prince Alfred College 2007 School Leaver, and is to be worn at Old Scholar events and functions.

Andrew Franklin

Prefects 2007

Back Row L to R: S T Harris, N A Daniel, J A Harford, W Luu, A A Murray, S Sharley

Front Row L to R: T Nihill, A C Watson, B Chui, Mrs C May (Head of Secondary School), Mr K Tutt (Headmaster), C J Harry, A W Franklin, C T T Brewerton

Achieving Excellence

Year 12 IBD Merit Winners 2007

Graduates of the IB pose with their teachers and mentors at the IBDP Merit Ceremony held at the Adelaide Town Hall on Monday 19 February.

This Academic Year began with the news of excellent performances from our 2006 Year 12s in both the South Australian Certificate of Education (SACE) and the International Baccalaureate Diploma (IBDP). A total of 101 students attempted the SACE and 40 the IBDP. These students were awarded a total of 48 merit scores, 7 for SACE and 41 for IBDP. These were wonderful results, which reflected an increase in grades from the previous year. The following students deserve a special mention for their outstanding results: Peter Avina for his perfect score of 45 in the IBDP, Davor Pavlin-Premrl (IBDP) and James Moschou (IBDP) who both achieved a TER 99.95 and SACE student Tony Le TER 99.75. All four students were placed within the top 1% of all students in the state. Other notable performances included those of our boarders and international students. Amongst them, boarders Hamish King TER 99.9 and Richard Seglenieks TER 97.25, and international students Bo Zhu, Tseng Hui Heng and Victor Seng who achieved an average TER of 94.2%, the latter two being awarded bilingual IB Diplomas. Overall, 11 of our students were placed in the top 1% of the state, 29 in the top 5%, 44 in the top 10%, and 77 of our students were in the top 20% of the state.

The following prizes were awarded on the basis of the 2006 SACE and IBDP results:

The Sir Thomas Elder Prize and Dux of the School
Peter Avina

The EB Colton Prize (Proxime Accessit to the Dux of the School)
Davor Pavlin-Premrl

The Malpas Prize for Science
Tony Le

The Longbottom Prize for Mathematics
James Moschou

The Colton Prize for Arts and Languages
Tseng Hui Heng

Every year our Mathematics students achieve outstanding successes in various competitions. This year has proved no different with our students experiencing a great deal of success in both the Australian and South Australian Mathematics Competitions. In the national competition our students performed exceptionally well with eight students awarded prizes for placing in the top 0.3% of our State candidates. These students included Philipp Allgeuer (Year 11), Roberto Riedig, Yao Ly, Tim Smith, David Nguyen (Year 9), Vinh Thoi, Alex Buckby and Nicholas Piccone (Year 8). 8% of our students received High Distinction awards, 17% Distinction awards and 33% Credit awards. These are most impressive results in a competition that now attracts entries from no fewer than forty countries worldwide.

In the South Australian Mathematics Competition, six students achieved results that placed them in the top ten in their respective age divisions. From Year 11 — Philipp Allgeuer (2nd place), Tom Wu (7th place) and Yunze Wang (9th place). From Year 10 — Travis Cordingley (7th place). From Year 8 — Drew Clements (3rd place) and Albert Wu (8th place). A number of students also gained High Distinctions placing them in the top 1% of the State including Terry Moschou (Year 10), Yao Ly (Year 9), Lachlan Chapman (Year 8) and Vinh Thoi (Year 8). Each year a number of high flying Mathematics students are invited to partake in the Australian Mathematics Olympiad where nine hundred students from around Australia are invited to sit a gruelling test of their mathematical ability. This year Terry Moschou and Yao Ly are congratulated on receiving awards of High Distinction and Distinction respectively in the Intermediate Division.

In the Humanities area, Joel Amos was one of four students selected to represent South Australia in the 'Every Voice Counts' National Youth forum in Canberra, as part of the Federal Government's annual 'Celebrating Democracy' program. Joel was encouraged to nominate for this forum because of his impressive History results and interest in democracy and while in Canberra played a key role in developing a report from the forum delegates, that was forwarded to the Honourable Julie Bishop, the Federal Minister for Education.

SACE Merits

The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, congratulates three of the SACE Merit winners after the ceremony at Government House. L–R: Myles Heritage, Simon Dickson, Mr Kevin Tutt and Benjamin Neale.

Sixty-five Year 9 boys participated in the National Geographic Australian Geography Competition and the results were very encouraging. Ten students received High Distinctions for their efforts placing them in the top 1% of Geography students the country. The following boys are congratulated for their

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outstanding achievement — Aaron Jin, Yiran Tan, Richard Bethune, David Brown, Nicholas Burton, Iain Cooper, Richard Gale, James Hunter, Matthew Rohde and Edward Young. An additional eleven students received awards of Distinction, while another fourteen students received a Credit award.

This year has seen the successful introduction of Digital Photography within the Year 10 elective Technology courses. Nine boys had their work entered into the Royal Adelaide Show's Junior Photography Competition. In total, ten photographs were presented for judging and our students received seven awards in what was a strong field. The prize-winners included Joshua Hall, Steven Lau, Max Burford and Rohan Pratt. Worthy of note was James Mumford's entry, which received the Special Prize for Best Exhibit.

Once again, there were some outstanding results achieved in the Australasian Computer Skills Competition. Of those students who participated, 67% achieved awards placing them in the top 20% of the State or better. A total of twelve students were awarded Distinction certificates, which placed them in the top 10% of the State.

Support for our international students in their study of English as a Second Language has made significant progress over the past few years. Students this year were encouraged to enter the Study Adelaide Letters Home Competition, where students were to write a 250-word letter to friends and family back home overseas. Young Chan Lee (Year 11) won the competition for his entry and received $500 for his efforts!

Our budding Scientists have also been demonstrating their talents in the International Science Competition organised by the University of New South Wales. A number of boys achieved awards of High Distinction placing them in the top 1% of students from South Australia. This included Christopher Harry from Year 12; Angus McClaren and Terry Moschou from Year 10; David Brown, Richard Gale, Roberto Riedig, Tim Smith and Yao Ly from Year 9; and Lachlan Chapman, Jock Clarnette and Morgan Price from Year 8. 18% of the 273 students that entered received Distinction awards, while a further 20% of students received a Credit award.

Chemistry specialists were invited to partake in the Royal Australian Chemical Institute (RACI) Chemistry Competition, with some excellent results being achieved. The following boys received awards of High Distinction for their efforts; Christopher Harry from Year 12; and Glynn Rice, Andrew Pederick, Tom Wu, Zachary Cox and Philipp Allgeuer all from Year 11.

Srdjan Jankovic (Year 10) also displayed his ability in the sciences with his poster presentation in the Oliphant Science Awards. Srdjan impressed with his ability to present scientific information in an artistic format proving that science is not just about analysis and interpretation but an ability to present the research is crucial too.

Now in its second year at Princes, 'Claymation' is proving to be a hit with students with its cross-over between Art and Languages. Claymation involves putting together storyboards, which must be spoken in the foreign language, using clay animation. A number of students from Year 9 were named as finalists for the German Film Festival 2007. The theme for the Competition was 'Packing up — Starting Out' and saw the production of a number of imaginative clay animations including packing for travelling, going to a rock concert and to a basketball match. Entries included films from a number of schools across South and Western Australia. Amidst stiff competition they won 1st and 3rd places in the Middle Years section with their productions. Winners included Michael Thompson and Nick Woolmore (1st place) and Dominic Albanese and Jack Norman (3rd place).

German Film Festival Winners

An honourable mention goes to Luke Tatterson, Jordan Portsch and Todd Purdy, whose animation also reached the finalist stage.

Congratulations are extended to all students who achieved such wonderful results throughout the year. It goes to show that hard work certainly pays off. While some students get the accolades for what they achieve academically it is important to acknowledge the hard work of our teachers in providing the opportunities and support for such successes to occur, thank you.

Finally, learning is a lifelong habit, and whilst our students have been scaling the heights of academic achievement, our teachers have also been busy in their studies. A number of the Secondary School staff have completed or are undertaking study of a Masters Degree. Congratulations must go to Ms Tabitha Clune who recently received her Masters in Learning Innovation. While Mr Bowyer, Mr Clohesy and Mr Cheesman are all well into the studies for a Masters Degree in Education Leadership and Management. We wish them well.

The Prizewinners of 2006, Davor Pavlin-Premrl, Tony Le, James Moschou and Peter Avina. Absent: Tseng Hui Heng.

PACCC

The PACCC is a student organisation comprised of Year 11 students. It's designed to give students an opportunity to partake in fundraising activities helping both the school and the broader community. This year the committee was comprised of Jeremy Broadbent (President), Nicholas Crawford (Vice) and Hamish Tregeagle (secretary).

Our first fundraiser of the year was Pancake Day. This event was a lot of fun and thanks to the generous support of the PAC community we were able to raise a substantial sum of money to support UnitingCare.

Possibly one of the most successful fundraisers for the PACCC was 'Iced Week". This involved selling Iced Coffee for an entire week to support Opportunity International as part of Founders week.

Term Three saw the highlight of the PACCC calendar with the Year 8 and 9 Social. The night was a huge success, with all having a great evening. One of the highlights would be Mrs McLaughlin hitting the dance floor, to show off her moves!

Our final fundraiser of the year was a drink stand at the PAC Sports Day. With the warmer weather our ice cold beverages were quickly sold out, meaning that we raised a large amount of money for Opportunity International.

I have really enjoyed being part of the PACCC and would like to thank Mr Ken Watson who gave up his spare time to attend meetings and was always there for the committee when help was needed. Also I would also like to thank all of those who attended meetings and gave their time for the PACCC. Through these efforts this year PACCC has made a real difference in the lives of those who are not so advantaged, and all involved in raising these funds, I also thank.

Hamish Tregeagle, Secretary of the PACCC

Environment Club

Co-ordinator: Mr Stephen Clohesy

Committee: William Young, Andrew Pederick, Harrison Crawford, Hiran Lecamwasam, Nick Stevens, William Farminer, Lachlan Stranks, James Spencer , Alex Sillins.

The Prince Alfred College Environment Club has been running since 2005. The group's activities have involved over thirty students from Years 8–12. In Term 1 the team turn their attentions to Clean Up Australia Day and have taken responsibility for a stretch of the River Torrens behind the Adelaide Zoo. In Term 2 the team support the Wilderness Society by selling stickers, badges and wrist band to raise funds for endangered species. In Term 3 the club assist the Trees For Life campaign by planting and distributing seedlings. The group has worked enthusiastically and passionately and although we take only small steps we feel as though we are making a difference. The group are always on the look out for new initiatives and welcome all new members.

Andrew Pederick

PACCC 2007

Back Row L to R: W H Ellison, A Lee, D C Shaw, M J Butler, H D Warnecke, A S T F Carlson, C P Schultz

Front Row L to R: H J Murdoch, H J Tregeagle (Secretary), J J Broadbent (President), Mr K L Watson, N R Crawford (Vice President) S R Mugford, R Cannizzaro

Absent: L D G Stranks

Student Forum

2007 Archives/Museum Committee

L to R: Mr A M Aldous, G C H Jeffrey, J D Bray, M J Kinnaird, R G R Buller

This year the Prefect Service Committee, which consists of Aaron Watson, Simon Sharley and myself, had the major role of managing and running Student Forum. As in previous years, Student Forum has allowed the voice of students to be heard in order to make positive contributions to the Princes community. In 2007, Student Forum has been successful in bringing significant changes such as the fitting of curtains in the Arrowcrest Science Centre, bells between each module, and working alongside the ground staff in the maintenance and care of our school environment.

Special thanks must go to Mrs May who supervises each meeting and Nancy who provides us with delicious lunches each Friday meeting. The warmest of thanks must also go to Mr Peter Hughes, Mr Peter Dawes and their team of ground staff for their tireless behind the scenes contribution to the life of the college.

Finally, we would like to encourage as many boys to run for Student Forum next year to ensure that Student Forum continues to grow in its leadership of the school in 2008 and beyond.

Brian Chui

Student Forum 2007

Back Row L to R: H P Burton, S Sharley, Mrs C May (Head of Secondary School), A C Watson, B Chui

Third Row L to R: H D Warnecke, A D Young, J K Gugliotta, A K Kurup, J E Fyfe

Second Row L to R: S J Wilhelm, M Shroff, J A Zacker, A J Pederick

Front Row L to R: J Gerard, Z J Jackman, S R Barnett, O J Thomas, H J Tregeagle

Going Beyond

Scotts Creek: 30 Years On...

Over 30 years ago three Princes Men, Headmaster Geoff Bean, P.E. Teacher Geoff Woollard and Year 7 teacher Rob Smith shared a vision — that the students of Prince Alfred College would benefit greatly if the school had its own property. On this property they could develop an outdoor education program that would enhance the well rounded education Prince Alfred College boys receive, focusing on the environment, personal development and adventure activities.

In 1976 the School Council, with the support of the Prince Alfred College Foundation, purchased a 150-acre property at Scotts Creek near Morgan. Twelve months of planning and building "realized a 'dream camp' for students at the school" (Frank Pangallo, *The Advertiser*, 2/05/77).

Scotts Creek featured three dormitories, a staff block, a dining hall, and a building which housed a workshop, resource centre and darkroom. Up to 70 students and 12 teachers could be accommodated at a time, with the educational focus being to encourage a better understanding of natural surroundings, adventure training and environmental studies.

Moving forward to 2007 and the Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre and Outdoor Education at Princes has continued to grow and provide our boys with a truly unique experience that encourages, challenges, rewards and extends their overall education at Princes. Outdoor Education caters for all Princes students from Year 3 to 11 and also gives students from Concordia, Seymour, Walford, Immanuel, The Grove Education Centre, Salisbury, Elizabeth and Camp Quality an opportunity to share in this experience.

The annual programs allow students to face challenges beyond those possible in a suburban school day. They take responsibility for themselves, the community and the environment, and participate in activities that develop life skills and values in leadership, teamwork and tolerance.

Students learn to canoe, kayak, rock climb, orienteer, menu plan and cook. They paddle, climb, solve, paint, write, research and reflect upon these experiences. Their expeditions along the banks of the Murray River see them interact with the environment, enjoying all the splendour of nature with minimal impact and maximum awareness, developing an appreciation of its beauty and fragility. Activities encourage them to be active participants, to think critically, to plan thoroughly and to work together to achieve both individual and group goals.

The students face many challenges from erecting a tent, to building a raft, cooking a meal or belaying a friend on the high ropes course. The carefully designed programs extend the boys, working to develop the man within, to help him see beyond his limits to his true potential. When all is said and done we hope the boys will be rewarded with a lifetime of unforgettable experiences that promote a thirst for learning, give them an understanding and appreciation of the environment, develops their character and inspires them to achieve and contribute to the global community.

All students who have had the opportunity to experience Scotts Creek owe much of their thanks to Geoff Woollard. All of his enthusiasm, hard work, foresight and wisdom in the early years of the project allowed for the development and building of what we still see today. Much of the continued and growing success of Prince's Outdoor Education programs and the Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre can be attributed to past directors who have brought with them that something special to help build on Geoff's original vision. Simply, they have been focused on providing students with the opportunity to experience a program aimed at the environment, personal development and adventure.

As the current coordinator of the Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre I thank all of the past directors for their hard work and dedication in shaping much of what we see here today. I look forward to moving both Scotts Creek and Outdoor Education into the next 30 years. To past, present and future students I hope to continue the tradition of providing a truly unique and unforgettable experience.

Phil Noble
Co-ordinator, Scotts Creek Outdoor Centre

Going Beyond Middle Years Education: Extended Stay Program

2007 was the year of a significant innovation in Middle Years education at PAC with the introduction of an Extended Stay Program for all Year 9 students. This program was introduced as a means of extending boys beyond their comfort zone in order to develop independent, resourceful, cooperative team members, who are organised, reliable and good communicators. These qualities are highly desirable in order to approach the senior years successfully. The Extended Stay exemplifies those features that we regard as being good middle years practice: active engagement in difficult, challenging experiences that are also meaningful and important in the lives of students. Thus the Extended Stay is seen as a major culminating feature of the Middle Years Program at PAC.

The inaugural 2007 Extended Stay Program took place on the Southern Yorke Peninsula. Students in 9McKinnon spent three weeks in Term 1 living and learning in a unique experiential educational program.

The program promised to be a significant experience in the life of year 9 boys. Living away from home for three weeks provided many challenges and opportunities. Boys were challenged by the need to be self-sufficient. Deciding what to eat, when and how to cook, clean, wash and the myriad of other domestic tasks become a major focus of life for each student.

Things that were new to me were washing my own clothes and cooking my own dinner because my mum normally does it for me. Matthew Altmann

There were other personal challenges which each student faced. It was the first time many of the boys were separated from their families for an extended period. Boys learnt to cope with 20 housemates and began to understand how to live with other people's idiosyncrasies. This provided a rich environment in coming to a better understanding of what it meant to be more adult and gain a truer understanding of their own place in the world. The students learnt to be supportive of others outside of their direct friendship groups and became more aware of the importance of understanding each other's differences and similarities.

I think I really matured as a leader during the extended stay program. At times a lot of the boys were dropping their heads but I gave them encouragement and the group really lifted. Also I was surprised to see that a lot of boys looked up to me for advice and help. I think this is summed up by a comment in my affirmations which says "Top bloke, the dad of the camp who looked out for everyone." Will Katsambis.

A feature of the Extended Stay Program for Princes boys is the commitment to community service. One activity of their community involvement included participating in the Relay-For-Life event at Yorketown. Our boys, along with 15 other teams from the Yorke Peninsula, walked continuously for 19 hours to raise money for the Cancer Council of South Australia.

This was an important event for me. I lost a close friend with cancer and felt that this was my way of giving support to the Cancer Council. Matthew Altmann.

Boys were introduced to many physical challenges throughout the program. Riding a bike from Point Turton to Stenhouse Bay (via Corney Point) included 100km of challenging terrain. The three day surfing program introduced new skills for the boys to master.

Over the course of the extended stay program I found that the most difficult challenge would easily have to have been the bike ride. Riding on the bike for one hundred kilometres was extremely hard. Even though I was always at the back of the pack, I was glad that I did not have to hop on the bus once. Justin Winter.

During this three weeks academic studies were approached in a different manner. The boys soon realised that their classroom was transformed to the outdoors. Students spent their time learning in a holistic manner through such projects as collecting data on the hooded plover, a threatened bird species. Much time was spent in reflection and evaluation, with extensive report writing. The week following their stay was spent writing scientific reports, completing creative writing assignments and personal reflections.

The staff on the camp were very useful. Sometimes they had to be firm but for our greater good and they were always uplifting and inspiring to chat to. Jonathan Van Dissel.

It was affirming to hear from parents that the boy that arrived home after three weeks away had changed in some important respects.

Upon return, Justin spoke about how he appreciated home and his parents more than ever before. Although he was always independent, we just feel he has blossomed as a result of the Extended Stay.

Even though the journey was only for three weeks, we would endorse the fact that an extra week would have been even better and we understand this to be the case in the following year where boys will be asked to participate on a five-week program which I feel would be ideal in not only the experience but certainly the maturing of these boys, Max Cuzzocrea (parent).

Dale Hobbs
Co-ordinator, Extended Stay Program, Point Turton

Overseas Tours

Prince Alfred College/Pembroke French Trip

A few days following New Year's, a group of Princes students from Years 10 to 12, who are all learning French, joined five Year 12 Pembroke girls and a group of Wilderness students from Years 9 to 11 on a trip to France, where they scaled the southern coast of France, visited Northern Italy, wandered through Monaco and, finally, ended up in the heart of France, Paris itself. Throughout the three week trip, students, under the guidance of Mr Kracht and Mr Bowyer, were shown around France, indulged in the metro system, had the opportunity to take a train to Avignon and then Paris, after spending a fortnight in the Mediterranean Centre of French Language Studies in Cap d'Ail, which is right next to Monaco. While the group took French language classes in the mornings (save for Jack Perks, who joined Mr Bowyer for some tennis and art lessons), the afternoons, evenings and weekends were reserved for excursions, activities, washing and diary writing.

The French classes were a lot of fun, and the teachers were very nice. Together, we tried a variety of exercises to enhance our vocabulary, and it prepared us well for the trip to Paris later, where our language was put to the test when we were allowed to walk off in the different areas and get a bite to eat or to shop. As far as food is concerned though, in all places we were fed very well, and while still in Southern France, the chef prepared us feasts each and every night, and, when we were not eating crêpes or the wonderful variety of cheeses and bread, we would be snacking on the different kinds of French confectionery and chocolate. Spending a ludicrous amount on a bag of lollies from a Pirate-themed sweet parlour in one of the Southern France townships was not so much a highlight as it was a stomach ache not too soon after.

Among the places visited in Southern France was Cannes (home of the world's most famous film festival) where the group visited the site of the film festival as well as a local fair and the nearby markets. Other places visited included Grasse (where some of the world's most premium perfumes are made), Monaco (one of the smallest countries in the world, and also one of the most expensive to live in) and, of course, San Remo in Italy where the flea markets and the pizza welcomed the group with open, Italian arms. Even in winter, Southern France remained at a bearable level due to its relatively African or Mediterranean climate, though the same could not be said for Paris. We also visited Sacré Coeur and the Pont du Gard throughout our travels.

Visiting all the famous landmarks including the Eiffel Tower and Notre Dame, the weather seemed to get colder with each passing day (the group were lucky to have left when they did, as a blizzard moved in soon after). On the final night where a dinner at a local restaurant, that served snails among other French meals, was followed by a walk through cold that caused some students to shiver without control. However, in all the unpredictable weather patterns (that had prevented the Prince Alfred College/Pembroke group from visiting the Eiffel Tower on one day), Mr Kracht and Mr Bowyer still managed to keep it all together, and planned all visits to sites such as the Moulin Rouge appropriately. Hands were in their pockets as they headed through the pickpocket-rich subways, and likewise through the flea market in Italy.

Bear in mind though that for Mr Kracht this was pre-shave, and thus he had extra warmth and security storage for the trip. All were well-packed though, with the only tediousness being the length of the flights, which fortunately were equipped with impressive entertainment systems to occupy the students' time until the destination was reached on either trips.

Besides coming to appreciate art through the many museums (as well as the Louvre, in all its magnificence) and coming to understand Jean Cocteau as a household name, students also were able to visit the Pope's Palace in Avignon. A palace of stone, drenched in the smell of age and filled with enough history to earn itself Wonder of the World status, the students enjoyed themselves thoroughly.

The accommodation throughout the trip was more than adequate, and through being exposed to the friendly nature of the French people, students were able to perfect their French over the three weeks spent there.

Overall, it was a trip that none of us will ever forget, and already many of us are aching to return, if not to that hidden treasure in Cap d'Ail.

Joseph Moore, Year 11 Cotton

Overseas Tours

China Tour 2007

An excited group of players, coaches, staff and parents, numbering 26, departed Adelaide on 10 April for the inaugural China Hockey Tour. All of the effort involved in finalizing the itinerary, games and accommodation for China had finally come to fruition. After months of training and physically conditioning in anticipation of humidity, pollution and tough opposition, the players were keen to tackle some real opponents. The tour spent time in Hong Kong, Guangzhou, Shanghai and Beijing, before returning on 26 April.

The games schedule against a variety of quality representative opposition, both men, women and youth, proved very challenging, physically and mentally. The fitness of our opponents was quite remarkable. For instance, after what one coach deemed a poor performance against us, the Chinese players were made to endure another 20 minutes of hard running and drills before their showers. Players' uniforms suffered from the high humidity and exercise during the trip but various Chinese laundries helped the boys feel fresher, at least at the start of each game. Goalie gear is difficult to keep smelling nice at the best of times but a liberal spray of scent each day kept the worst smells at bay. Physically, there were no major issues on the trip, although David Brown suffered a nasty crack on the head in our final game in Shanghai, meaning he and Mr Parsons had a hospital visit that they would rather forget. The final tally of results saw a series of losses, mostly close ones and a draw in the final match. The highlight for staff was the significant improvement in players' skills and their confidence in playing the different styles trialled by Bob Claxton, the senior coach.

Moving around China demanded some flexibility and risk-taking by tour party members in conversing in rudimentary Chinese, as well as English. A translator, Apple Wen, accompanied the tour party in both Shanghai and Beijing. In other locations we were fortunate to have generous hosts who assisted our passage. The success of the tour was due in no small part to the expert knowledge and contacts of our Bob Claxton, whom one Chinese host referred to as a "Mr Big" of hockey.

A visit to China is not complete without visiting tourist icons and we enjoyed Hong Kong harbour, a jade factory, the Pearl Tower, the Great Wall, the Forbidden City, Tiananmen Square, the Beijing Acrobats Show, the Beijing Olympics 2008 facilities, the Ming Tombs and markets everywhere. The tour members also enjoyed some excellent shopping, led by an unnamed parent, and became very adept at searching for and negotiating bargains.

The boys became confident travelling by air, train and bus. Airports, immigration and customs checkpoints and form filling became second nature, although the occasional lapse in concentration meant inevitable delays. Highlights of the travelling included rides on the mass transit railway in Hong Kong, the bus trip from Hong Kong to Guangzhou (a 3 hour trip took 4 ½ hours), the Pearl River ferry ride, the underground and best of all the MTV which reached a maximum speed of 431 km/hr!

Whilst the boys in the main proved quite adventurous in their eating habits, many also took the opportunity to return to more familiar food styles when the opportunity arose. Nevertheless, we enjoyed excellent banquets at various restaurants throughout the trip. The most notable was The Peking Duck, where tour members danced on tables (as is expected) and Matt Claxton won a dancing style competition, following which he was blindfolded and draped with a python!

In summary, the inaugural trip was a great success. Considerable goodwill has been generated between China's hockey officials and Princes. The accelerated development in playing abilities of the tour group members was beyond expectations. Tour members benefited from an unexpected refund of $776 on their return, due to in part to the exceptional generosity of our hosts. The trip accommodation proved quite acceptable, ranging from athletic villages to hotel style in standard. The uniform sponsorship support of Simon Moore's Evright Trophies and Atlas was greatly appreciated. We hope to return to China and South-East Asia again in a couple of seasons.

Andrew Buxton, Tour Manager

2007 World Future Cycle Challenge

Solar Cycle Team 2007
Back Row L to R: Mr P M Balestrin, S M McPhee, H R Marshall, T Park, J G Eddy
Front Row L to R: M K Burford, S D Sobels, A D Young, M A Pascoe, J R Foster, H J Riebolge, L R Lovell, J P Morelli

In 1997 the first Prince Alfred College Solar Cycle Team took part in the inaugural World Solar Cycle Challenge from Adelaide to Alice Springs and back. In that race the team placed 2nd in aerodynamic class and 3rd outright. After many biannual attempts since then, the Princes team has always placed in the top three contenders. A decade later we achieved the ultimate goal. The 2007 team had a convincing win in A Class (non-aerodynamic) and secured the title of World Champions by winning the World Future Cycle Challenge.

In 2005 designs were developed and final construction of the cycle was completed in August this year. The cycle made of carbon fibre and aluminium components weighed in at 19kg, complete with lithium polymer batteries and a 150 watt motor. Jack Morelli, James Eddy, Hugh Marshall and Jock Foster were responsible for construction while the riders of Scott McPhee, Sam Sobels, Alistair Young, Harrison Riebolge, Tony Park, Lucas Lovell, Mitchell Pascoe and Max Burford trained hard for the event for over 6 months prior to the race.

Unfortunately things did not start well for the Prince Alfred College team, burning out a motor in training. Another was quickly flown in from Adelaide but suffered the same fate only 40kms into the first day of racing to Elliston. The team still finished 3rd that day only minutes behind the leader. From there the team had to make a decision until a new motor could be sourced in Port Lincoln. Settle for mediocrity or to 'dig deep' and stay in touch with our competitors? Without a doubt the latter was to occur; finishing in 2nd place into Pt Lincoln and allowing the team to find and rebuild its motor the next day.

The following stage established us as outright leaders in the race, putting more than an hour lead on all others, as we had a convincing win into Tumby Bay. We had achieved this in driving rain and extremely hilly terrain. Stage 4 began in Whyalla. A fault with a motor controller and an extremely fierce headwind slowed us to place 4th for the day, and our lead was shaved to only 34 minutes. The riders were certainly doing it hard, and after many days of arduous cycling, muscles were starting to hurt. Day 5 was a rest day and transport stage to Jamestown where the team 'ironed out' the small faults the bike had encountered.The next day we finished 3rd but still lost 22 minutes to our nearest rival. The team now led by only 12 minutes going into the final day of racing.

On the morning of the final day of racing, spirits were high. We all knew that the overcast conditions would see other teams' batteries go flat after an hour or two, while our cycle could operate far beyond that time. After two hours of racing, our rivals were on pedal power only and crawling at 10km/h. Within minutes we had caught them, and by the end of the final stage into Adelaide, we had a 40 minute lead and the title of World Champions firmly in our grasp.

Special thanks must go to Mr Phil McLaughlin, Mrs Megan McLaughlin, Mr Jarrod Cross, Mr Shane Reidy, Mr Peter Sillett and Mr Nick Joy for their assistance and support with the solar cycle program over the past two years. The generous sponsorship of Bicycle Express, Fiber Glass International, Model Flight, REM Motorbodies, Computrainer, POLAR and Fastboys Cycling Club must also be acknowledged, as without their help and commitment to the team none of what we have achieved would have been possible.

It was personally an amazing race and experience for many reasons. It would have been too easy to have settled into a mid-field position and blamed outside factors for our lack of success. Instead, every time the team faced a challenge, they responded positively and with the fighting spirit you can only appreciate first hand from Princes boys. I was, and will remain, extremely proud of the 2007 team for their exemplary efforts.

Mr Paul Balestrin, Solar Cycle Manager

Ski Trip

In the July holidays an enthusiastic and optimistic group of 40 headed to Silver Ski Lodge in Falls Creek to enjoy a magnificent week of skiing. Each day our intrepid skiers headed onto the mountain participating in lessons in the morning and enjoying free skiing in the afternoon. From simple green runs with the friendly names of Wombats Ramble, Tom Thumb and Easy Street to the terrifying black runs appropriately named Chainsaw and Death Trap the mountain offered challenges for all. It was a great week full of laughter and memorable experiences. Our sincere thanks to Mr Phil McLaughlin and Mrs Megan McLaughlin for their generosity of time and outstanding organization which ensured the week was a great success.

Chad Parrish & Steve Clohesy

The careful planning by the Prince Alfred College staff who organised the trip made it all run like clockwork, while the enthusiastic assistance of the students in moving the baggage into and out of the accommodation made short work of what otherwise would have been an arduous task. Then, to top it off, we were blessed by the best snow conditions that I have seen for many years. My thanks to all the staff and parents who helped plan and execute the trip and who also provided such pleasant companionship around the table at the evening meal.

Tony Cook, Parent

The 2007 ski trip was amazing. With near perfect weather and an abundant amount of snow, we could not have asked for a better ski season. It was truly wonderful how we all improved our skiing/snowboarding skills whilst having great fun. With excellent snow and all runs open, there could not have been a greater opportunity for us to experiment with our skills and go to the limits of our comfort zones. Nothing beats weaving through trees and flying down mountains at exhilarating speeds. Compared to last year's skiing season, this year's was all but flawless. The snow is most definitely one of the best places in the world for a holiday.

Owen Yang, 9 DFR

Science Journal 2007

L to R: Mr C D Jordison, V Cheung, S J Lehman, C Xie

Literary Journal 2007

L to R: J M Moore, H M Crawford, S J Lehman, J N Charatsis, Mr G R Brougham, H P Burton, J M Griggs, C T T Brewerton, J N R Kapitza

Arts Colours

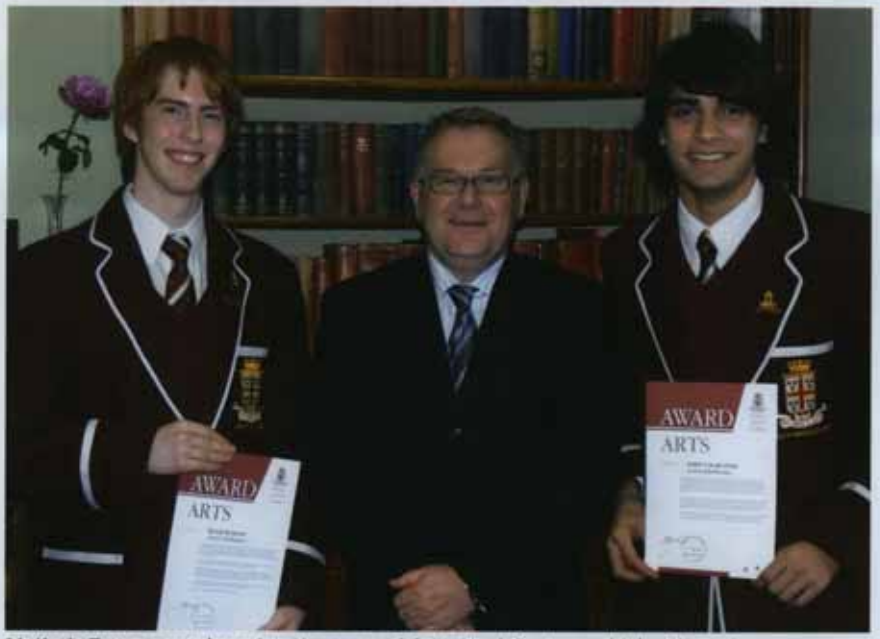
Arts Honours

Hugh Burton

Jonathon Charatsis

Julius Zielenieckl

Sam Fitzgerald



Mr Kevin Tutt congratulates Arts Honours recipients Hugh Burton and John Charatsis.

Artistic Achievement

Joel Amos

Nicholas Burton

Jock Clarnette

Tom Cocks

Brandon Kerin

Chris Nielsen

Michael Riceman

Lachlan Stranks

Max Verlato

Albert Wu

Alistair Young

Edward Young

Artistic Service

Ian Buxton

Andrew Dibden

Firas El Achkar

Jacob Kendall

Aaron Russo

Nicholas Tirrell

Alistair Young

2007 Tech Crew

L to R: L O Wood, S P Fitzgerald, C Brebner, J T Kendall, Mr A Izzo, A C Dibden, D R Piper, N Tirrell, J Morelli

Music Captain's Report

Music Captain's Report

Prince Alfred College has experienced another exciting year of Music. Building on the previous year, many bands and ensembles have further developed their abilities and talents with an enormous amount of dedicated individual work from the boys and thanks to priceless motivation and help from the irreplaceable music teachers of Prince Alfred College. And look where it got us?

The vastly growing number of bands, orchestras, ensembles choirs and the Musical have had another very successful year. The bands and orchestras have been achieving many pleasing and rewarding successes in competitions in and outside the state across many divisions. I have enjoyed watching the bands greatly improve since I started in Year 8, including seeing the boys work with musicians from other schools! The changes have been enormous with many interesting initiatives which are slowly building a presence from Princes around Adelaide. As Mr Newhouse said: "I never thought that [the bands] would come as far as they have in such a few years! It's great, and it only continues to excite me having to come up with new things that are always harder and more exciting than the last!"

The change of 'residence' in the main building to the J Edgar Langley Music Centre and a whole new music department has been a welcome change for all the boys making the learning even more enjoyable with much more comfortable conditions and high quality practice rooms.

Being the Music Captain this year, assisted by the Vice-Captain of Music — Hugh Burton, Head of Bands — Alistair Young, Head Chorister — Ian Buxton and the Preparatory Music Captain — James Keeves, has been most gratifying. Seeing the boys constantly reaping the benefits of their hard work has been extremely rewarding and thanks must go to all the music staff who work assiduously with the boys to make sure that they are always playing at their best! Much appreciation goes to Mrs Freeman who constantly tries to keep everyone happy and things running as smoothly as possible in and outside the school – especially when the boys go on tours. Good luck to the Prince Alfred College Music Department for the future as the possibilities are endless!

Julius Zielenieckí, Captain of Music

Music Council

L to R: A Wu, A Buxton, J N Charatsis, H P Burton, Mrs P E Freeman
J L Zielenieckí, S Clarkson, A D Young, A J Russo
Absent: J Keeves, L Lovell

Bands

Big Band 1

Back Row L to R: A R N Buckby, C J Nielsen, A D Young, F El Achkar, A Wu

Front Row L to R: R J Katsambis, A J Butenko, B T Kerin, E J Young, T G Teague, Mr A Newhouse (Conductor), J L Zielenieckí, H B Nadolny, M Verlato, J A Clarnette, S J Wilhelm

Absent: A Dibden

Big Band 2

Back Row L to R: J W B Keeves, D J Brown, L R Lovell, R R Weston, M A Pascoe, A P Silins, R F Bethune, D E Soang, N D Fitzgerald

Front Row L to R: T D Fitzgerald, A J Russo, M O'Brien, Mr A Newhouse (Conductor), J A Clarnette, S R Barnett, P A Deegan

Big Band 3

Back Row L to R: M R Barnett, H C Perks, S D Cox, J R Mumford, E S Salagaras, M D Riceman, M V Brown

Front Row L to R: P Russo, A W Walendy, Mr A Newhouse (Conductor), N White-Forrest, E J Young, T G Miller

Absent: L Janowski

Bands

Band Report 2007

As 2007 rolls to a close, all involved with the music department at PAC can safely say that this year has been another year of growth and success for all. Led by the always enthusiastic bandmaster Mr Andrew Newhouse, bands of all standards have this year broadened their playing abilities and reached new, professional standards. It seems that every term boys come back to band from the holidays and Mr Newhouse bombards them with goals, aspirations and new pieces for this term's band. It is this commitment and drive by both the students and teachers involved with music at PAC that enables successes such as an overall win for the Senior Concert Band section at the State Band Championships and an award worth $6,000 for Big Band 3 at the Mt Gambier ":Generations in Jazz" Festival.

For a band program such as the one currently in place at PAC to prosper, young, new enthusiastic students need to keep coming up through the ranks, ready to take over senior positions in both Big Band 1 and the Senior Concert Band. This is certainly happening at the moment, and can be seen by the impressive performances of both the Beginner and Junior Concert Bands at the 'Reds on the Beat' event in Term 3. Mr Newhouse also provides opportunities for boys in the Preparatory School to discover music, arranging senior members to perform at Prep Assemblies and introduce the various instruments on offer at the school. Leadership provided by the senior players in section rehearsals is also a huge factor in the fine standard of our up and coming players.

The Generations in Jazz festival at Mt Gambier is such a huge event for all our Big Bands. This year we entered 3 bands in the competition. Our Big Band 1, competing in division 2 for the second year, obtained a particularly impressive result, receiving fifth place. Big Band 2 performed to the best of their ability, and amidst a crowd of over 40 very competitive bands received 12th place. Big Band 3, obtained perhaps the most successful result, receiving the 'Spirit of Jazz' award, to the value of $6,000 worth of musical instruments, which were presented to the Band by the sponsor (Yamaha) at an Assembly in Term 4. Mt Gambier provides not only an opportunity to perform and be judged by some of Australia's leading musicians, but also to hear great Jazz and learn from the best.

After Mt Gambier, all the Big Bands lifted their standard and performed professionally to audiences at the Big Band Bash, State Band Championships and a second Gig at the Gov. Although all bands performed exceptionally well at the State Band Champs receiving gold and silver awards, two performances are of particular note. Big Band 1 received a gold award and overall second place, while our Senior Concert Band retained their title as State Champions in their category, a huge honour for the band.

Certainly one of the highlights for both the boys and our audiences this year was the inclusion of guest soloist Ross Irwin (from The Cat Empire) at the "Big Band Bash" held at the Governor Hindmarsh Hotel. Ross flew over from Melbourne to rehearse and play with the band during the day, offering his experience and skill in jazz, and particularly with improvisation. Many of us stood in awe, (temporarily forgetting to count the bars rest!) as we listened to Ross' solo. It was an honour to play with such a professional performer; an experience I am sure the boys will never forget.

The specially arranged "Reds on the Beat" concert was another occasion for us to mingle and play with professional musicians from the Police Band. I am sure hearing the awesome playing skills and musicality from the Police Band member sitting next to each of them encouraged many of the boys to practise more than they had been! The music chosen for the event was particularly fitting, with huge brass sections and delicate woodwind parts. Thankyou Mr Newhouse! There are many other fine performances worth mentioning, such as Big Band 1's stellar performance in Grease, but there is not enough room in one article. So I will leave you with one of my favourite quotes, which is fittingly also a Cat Empire song — "Music is the language of the soul".

Alistair Young, Captain of Bands

Intermediate Concert Band

Back Row L to R: J Elix, M O'Brien, F D Kette, T J C Lyons, B J Young, T H Johns, H R T Kitto, L D Glynn, N G Burton, J R Mumford, A P Silins, R F Bethune, D E Soang, E S Salagaras, J L T Sullivan, N D Fitzgerald, N J Broadbridge, N S Picone, A M Manov

Front Row L to R: T D Fitzgerald, T G Miller, S D Cox, J W B Keeves, H C Perks, P Russo, M R Barnett, Mr A Newhouse (Conductor), A W Walendy, J Duncanson, N White Forrest, C M Columbo, A J Russo, R J Williams

Absent: L Janowski

Bands

Senior Percussion 2007

Back Row L to R: A W Walendy, C J Nielsen, W H Young, J M Griggs, J G Agutter, J F Eske

Front Row L to R: J Duncanson, D E Soang, A Wu, J A Clarnette, Mr S Varga, M R Price, C G Wasow, O R Dell, M D Riceman

Absent: T Gleeson-Hammerton

'Camerata' Chamber Ensemble

Back Row L to R: M D Riceman, D Li

Front Row L to R: A J Russo, Mrs P Freeman, L Chu

Absent: Mrs E Berberyan

Saxophone Quartet

L to R: J L Zieleniecki, H B Nadolny, Mr D Brookes (Tutor), S J Wilhelm, J A Clarnette

Chamber Orchestra

Back Row L to R: M D Riceman, A H Jin, L Chu, J K K Leung

Front Row L to R: T H Johns, S A R Lynch, A J Russo, Mrs P Freeman, T Lee, C Lam, L D G Stranks

Absent: T Z Lee, Mrs E Berberyan (Conductor)

Senior Concert Band

Back Row L to R: T H Johns, M V Brown, M D Riceman, Y Tan, M R Price, C J Nielson, T G Teague, M A Pascoe, R R Weston, N C Burton, L D G Stranks, L P Glynn, A Wu

Front Row L to R: A R B Buckby, S J Wilhelm, M Verlato, H P Burton, L R Lovell, B T Kerin, Mr A Newhouse (Conductor), A J Butenko, J L Zieleniecki, H B Nadolny, J A Clarnette, D J Brown, A D Young

Absent: A Dibden

Choir

Chapel Choir

This year the Chapel Choir has once again strived to be a highlight of the Music Faculty of Prince Alfred College. Led by choirmaster Robert Dawe the choir has participated in a wide range of school events, accompanying many of the Services (PAOCA and Remembrance Day), Speech Night and other presentations. The Choir this year has a number of very young singers and these boys from the Preparatory School have shown that good things come in small packages with many of them showing their strong voices. The Choir started the year on a high with a spectacular performance at the annual Easter Service. We performed excerpts from St Matthew Passion (J S Bach) plus 'the Hallelujah Chorus' from Handel's Messiah, with many of the older members of the choir playing leading roles and with our own Mr Hopkins playing the role of Jesus. The Choir also participated in Church Services at Kent Town, Hawthorn and Campbelltown Uniting Churches and at our own Chapel Choir Service in August when Jacob Kendall, James Keeves, Thomas Heddle, Thomas Waddington and Alexander White were presented with 5 Year Service Medals and Alfred Carlson was presented the 10 Year Medal.

Our most recent performance was at the Year 12 Valedictory Assembly. The Choir led the whole school in singing the school songs and farewelling our Year 12s. In November the Chapel Choir performed "Gloria" by Vivaldi accompanied by the Chamber Orchestra and Organ at Kent Town Uniting Church. This is a very demanding work and normally beyond the reach of a school choir. The Choir is now rehearsing for the Carol Service, another annual tradition. At the Headmaster's request, we will perform "For unto us a child is born", which will use the talents of every boy in the Choir. It looks to be an extraordinary end to a great year for the Chapel Choir.

Special thanks to our accompanist Wayne Hancock and our organist Mark Symons.

Ian Buxton, Head Chorister

Chamber Choir

Back Row L to R: D Linn, R. Vereker, T Lyons, R Riedig, C Evans, A Jin, Mr R Dawe (Choirmaster)

Chapel Choir

Back Row L to R: N Wilton, A Jin, C Coventry, A Carlson, A J White, A D Young, T Cocks, J Kapitza, A Coventry

Middle Row L to R: J Keeves, C Seagle, R Riedig, G Mau, Y Lee, T Waddington, C Evans, I Buxton, L Glynn, T Short, Mr R Dawe (Choirmaster)

Front Row L to R: C Young, H Milic, R Venerer, P Russo, T Lyons, J Terp, B Young, C Tormay, N Tsakalos, C Ross, K Moorthy, T Tabakov, J Nalder, D Linn

Absent: T Heddle, A Dibden, J Kendall, N Terp

The Performing Arts

The Les Darcy Show

16–18 May 2007 Prince Phillip Theatre

A battler, a slacker, a hero, a legend: Les Darcy was called just about everything in his time. The highs and lows of Darcy's brief but extraordinary life both in and out of the boxing ring were explored on stage in this year's middle years drama production. Under the direction of our fabulously talented "drama queen" Ms Karen Inwood, the cast successfully resurrected the war-time world of Les Darcy on stage. Their interpretation of Jack Hibberd's script was both lively and moving.

Tom Cocks shone in the lead role of Les. His empathetic rendering of the part communicated the extremes of pain and elation which punctuated the pugilist's short life. Other standout performances included a booming Jordan Agutter as the drunken father, an engaging Joel Amos as the dedicated coach, a wise Scott McPhee as the protective uncle and a beaming Duncan Polson as the smarmy promoter.

Other members of the well rehearsed and spirited cast included Max Burford, Connor Pye, Brandon Kerin, Matthew Barnett, Nicholas Burton, Reid Amos, Todd Purdy and Marc Eskander.

There were also very special guest appearances by Lily Durkin and Isabella Cheesman, both young daughters of Princes staff members.

The performers successfully incorporated an impressive range of accents to bring the various characters to life, ranging from melodious Irish to stiff British to broad Australian to slick American!

Irish music was performed by Alistair Young and Aaron Jin.

Technical work was provided by the ever-willing Jacob Kendall.

Played with passion and panache, *The Les Darcy Show* was an engaging retelling of a stirring Australian story. Congratulations to all involved in creating a wonderful night at the theatre.

David Freesmith

Of Mice and Men

The Year 12 Drama Studies class under the direction of Mr Michael Steer presented a production of John Steinbeck's *Of Mice And Men* in Term 2 of this year. *Of Mice And Men* is one of the most celebrated works of American literature, a compelling human drama about friendship and loyalty during one of America's most challenging times. Set against the backdrop of the Great Depression, John Steinbeck's masterpiece tells the story of two migrant workers who find employment on a California ranch and finally seem to be within reach of having a home to call their own. But "the best laid schemes o' mice and men" begin to unravel, forcing ordinary people to make profound choices.

The "best laid plans of Mice and Men "Gang aft agley." (Often go astray) is the central them of Steinbeck's original novelette and subsequent play. The notion that our lives and plans are fragile and subject to the whims of fate is explored through the characters living and working on a ranch in California during the Depression.

The central themes of the novelette, loneliness, dreams and human cruelty pervade each scene of the play and confirm the world view of the simpleton Lennie that "This aint no nice place."

Our staging concept for the production attempted to create an impression of the stark conditions and harsh lifestyle of these itinerant American workers. The crude furniture, cold blue lighting and irregular impressionistic walls were intended to deny the room warmth and to convey the brutality of the men's existence. We also believed that the

tranquillity of the "pool" that features in the opening scene of the play was integral to our staging concept and that it provided a reference point for the dramatic cycle of the production.

The actors involved in the performance worked intensively on creating believable and sensitive characters. Jon Charatsis was compelling as the gargantuan but simple-minded Lennie and both Adam Raslan and Jon Courtidis gave impressive performances as the quick witted George. George Jeffrey developed a well observed characterisation as the aged Candy, Edward Wendt was intense as the violent and unpredictable Curly and Andrew Franklin shone in his role as Carlson the bombastic stable hand.

The production was well received by the audience and also by the SSABSA moderators. Jon Charatsis and Adam Raslan presented a scene from the production at a Senior School Assembly. Thanks must go to the Housekeeping and Maintenance staff, their positive attitude and support was very much appreciated. Thanks must also go to Mr Nicholls for allowing us to use his dog in our performance.

Prince Alfred College on the Fringe

Year 10 students from Prince Alfred College appeared at the Excelsior Hall in Sudholz Place as part of the 2007 Adelaide Fringe Festival. Jordan Agutter, Max Burford, Alex Walendy, Joel Amos and Alex Fuller-Zhu competed against other schools in the Theatre Sports competition hosted and promoted by Impro Now.

The boys were selected to appear in two finals at the Night Train venue and performed with great distinction in front of a genuine Fringe Festival audience.

Mr Jeff Simmons from Impro Now has been associated with the College for the last 2 years and has provided workshops for classes and coaching for the boys involved in competition. Our students performed with creativity, flair and an increasing level of confidence and skill, advancing to the semi-finals. We look forward to continuing our association with Impro Now and with Mr Simmons through the Theatre Sports State Championships later this year.

The Fringe performances were an outcome of the workshops that the boys have participated in over the last two years in which they developed skills in performance, improvisation and lateral thinking.

Grease is the Word!

After much anticipation, the Princes Music Theatre Company presented this classic show to appreciative audiences over three nights. The story about Sandy (played with great charm by Ella Moeck of Wilderness), new to Rydell High and who falls in love with the super cool Danny (Douglas Vandepeer) is a great favourite with people of all ages.

The stage version contains some songs that were not in the movie version, but the cast quickly embraced numbers like "Freddy My Love", "Magic Changes" and "Mooning" along with the more familiar "Summer Nights" and the ever popular "Greased Lightning", which featured the boys led with energy by Kennicke (Lachlan Campbell) and the other T-Birds, Doody (Sam Clarkson), Sonny (AJ White) and Roger (Josh Kapitza).

Madison Deckert of Saint Peter's Girls was outstanding as Rizzo and was well supported by Imogen Nicholas (also from Saints) as Frenchy and Sarah Laing and Hollie Wickstein (both Annesley students) as Pink Ladies Marty and Jan respectively.

Sophia Bubner of Walford was terrific as Patty, the cheerleader who gets to be friends with the cool group, after suffering a black eye at the hands of Sandy.

A highlight was "Beauty School Dropout" with Teen Angel (Cameron Coventry) and the dazzling Beauticians, while Ian Buxton (Johnny Casino), Hugh Burton (Vince Fontaine) and Ellie McPhee of Seymour (as crazy lady Miss Lynch) kept the big numbers rockin'. Jessamy Cane of Seymour was a knockout as Cha-Cha and Jonathon Charatsis (Captain of Princes MTC) was a regular scene-stealer as the very funny Eugene.

The Princes Big Band, led by Andrew Newhouse, was superb and could have been the focus of most of the audience's attention, were it not for the wonderful choreography of Mandy Varga. All in all, the balance between the big band sound and the on-stage action was just right. Stage Manager Sam Fitzgerald and his excellent crew made sure that the set changes, sound system and lighting cues were spot on each night. Wendy Budin's props were a real feature along with the cars, (generously donated by Bob Anderson Automotive).

Pam Freeman (Administrator) and I are very thankful to the tireless efforts of all students, staff (especially Rob Colaiacovo), parents (especially Virginia Bubner) and friends of Prince Alfred College who gave so much to this production. Mr Kevin Tutt, the Prince Alfred College Administration and Ground Staff and the Heads of all the girls' schools were, as always, a great support.

Peter Hopkins, Director, Princes Music Theatre Company

Debating

Open B Debating

Coach: Mrs Filomena Longo

Team: H Crawford (Captain), C Coventry, L Campbell

The 1st Debating team this year has struggled valiantly through thick and thin. There have only been three senior debaters this year, making the participating three all the more standout. Unfortunately we went through the season winless despite having demonstrated tremendous grit, determination and class throughout the year. Lachlan Campbell has shown great enthusiasm, sometimes tricking even himself into believing false arguments. Cameron Coventry's mesmerising voice has been a great asset to him and the team. We have all fought at every turn, and Cameron and I look forward to continuing our debating careers next year.

Harrison Crawford, Captain

Year 10 PAC 1

Coach: Ms Tabitha Clune

Team: Z Jackman, T Cordingley, J Amos

Prince Alfred College has seen some fantastic Year 10 debating this year. Very interesting topics such as 'Is Howard taking care of Australia?' and 'Are families falling apart?' have ensured that we all worked hard researching and planning our speeches, and this paid off with high scores and victories on both of these topics. The teams were different this year and Team 1 consisted of Travis Cordingley, a solid second speaker debater who supports every word with hard researched facts; Zack Jackman, a great first speaker whose general knowledge and well formulated arguments start us out well, and Joel Amos as third speaker. Together we managed to create very enjoyable arguments and we would all recommend debating to whoever is interested.

Year 10 PAC 2

Coach: Ms Tabitha Clune

Team: T Cocks, J Squires, S Barnett

Despite not enjoying an especially successful season in relation to debates won and lost, the team battled through, having to contend with numerous other commitments. However, the standard of the debates by the individual members definitely improved, as did the team as a whole. The team's confidence was also greatly improved. Regrettably, we were not able to win as many debates as we would have liked, but the whole team gained a great deal of valuable experience for the future.

Intercollegiate Debating

L to R: Mrs F Longo (Manager), H P Burton, L L Campbell, H M Crawford, C J Coventry

Year 9 PAC 1

Coach: Mr David Freesmith

Team: O Yang (Captain), N Burton, J Gugliotta, Y Tan, B Young

This team improved significantly over the course of this year. Arguing some difficult topics against experienced opponents, the team gave their best effort and achieved several victories. Nick Burton was awarded best speaker twice, showing great potential as a debater in his first season. Josh Gugliotta's loud voice demands credibility every time he speaks. As an experienced debater, his exceptional skills make him a valuable member of the team. Yiran Tan is the youngest debater in the team but has shown considerable talent. He always puts great effort into preparing his speeches and presents a challenging argument for his opposition. Being third speaker has helped me develop important skills in debating. This season has been very enjoyable, especially working with such dedicated team members. Next season promises to be an outstanding and even more rewarding one.

Owen Yang, Captain

Year 9 PAC 2

Coach: Mr David Freesmith

Team: D Soang (Captain), M Riceman, I Cooper, R Amos

The Year 9 debating Team 2 did not win all our debates this season but our skill as debaters and our bond with our teammates improved. Michael's skill in rebuttal throughout the season has skyrocketed, as has Iain's ability to expand on his substantive arguments. Reid was helpful and an excellent speaker. Hopefully the team will take out the trophy next year, but everyone has put in a great effort all season. A special thanks to our coach Mr David Freesmith for his help and support throughout the season.

Duncan Soang, Captain

Year 8

Coach: Mrs Melody Marshall

Team: T Johns (Captain), S Eddy, N White Forrest, A Coventry, A Harris

The Year 8 Debating team has had many wins this year, with all members looking forward to improving their skills throughout this year and years to come.

The topics have been diverse and challenging — our first debate was on the topic that 'Thirteen is too young to own a mobile phone'. Of course we did not agree with the topic even though we were for the affirmative, but were able to use many examples of the irresponsibility of our friends with their mobile phones to win by a margin of 7 points.

Our second debate was on the negative side of the topic that 'we should further subsidise childcare'. We also won that debate and concluded our argument with a light-hearted look at some of the Chaser's War on Everything's suggestions about cheap childcare options (eg putting children in lost property, on the ferris wheel or on the bus for the day).

Our latest debate was on the topic that 'tradition is holding us back'. We debated in a very close match against St Peter's in which we won, by 1 point.

Many thanks must go to Ms Emma Marshall and Mrs Melody Marshall, for their support and help.

Thomas Johns, Captain

Chess and Mooting

Chess

Prince Alfred College Chess Team has had a successful season that began with a strong position on the leader board. Throughout the season, consistent improvements in everyone's game was evident. Sadly, despite our best efforts, we did not win the season. The most outstanding performance was witnessed during the Intercollegiate Competition with Saint Peter's. The Red Team Division 1 was a young team that accomplished the unimaginable. The most memorable moment for any of the chess players was Philipp Allgeuer's game which was played until the very last two seconds available. Against all odds, Philipp managed to obtain a draw from a disadvantageous position and, playing under pressure, was able to outsmart his opponent which is a key component in playing chess. Division 1 finished with a total of 10/21 wins, whilst Division 2 finished with 13/24 wins. Prince Alfred College has not won the Intercollegiate Competition since the year 2000. This year we managed a draw with Saints, whose strongest team members were their Year 12s. With our strength lying in our young players, this draw represents a turning point and a prosperous future is predicted.

The results that Prince Alfred College attained would not have been possible without the help of Chess Coordinator Mrs Marie Milicevic, Coaches George Howard and Andrew Saint together with Mr Thorne.

Ben Chambers, Captain of Chess

Intercollegiate Chess 2007

Back Row L to R: C Xie,D J Kerrigan, Z M Peng, D J Brown

Front Row L to R: A Lau, J M Griggs (Vice-Captain), B A Chambers (Captain), P M Allgeuer, O Yang

Chess Club

Back Row L to R: P Z Peng, J M Griggs, Mrs M Milicevic, B A Chambers, P M Allgeuer.

Front Row L to R: R J B Gale, D E Soang, N S Picone, A Milton, D J Brown, O Yang, S Xie

Mooting

Although this year's Mooting team had no previous legal experience we were able to successfully argue a legal case in the Magistrates Court against a team from Walford, and won the South Australian section of the Bond University Mooting Competition. As a result we were fortunate to have Bond fly us to Queensland to compete in the Australian finals, which makes this two in a row for Princes. We argued a good case against Moreton Bay Ladies College but were unlucky not to make it through to the grand final. We had a good time nonetheless. Special thanks must go to Helena Jasinski and Mark Hosking who coached us for nearly two terms, to Mr Andrew Williams, Richard Arnold and Ed Brockhoff for helping along the way, and to Mr Tutt for organising the team. The experience was challenging, but very rewarding.

Hugh Burton

Mooting 2007

L to R: Ms H A Jasinski, L L Campbell, W A Gray, H P Burton

Honours Colours

"No one ever attains very eminent success by simply doing what is required of him; it is the amount and excellence of what is over and above the required that determines the greatness of ultimate distinction"

Charles Kendall Adams

Athletics

Steven Pallotta

Success in the sporting arena is no different. The best aspects of sport have much to commend them as worthwhile influences in our society. Sport can play a role in promoting physical fitness and a healthy lifestyle, in learning how to face challenges and strive against the odds, in developing qualities such as self discipline, perseverance, selflessness, and in being a means of substantially building self esteem.

Good sportsmanship is an integral part of all that is best about sport. It includes a generous spirit, true respect for others and the game, graciousness, and a steadfast resistance to temptations such as attempting to gain an unfair advantage. Good sportsmanship encapsulates much that is honourable in human behaviour and endeavour and abounds with good fellowship. To strive for fierce determination, to compete with great heart and fortitude and to retain the highest standards of sportsmanship are high and most worthy goals.

2007 has been a productive and successful year in the sporting life of Prince Alfred College. The implementation of a number of

Cricket

Tom Brinsley

Football

James Byers

Football

Nathan Daniel

Hockey

Matthew Claxton

Rowing

Alastair Murray

Rowing/ Soccer

James Admiraal

Rugby

Alex McLeod

Soccer

Lewis Graham

Soccer

Simon Sharley

Swimming

Cameron Wong

Swimming

Callum Brewerton

Squash

William Gray

Colours

new initiatives as a result of a review of sport, which included the introduction of Development Coaches in a variety of sports as a means of nurturing the development of sporting skills at the crucial Junior and Middle school level, has paid dividends.

Intercollegiate success — the benchmark competition against our traditional rivals, St Peter's College produced memorable victories for Swimming, Badminton, Tennis, Soccer, Hockey and Football with many other memorable performances for our other sports. This included twelve of a possible fifteen teams reaching the Finals of the Squash S.A. competition and both Hockey and Soccer reaching the final stages of the S.A. Schoolboys State Championships. The resurrection of Rugby has also added to quite a diversified sporting program.

I would like to thank the numerous staff, students, coaches, referees, and parents who have contributed so much to sport at Prince Alfred College in 2007. I look forward to the challenges that await us in 2008.

Mark Dell'Oro, Director of Sport

Summer Intercol Results	
Cricket	PAC 115 and 122 defeated by SPSC 106 and 7/132
Swimming	PAC 1st place (3rd successive year)
Rowing	Head of the River 3rd place
Badminton	PAC 6 defeated SPSC 3
Tennis	PAC 10 defeated SPSC 5
Winter Intercol Results	
1st XVIII Football	PAC 15.20 defeated SPSC 7.10
1st XI Hockey	PAC 5 defeated SPSC 3
1st XI Soccer	PAC 1 defeated SPSC 0
Open A Basketball	PAC 35 defeated by SPSC 45
Rugby	PAC 0 defeated by SPSC 22

Merit Colours

Athletics
Thomas Teague
Ben Orken

Badminton
Heng Tseng Wen
Lewis Graham
Daniel Tsang
Winston Luu
Vincent Cheung

Basketball
Jack Harford
Billy Wilson

Chess
Philipp Allgeuer
James Griggs
Anthony Milton

Cricket
Elliot Opie
Seb Moroney

Football
Tom Barnes
Max Clarke
Benjamin Cody
Angus Rowntree
Luke Tapscott
Jack Trengove
Aaron Watson
James Van Hoof
Jack Zacker

Hockey
Nick Brazzale
Christopher Brebner
Samuel Fitzgerald
Simon Frisby
Alastair Michell
Sam Sobels
Daniel Simounds
Hamish Tregeagle

Lacrosse
Oliver Broadbridge
Kieran Sandow

Rowing
William Turner
Alfred Carlson
James Venning
Jason Schell
Marcus Butler
Liam Ball
Lewis Roberts

Rugby
Alfred Carlson
Edward Lucas
Adam Raslan
Thomas Sullivan

Soccer
Joseph Cuzzocrea
Andrew Dickson
Monte Soares
Oliver Morgan
Andrew Palios
George Vlassis

Swimming
Blaire Brewerton
Alex Gabrovsek

Table Tennis
Vincent Cheung
Jonathan Foo
Samuel Lehman
Meherzad Shroff
Daniel Tsang

Service
Badminton
Brian Chui
Basketball
James Murdoch
Football
Joseph Du Rieu
Hockey
Nicholas Robinson
Rowing
Christopher Harry
Tennis
Joseph Cuzzocrea

Athletics

Knockout Cup

After a second placing in the heat the PAC Junior Team competed in the State final of the Athletics Knockout Cup at Santos Stadium.

The team consisting of Stephen Pallotta, Andrew Lukowicz, Tom Teague, Lucas Lovell, Matt Sallis, Hamish Bubner, Brandon Kerin and Harrison Riebolge finished equal second on the night. A number of athletes demonstrated great versatility by competing in non favoured events as the rules of the competition demand.

Stephen Pallotta gained most points for the team with a win in the 400m in a time of 52.8 seconds and a second in the 100m in 11.9 seconds. Lucas Lovell completed a very good 400m in a time of 57.2 seconds to finish second in his heat while the golden arm of Tom Teague hurled the javelin a distance of 46.49 metres to win easily.

School House Athletics Day

The school house athletics day was run on the front oval in perfect weather conditions. The level of performance was high and a number of records, some of them long standing, were broken.

Steven Pallotta was a star in this regard in the U15 age group. He bettered the 100m mark with 11.54 seconds, the 200m with 24.05 seconds (the old record of 24.40 seconds, held by I Burge, was set in 1986!) and the 400m in 53.95 seconds (a 4.5 second improvement on Matthew Jackman's old time of 58.50 seconds). Tom Teague threw the U15 Javelin 49.0 m to improve the previous best of Ed Lucas by over 5 metres while two U13 boys made an impression. Nicholas Admiraal in the 90m Hurdles equalled the old record with 16.92 seconds and Matt Blake set a new mark in the high jump with 1.50 metres in an extremely tight contest with Lachlan Campbell.

Individual age group winners were:

Steven Pallotta won the Champion of Champions 100m race which was a great effort considering that he is a Year 10 student.

U13	Jack Tidswell	U16	Jack Stephens
	Alexander Buckby		Ben Pearce
	Mathew Henry		Andrew Dickson
U14	Ben Young	U17	Matthew Claxton
	Jock Clarnette		Jason Schell
	Tom Gardner		Chris Brebner
U15	Steven Pallotta	OPEN	James Byers
	Tom Teague		Sam Pearce
	Brandon Kerin		James Admiraal

Watsford won the all important relay shield and were followed by Waterhouse.

Final House points for the day in an exceptionally tight contest were:

Watsford	4304 points
Waterhouse	4275 points
Taylor	3999 points
Cotton	3643 points

After finishing fourth last year Watsford was winner of the House Cup by a very close margin from last year's winner Waterhouse.

Mrs Dianne Watson, mother of the Captain of Athletics Aaron Watson, congratulated all boys on their involvement on the day and competitive spirit displayed and with the help of Mr Tutt presented the Cups and awards to each recipient.

Achilles Cup

At the annual Achilles Cup Athletics meeting Steven Pallotta was our most prolific points scorer with three wins from three starts in the U15 100m (11.48 secs), 200m (23.70 secs) and 400m (52.57 secs). With Brandon Kerin, Tom Teague and Tom Wicks, Steven also anchored the U15 4 by 100m relay team win.

Other good performances came from:

Henry Olsson first in U14 Div 1 200m and second in Div 1 100m

Jesse Fyfe first in U14 Div 2 discus and second in Div 2 shot put

Tom Teague first in U15 Div 1 discus

Ben Orken first in U15 Div 1 high jump, second in Div 1 long jump as well as the triple jump (by just 1 cm)

Scott Mcphee first in U15 Div 2 800m and second in the Div 2 1500m

Lucas Lovell first in U15 Div 2 400m

Andrew Lukowicz first in U15 Div 2 hurdles

Craig Pitt first in U16 Div 2 1500m

Andrew Dickson, Luke Tapscott, Jack Kelly and James Murdoch demonstrated sound baton changing teamwork and convincingly won the U16 4 by 100m relay.

The U15 were our best performed age group as they won this section of the competition by approximately 50 points.

Final points for Group A schools were:

SPSC	1250
Immanuel	1114
PAC	1049
Trinity	997
Pembroke	993

Achilles Cup Squad 2007

Back Row: L to R: L S Brandwood, B T Kerin, T J Wicks, N J Dorsch, S C Pearce, T C Cordingley, N J Whetstone, J T Hall, P J Orken, M R Sallis, J A Fyfe

Third Row: L to R: J L E Pearce, S A R Elliss, N P Cooper, H A Olsson, J F Eske, A D Young, A B R Lukowicz, B D Stowe, L S Campbell, E S Salagaras, B M O Pearce, H F Bubner

Second Row: L to R: R H Coulls (Assisting Coach/Manager), N B Admiraal, N W Forrest, S D McFarlane, J A Clarnette, L R Lovell, C N Pye, T W P Gardner, C M Wong, N C Siebel, A R B Buckby, B J Young, J W Penfold, J B Tidswell

Front Row: L to R: J J Orken, C C Brebner, B C Cody, C D Pitt, D R Clayfield, A C Watson (Captain), Mr P J Bubner (Head Coach), L J Murdoch, (Vice Captain), D P Vandepeer, S Pallotta, J J Kelly, L D Tapscott, J K Trengove

Summer Sports

Badminton

Intercollegiate Badminton

Back Row L to R: M Du, D Tsang, V Cheung, B Chui

Front Row L to R: T W Heng, W Luu, Mr J Kracht, L Graham, A Ho

Prince Alfred College has had a rich tradition in Badminton for many years and this strong tradition continued in 2007 even with the loss of many senior players due to graduation. This year we were able to boast two Open A teams along with one Open B team. However this has meant that our best players have often been divided evenly into these two teams and although not being as successful in terms of victories it has given our top players bigger challenges.

The centerpiece of the season was to be the Intercollegiate Badminton match played between Princes and its traditional rivals, St Peter's College. We headed into this Intercol as slight underdogs and along with having a relatively young and experienced team it made for an interesting night.

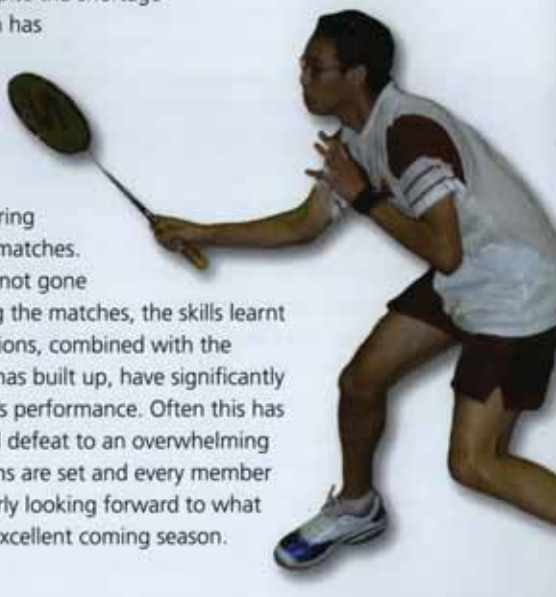
The night began very well for Princes as we jumped to a 3–0 lead after the doubles matches. After this unexpected clean sweep the team's confidence grew as we headed into the crucial singles games. Tseng Heng Wen finished first, comprehensively defeating his Saints opponent. This showed his maturity which had grown dramatically over the season. While Andrew Ho and Vincent Cheung both fought very hard they were outclassed by their Saint's counterparts on the night. The all important first three singles were then played and saw Winston Luu account for his opponent in quick time to seal the Intercol victory for a record 5th successive year. Daniel Tsang played a fighting game but unfortunately was not able to overcome his Saint's opponent in a close two-set match. This left Lewis Graham to play the concluding match of the night. It exemplified his fighting spirit in claiming a tough 3 set victory (22–20, 23–25, 21–18) and capped off a 6 to 3 rubber victory, a great win.

Special thanks must go to all the players in the squad but especially to our coaches Mr Tsang, Mr Surman and our manager Mr Kracht for their support and dedication throughout the season. I would encourage all boys to put their name forward for the next season as it is a truly unforgettable night.

Winston Luu, Captain of Badminton

Year 8/9 Badminton

The end of an excellent Badminton season prepares the Year 8/9 Badminton team for a new one. With the Year 8s rapidly building up their technique and the Year 9s constantly improving their skills, this season has been very enjoyable and successful. Despite the shortage of players, the team has managed to achieve some remarkable victories. Every player has put in maximum effort during both trainings and matches. This hard work has not gone unrewarded. During the matches, the skills learnt during training sessions, combined with the fitness each player has built up, have significantly benefited the team's performance. Often this has changed a marginal defeat to an overwhelming win. The foundations are set and every member of the team is eagerly looking forward to what promises to be an excellent coming season.



Owen Yang

Summer Sports

Cricket

1st XI Intercollegiate Cricket

Back Row L to R:
H L Lecamwasam, J W Stephens, D R Clayfield, T A Barnes, M T Clarke

Front Row L to R:
D C M Shaw, T A D Blanch, B T L May (Vice-Captain) Mr P Williams, T E F Brinsley (Captain), E K Opie, S P Moroney

Absent: Z L Tschirn

1st XI Cricket

Coach: Mr Peter Williams

Team: T Brinsley (C), B May (VC), T Barnes, T Blanch, M Clarke, D Clayfield, S Gunning, H Lecamwasam, E Monfries, S Moroney, E Opie, S Pittman, C Shaw, J Stephens, J Trengove, Z Tschirn

The 1st XI played two cricket matches during the Christmas holidays. The first of these was against our close English rival, Felsted School. We were outplayed by the tourists but Elliot Opie had a fine all round game and Zac Tschirn, Tom Barnes and Seb Moroney made useful contributions with the bat. In the new year we hosted Auckland Grammar School from New Zealand and in a disappointing team performance only the newcomer, Sam Gunning, made a real impression.

The Prince Alfred College 1st XI had a successful Term 1 playing a number of one day games leading up to the Intercollegiate match against St Peter's College. Highlights in a strong win over Pulteney came from Ben May with a four wicket haul and batsmen Tom Brinsley (79) and Tom Barnes (33 no). A batting shoot out occurred when we played Westminster but despite fine hands from Zac Tschirn (55) and Seb Moroney (49) we were not able to overhaul Westminster's total, despite some lusty hitting by Elliot Opie at the end. We then played a strong St Michael's team who had not lost a match for some time. Tom Blanch relished his opportunity and bowled magnificently to record the fantastic figures of 4 wickets for 7 runs from 9 overs of quality off breaks. Chasing a modest total of 92 we found ourselves in serious trouble but Seb Moroney (60) and young gun, Jack Trengove (15), saw us home. A superb maiden 103 by Seb Moroney was the highlight of the match against Sacred Heart College. Seb was well supported by Tom Brinsley (83 no) who batted unselfishly and maturely. We managed to hold out the strong Hearts batting line up for another great win with Elliot Opie again bowling well (3/42). Needing to win against Immanuel we batted first and fine batting from newcomer Drew Clayfield (69), ultra consistent Seb Moroney (64) with good support at the end from Charles Shaw (46 no) and Tom Barnes (25 no) saw us reach the imposing score of 4/232. This proved to be too much for Immanuel and Ben May (3/34) and Max Clarke (2/16) were the pick of our bowlers. As a result of our good performances we earned the right to play Rostrevor College in the final of the Independent Schools' one day competition. After a poor start Drew Clayfield (38), Tom Brinsley (48) and Charles Shaw (35) steadied the ship and we posted a competitive score of 180 from our 45 overs. Despite having Rostrevor on the ropes, largely through early wickets to Max Clarke (2/36), we were not able to deliver the final blow and a disappointing loss was the prelude to our annual four day match. Nevertheless we had a very successful second half of our cricket season.

Awards were presented to:

Tom Brinsley — Norman Dowie Batting Award & Old Scholars' Most Valuable Player Award

Elliot Opie — RE Cresdee Bowling Award

Ben May — Fielding Award

Mr Peter Williams, Coach

Intercollegiate Cricket — 2007

The 131st Intercollegiate Cricket match commenced on Friday 30th March under cloudy skies at the picturesque St Peter's College Main Oval. Tom Brinsley, the Princes' Captain, won the toss and despite the overcast conditions he had no hesitation in electing to bat on a typically impressive Saints pitch.

Zac Tschirn and Ben May opened the innings but very soon both were back in the pavilion soon to be followed by Drew Clayfield, who had been in impressive form in the lead up to the match. At three wickets for eleven runs it was certainly not the start that the Reds had hoped for. Both Saints' opening bowlers, Doug Newton and Stephen Ball, used the conditions very well and extracted good movement both in the air and off the pitch. Charles Shaw and Tom Brinsley came together and temporarily stemmed the flow of wickets but

soon Shaw was out caught behind and the situation was precarious once again. Wicketkeeper, Seb Moroney joined his Captain and together they put on 37 much needed runs. Despite this wickets fell at far too regular intervals and we were dismissed for a total of 115 runs, a score unlikely to trouble our counterparts. Tom Brinsley compiled a marvellous half century, full of concentration and class despite the carnage around him. Saints started their innings about half an hour before afternoon tea and immediately lost their first wicket. They too found it difficult to come to grips with the pace and movement generated by our seamers, Tom Brinsley, Max Clarke, Elliot Opie and Hiran Lecamwasam and by stumps the Blues had lost 5 wickets for 87 runs. In the last hour of play our spinners Ben May and Tom Blanch bowled beautifully to stagnate the Saints momentum and this was critical leading into Day 2.

The early part of the second day belonged to Elliot Opie, who bowled magnificently, to take 4 wickets for 30 runs. St Peter's lost their last 5 wickets for 20 runs and were dismissed for 106 runs, giving Princes an unlikely lead of 9 runs. Seb Moroney kept wickets very impressively to complete four catches and a stumping. With conditions now much more conducive to batting we found ourselves in a situation for which we had hoped, a realistic opportunity to take a strong lead over our opponents to force them to need a big score in their second innings. The early loss of Ben May did not help our cause, however, and we limped to lunch at 1 wicket for 15 runs. Tschirn and Clayfield took the score to 34 before Tschirn lost his wicket. Clayfield was joined by Brinsley and soon some momentum was gained before Drew was adjudged LBW, after compiling 22 runs. Charles Shaw came to the crease and our innings was stabilised with he and Brinsley establishing a good partnership. At 3 wickets for 76 runs and with an overall lead of 85 things really did look very promising but, as had been the trend for most of the game, the bowlers came back strongly. Despite heroic batting from Elliot Opie and Tom Blanch we were dismissed for a very disappointing tally of 122 runs, giving St Peter's a target of 132 runs to secure victory. At the end of Day 2 Saints had wiped off 42 runs from the deficit in impressive fashion.

Despite the enormity of the task ahead the Princes team was determined to give a good account of itself on what would be the final day of the Intercol. Outstanding bowling from Brinsley, Lecamwasam, May and once again Opie put the St Peter's batsmen under great pressure and at lunch they had crawled to 4 wickets for 93, still needing 39 runs to claim the win. After lunch Opie snatched another 2 wickets and at 6 wickets for 105 runs there was a glimmer of hope that Princes could pull off a remarkable win. This was not to be the case, however, as James Hilditch maturely guided his team to a well deserved and hard fought victory.

Scores: PAC 115 and 122 defeated by SPSC 106 and 7/132

2nd XI Cricket

Coach: Mr Malcolm Dawe

Team: J Zacker (C), J Stephens, M Pakula, E Monfries, S Pittman, N Robinson, S Potts, W Farminer, C Grace, S Clarkson, J Spencer

The 2nd XI had a good season and was lucky enough to have many players perform consistently to a high standard. We came across some very tough competition in other schools and won but unfortunately we were defeated in the Intercol. Through the year we had some very good batting performances from: Tom Blanch, Jack Stephens, Jacob Leak, Elliot Monfries and Jack Zacker. We also had some great support from the bowlers with Colby Grace, Simon Potts, Sam Clarkson and Maks Pakula. The highlight of the year was Max Clarke's 7 wickets which included a hat-trick in the first over against Westminster. The seconds greatly appreciated Mr Dawe's hard work and dedication to the team.

Jack Zacker, Captain

Year 10A Cricket

Coach: Mr Rob Colaiacovo

Team: T Welsby (C), J Walsh (VC), S Gunning, B Bettess, J Buckley, J Ramsey, D Lee, A Sykes, T Watson, K Siebels, J Trengove, J Hall, T Wicks, J Fuller

The season of 2007 looked promising for the 10A Cricket Team. New recruits such as Sam Gunning, Brendon Bettess, Jarrod Buckley, Jack Ramsey and Daniel Lee helped raise the team's confidence and attitude towards the game with a great contribution from existing players such as Tom Welsby, Tom Wicks, Jack Trengove, Jordan Walsh, Tom Watson, Andrew Sykes, Jack Fuller, Karl Siebels and Josh Hall. The first game of the year was against some promising opposition in Trinity college, where we made a whopping 8 for 244 after 50 overs. Next we made light work of St Michael's, bowling them out for 24 runs after 16 overs and electing to bat and making a large 131 after 30 overs. We elected to use the second week of play as a 20/20 slog fest, which proved a great experience for both teams.

What was shaping up to be our biggest test of the term so far against Adelaide High did not quite live up to its standards, with Adelaide High batting first and making a minimal 67 with Tom Welsby taking 3 wickets and Andrew Sykes taking 2 wickets. We then batted and made a confident 3/112 after 17 overs with Sam Gunning making 63 off 31 balls.

The last two games of the season were one-day matches and were always going to be our toughest games. With opposition such as Rostrevor and Saint Peter's we had much to prepare for. Our warm up for the Intercol was against a formidable Rostrevor team.

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Rostrevor elected to bat first and made a respectable 92 off 20 overs on a very soft and unpredictable Rostrevor pitch with Andrew Sykes and Brendon Bettess taking 1 wicket each. Prince Alfred College then went into bat and made a well-earned 5 for 111 with Jordan Walsh top scoring on 32 not out.

The Intercol was always the most important match to win throughout the year, and with a sad record the past few years with not winning a game, the new recruits and game plan raised our confidence considerably. Saints won the toss and elected to bat first, making 7/124 with some considerable scoring from selected team members. We then went into bat and started well with the top three batsmen making a quick fire 63 between them and the rest of the order continuing with the fast paced match, we ended up with a very respectable 7/161, finally tasting victory against Saints for the first time. Stars of the Intercol were Jordan Walsh with 42 and Jack Trengove with 33 as well as Jarrod Buckley taking 2 wickets and Andrew Sykes, Jack Trengove, Daniel Lee and Tom Welsby all taking 1 wicket.

Tom Welsby, Captain

Year 9A Cricket

Coach: Mr Stephen Clohesy, Mr Chad Parrish (Skills Coach)

Team: E Young (C), M Gillespie, D Brown, M Rohde, W Paynter, E Greeves, M Scheepers, W Latchford, J Van Dissel, R Gale, T Hobbs, J Gugliotta, N Burton, T Wauchope, P Cook, J Hunter

It has been a privilege to Captain the 9A Cricket Team over the summer. The boys have certainly enjoyed their sport, each other's company and have worked really hard to be the best team they can be. The team's results have been impressive with victories over St Ignatius (by 8 wickets), Rostrevor (10 wickets) and Marryatville High (7 wickets). Highlights of the season included dismissing Rostrevor for just 26 and playing the inaugural match against the South Australian School for the Blind. The team is certainly a talented one with a very bright future ahead. Our thanks to Mr Clohesy and Mr Parrish for making the season so enjoyable.

Edward Young, Captain

Year 9B Cricket

Coach: Mr Geoff Brougham

Team: J Gugliotta (C), N Burton, J Winter, R Gates, D Soang, J Porter, A Russo, W Pitts, D Quirke, J Townsend, J Porter

The 9B Cricket Team had a hard time of it in the only two games it played in Term 1. The first game was lost by 50 runs and in the second match Unley High School amassed 307 from 46 overs then skittled Prince Alfred College for 46. Bravely the boys fought off outright defeat with openers Justin Winter and Nick Burton holding up their ends. Nick defied the bowlers for 20 overs. After that game the Year 9 teams lost many players to the Extended Stay Program and that brought their Term 1 season to a halt.

Year 8A Cricket

Team: A Buckby (Captain), R Amos, J Builder, L Campbell, L Chapman, D Clements, M Henry, J Hill, W McPhee, H Olsson, N Pollock, N Wilkins, N Wilton, B Wibberley, T Wibberley

The 8A cricket team saw a keen competition for selection. We encountered three of the strongest school teams with all games resulting in losses. We are now aware of what it means to play A-grade cricket for Prince Alfred College. Some great individual performances were the highlights. Nicholas Wilton bowled well in all three games and showed a solid batting technique. Jos Builder is emerging as a dominant player with great bowling and batting efforts. Will McPhee's bowling was tight in every game and Henry Olsson was our highest run scorer and bowled some very fast spells. The whole team is learning that to win, we must value our wickets in order to occupy the crease and work well as a team. Term 4 promises success if we can all play at our best.

Alex Buckby, Captain

The First XI Cricket Team with coach, Mr Peter Williams.

Summer Sports

Swimming

School Swimming Team

Back Row L to R: P J Young, S B Sobels, B S C Brewerton, Y J Ly, Y Tan, N T Siebel

Second Row L to R: S J Wilhelm, C E Warne, J H Sanders, J R Spano, J F Portsch, O Yang

Front Row L to R: C M Wong, E Wendt, M R Claxton, C T T Brewerton, A Gabrovsek, S R Mugford, T G Teague, V Lee

Prince Alfred College Swimming Team

Coach: Mr Mark Sheppard, Mr Chad Parrish

Team: E Wendt, A Gabrovsek, M Claxton, S Mugford, S Sobels, C Wong, J Sanders, T Teague, V Lee, J Porsch, B Pearce, B Brewerton, O Yang, Y Ly, Y Tan, J Spano, S Wilhelm, C Warne, N Siebel, J Clarnette, J Pearce, E Young

Swimming at Prince Alfred College enjoyed a very successful season in Term 1, 2007. This year's team had some very big shoes to fill from 2006 and to the credit of all swimmers in the team they did this in wonderful fashion, led by some very talented swimmers such as Cameron Wong, Blaire Brewerton and Alex Gabrovsek. The team went through the season placing in the top three at every competition that they took part in, including three silver medals and one bronze medal at the Independent School's Relay Championships and runner-up to Pembroke in the Independent Schools Swimming Association (ISSA) final. The team also enjoyed a huge victory against Saints by over 100 points, which was a sensational follow-up to last year's great win. This year's Intercol win means that Prince Alfred College has only lost one Intercol in the history of Swimming Intercols: a fantastic achievement.

Special thanks must go to all parents that helped out at the Wednesday night meets and to Ms Morelli who kept check on the scores. Thanks must also go to Mr Parrish, who did a wonderful job in filling in for Mr Baird, and to Mr Mark Sheppard, who gave up his own time to coach the team to our Intercol success. To all the boys in the team; congratulations on a very successful year and I am sure that next year will be just as successful for you.

Callum Brewerton, Captain of Swimming

Waterpolo

Year 8 Waterpolo

Coach: Mr Don Murray

Waterpolo was a new sport for all of the Year 8 boys who chose to play it at the beginning of the year, but with the help of our coach, everyone picked up the game well and we had a very successful season. We had losses to Blackfriars and Mercedes but wins over Rostrevor, Pembroke and St Peter's. This was a great effort considering many of these teams had played together before. Nathan Seibel was our strongest swimmer and a key player along with Drew Clements (our goalkeeper), James Kolaroff, Jack Tidswell and Ben Young.

Jock Clarnette

Rowing

1st VIII Rowing

Back Row L to R: S Tyndall (Coach), J Venning, M Butler, A Carlson, D Potts (Director and Coach), V Huddleston (Coach)

Front Row L to R: L Roberts-Wakeham, J Schell, A Murray (Captain Boats), W Turner (Coxswain), J Admiraal (Vice-Captain Boats), L Ball

1st VIII Rowing

Coach: Mr Scott Tyndall, Mr Vaughn Huddleston

Crew: W Turner (c), A Murray (s), J Admiraal (7), L Ball (6), L Roberts-Wakeham (5), M Butler (4), A Carlson (3), J Venning (2), J Schell (bow)

This season has been a great experience with many fun and memorable times. At the start of the season many strong rowers dropped out to pursue other interests, which left the squad quite depleted. Due to this there were many opportunities for younger rowers to stand up and fill the big shoes in the 1st VIII. Thankfully this happened. Everyone worked hard to improve their technique and push themselves to the limit on the ergos.

With the addition of newly enrolled Liam Ball and Lewis Roberts-Wakeham the average ergo time of the crew dropped dramatically and the overall balance and feeling of the Eight was improved. We now knew we were a threat, and winning Head of the River was a reality. During our two rowing camps of the summer holidays everyone in the rowing squad bonded and became great mates. This made the season such a great experience as every training session was another chance to catch up with your mates. Through two sets of seat racing which totalled over 24 races we became the most 'race hardened' crew on the water.

In our first race of Term 1, we knocked off Saint's by a length and Pembroke by three. This was great as it showed our dream of winning Head of the River was very much a reality and lifted morale.

At the national championships in Victoria at Lake Nagambi, we were not racing with our full crew as Liam was focusing on his single scull where he narrowly missed out on 2nd in Australia, competing in a field of over 50 of the nations most elite athletes. James Admiraal, Lewis Roberts-Wakeham and I, along with a rower from Adelaide Rowing Club, joined up to compete in the Under 19 Coxless Four competition, where we achieved silver. The Eight made the A final for the Under 19 competition and due to unlucky heats and a semi final we were in the C Final for the Schoolboy Eight. Nationals were a stepping stone to Head of the River and made us a stronger crew.

Through the season everyone trained hard on and off the water, they pushed themselves to the limit, all for one race. On the water we trained vigorously to ensure we row perfectly. As Vaughn Huddleston says, "boys don't win Head of the River, Athletes do." I am confident that everything we have gone through this season changed us from boys into athletes. As a crew we were confident that we could

win Head of the River, but unfortunately, Saint's were stronger on the day. We entered that race with the ideals of no regrets and we finished with no regrets, giving us a sense of accomplishment.

I would like to thank each rower for their individual contribution to rowing at Prince Alfred College and congratulate each crew for their efforts at Head of the River and throughout the season. I would also like to thank all coaches and parents, for without their effort, determination, belief and generosity, the rowing program at Prince Alfred College would not exist.

Alistair Murray, Stroke, Captain of Boats

2nd VIII Rowing

Coach: Mr Ben Noske, Mr Vaughn Huddleston

Crew: A Mitropoulos (c), C Harry (s), N Crawford (7), J Gerard (6), J Trinne (5), A Warnecke (4), H Ratcliff (3), J Broadbent (2), W Noblett (b)

The 2006/2007 season brought mixed success for the 2nd VIII, with strong wins against much bigger opponents in Saints and Pembroke. The crew changed many times during the season, making it difficult to settle and really work well as a team. After a series of rowing camps and seat races, the crew was settled and we began to train well together. After hours in the gym and on the water our lead up to the Head of the River was strong, with good wins in the lead up races. After narrowly losing State Championships, we had a strong showing in the qualifying regatta and were quietly confident of success.

We started strongly in good conditions but were unable to hold off Saints, a bigger and more skilful crew. This was not the season ending the crew was hoping for but the journey the crew took together cannot be judged by any one race. As a crew we developed and matured, guided by both Ben and Huddy. Their advice and guidance was invaluable.

Chris Harry, Stroke

1st IV Rowing

Coach: Mr Alex Ratcliff

Crew: S Hewlett (c), H Lloyd (s), C Olsson (3), C Brewerton (2), H Warnecke (b)

The 2006/2007 rowing season for the 1st IV was full of many challenges. The crew lost its two most powerful rowers to the 2nd VIII only four weeks before Head of the River yet adapted particularly well to this change. The crew did an astonishing four morning water trainings in the week before the big day in order to ensure the crew was as technically sound and as fit as possible. Whilst we were unfortunate not to bring the silverware back to Prince Alfred College the entire crew rowed gallantly against a far bigger Pembroke crew to come a close second, recording one of the best times of the season. Special thanks to Alex Ratcliff for his tireless effort throughout the season.

Haydn Lloyd, Stroke

10A Rowing

Coach: Mr Nick Agrios

Crew: W Zogopoulos (c), F El Achkar (s), M Spasojevic (3), T Cordingley (2), J Turner (b)

The 10A crew had a distinct disadvantage compared to the other crews, weighing in at a combined total of over 400 kilos; as a result, making quick starts was tricky to say the least. However, this heavyweight crew made up for it with a demonstration of sheer power and technique. The season was disappointing with a seemingly endless streak of bad luck. Head of the River came and a confident 10A crew flew off to their best start ever only to have a gate come out at the worst possible moment. All boys in the crew had a great experience and their rowing improved immeasurably.

Firas El Achkar, Stroke

10B Rowing

Coach: Mr Sam Jordan

Crew: M Burford (c), B Pearce (s), T Cocks (3), A McLaren (2), S Simons (b)

The 10B crew's season was a successful one, winning most of our races and having a positive attitude, nothing could stop us, except the four 6' and above Unley crew. They beat us on one occasion. The other team that beat us was Saints. In the Head of the River qualifying races we came first and second (behind Unley). With tension building over the next week we trained hard with the motivation to beat a competitive crew. At Head of the River we were victorious, after a spectacular effort to reel in a three boat deficit. It truly was a great season.

Ben Pearce, Stroke

10B Rowing

L to R: M K Burford, T C Cocks, A D C McLaren, Mr S J Jordan, S C Simons, B M O Pearce

10C Rowing

Coach: Mr Graham Coldwell

Crew: T Short (c), T Ware (s), W Bickley (3), S Rogers (2), S Sanders (b)

The 10Cs had a relatively successful season, with the entire crew being committed to training. The most memorable moment of the season was when we sang for an entire session. We knew however when it was time to be serious and during the lead up to Head of the River the crew trained rigorously as the training became more intense. Unfortunately we were not able to clinch a win at Head of the River. I would still like to commend the efforts of all crew members and thank Mr Coldwell for his support and dedication.

Tom Ware, Stroke

10D Rowing

L to R: N P Cooper, J L Barkla, Mr D Potts, M L Easther, S Jankovic, S M McPhee

9A Rowing

Crew: R Williams (b), N Woolmore (2), H Riebolge (3), J Spano (s), C Norsworthy (c)

The Year 9A crew had a fairly successful season this year. Starting as one of the worst crews in the competition, we progressed significantly to being consistently in the top 3 for most regattas. This crew was one of power and not enough technique which showed when it came to the Head of the River qualifier and race day.

On race day we entered the competition as favourites as we were in the lower Division A race, the entire race we were leading until things started going wrong all due to our skill not being as good as it should have.

The boat was tilting from side to side, our timing started going out and we were constantly catching crabs. By then the other crews had caught up and it was very close for the last 150 metres. Then, as it had happened in the qualifiers, we caught yet another crab right near the finish line leaving us in second place.

Jonathan Spano, Stroke

Tennis

Intercollegiate Tennis

Back Row L to R:
L C Tu, J H Schipanksi,
J Y H Foo, L M Saville

Front Row L to R:
A B Young, W C Hugo,
Mr C L Nicholls,
J J M Cuzzocrea, S P Schuler

Absent: J Hall, J Gregg

Drive Tennis

Coaches: Mr J Tuckfield, Mr G Neville

Team: J Cuzzocrea (C), W Hugo (VC), L Saville, S Schuler, J Schipanski, A Young, J Hall, J Gregg, J Foo

This season the Drive Team was almost undefeated, with very close wins to strong tennis schools such as Immanuel and Pembroke in which we won by only one rubber, and one loss to Marryatville who once again have proved their number one ranking in the Drive Division. The team has also had some very convincing wins this season showing their strength, in the lower order team with wins such as nine sets to love against St Ignatius and eight sets to one victory over Westminster.

The team worked extremely hard training together under the eyes of Josh Tuckfield and Graham Neville and managed by Mr Nicholls who has been instrumental in making us all believe in our hard work and in ourselves to achieve what needs to be done throughout the season.

None of these victories are as good or as fulfilling as the team's performance against Saints. The drive team this season took Prince Alfred College Tennis to a different level with a convincing win against Saint Peter's with ten matches to five. The day started out with a few shaky hands as the team is a young group, with only four boys having experienced an Intercol before. The even numbered matches started the campaign for Prince Alfred College with convincing wins going up three matches to two, before the odd numbered players came out. These second lot of singles matches continued to boost the confidence in the boys going into lunch winning another 3 matches which were hard fought and showed determination in the boys to beat Saints. At lunch we were 6–4 up and needed to win two live doubles matches, this seemed like an easy task however, Prince Alfred College had yet to win two doubles match even after lunch, so the team remained as focused as we could. With our great combinations which were carefully selected by the coaches Josh and Graham, we were able to seal the Intercol win off by winning four out of the five, making it a first in Prince Alfred College history.

Joseph Cuzzocrea, Captain

Open A/B

Coaches: Ms B McFarlane, Ms A Melino

Team A: W Hugo, J Foo, J Cuzzocrea, B Carroll, C Roy, N Whetstone, W Gray, N Daniel, A Watson, S Pearce, H Murdoch, J Murdoch, W Heaslip, A Franklin, S Fitzgerald, J Fyfe, D Stevens, L Stranks, S Sharley

Team B: N Tirrell, E Pitts, E Hayter, N Kinnaird, D Vandepeer, J Barker-Gale, S Hanzalik, N Jeffrey, A Kurup, C Winter, C Comerford, W Ellison, B Chambers, W Virgin, C Altschwager

The Open squad was split into three A Teams for the first time in many years and led to more boys being given the opportunity to play at the highest level (apart from Drive Tennis). The boys were very competitive all season winning a majority of their matches and just losing overall to the two Saint Peter's Open teams.

Mr C Nicholls, Master-in-Charge Tennis

Summer Sports Tennis

Year 10 A/B/C

Coach: Mr Jasper Wolfe

Team A: T Chadwick, N Dorsch, J Perks, L Tapscott, R Terrell, J Buckley, B Wolfe, L Lovell, M Watson, H Marshall, S Elliss, T Pearce, S Wilkins, P Hanneman, B Pearce

Team B: L Perks, J Galloway, T Wilson, P Tridente, N Jeffrey, J Mumford, M Pascoe, C Pye, M Burford, H Sanders, J Foster, A Sivam

Team C: J Russell, M Barry, V Lee, J Acott, T Moschou, J Amos

The year's group was very strong with places in the A Team very hard to get. Against most of the opposition the number 6 player in our A Team would be very competitive against the opposition's number 2 or 3. In the big match of the season against Saint Peter's the story was the same, running out strong victors and completing a great season. The depth of talent was so evident that Taylor Chadwick, Nick Dorsch and Jack Perks were elevated to Open status to give them a better match and the others a promotion up the order. The tactic failed in most cases at the Year 10 Level, however Taylor, Nick and Jack did get some good matches at the Open Level.

Mr C Nicholls, Master-in-Charge Tennis

Saint Peter's at the end of the season where we went down to a very strong Saints team. Many thanks from the tennis players go to Mr Bowyer and Mr Nicholls for their fantastic devotion towards the Tennis Teams.

M Brown

Year 9 A/B

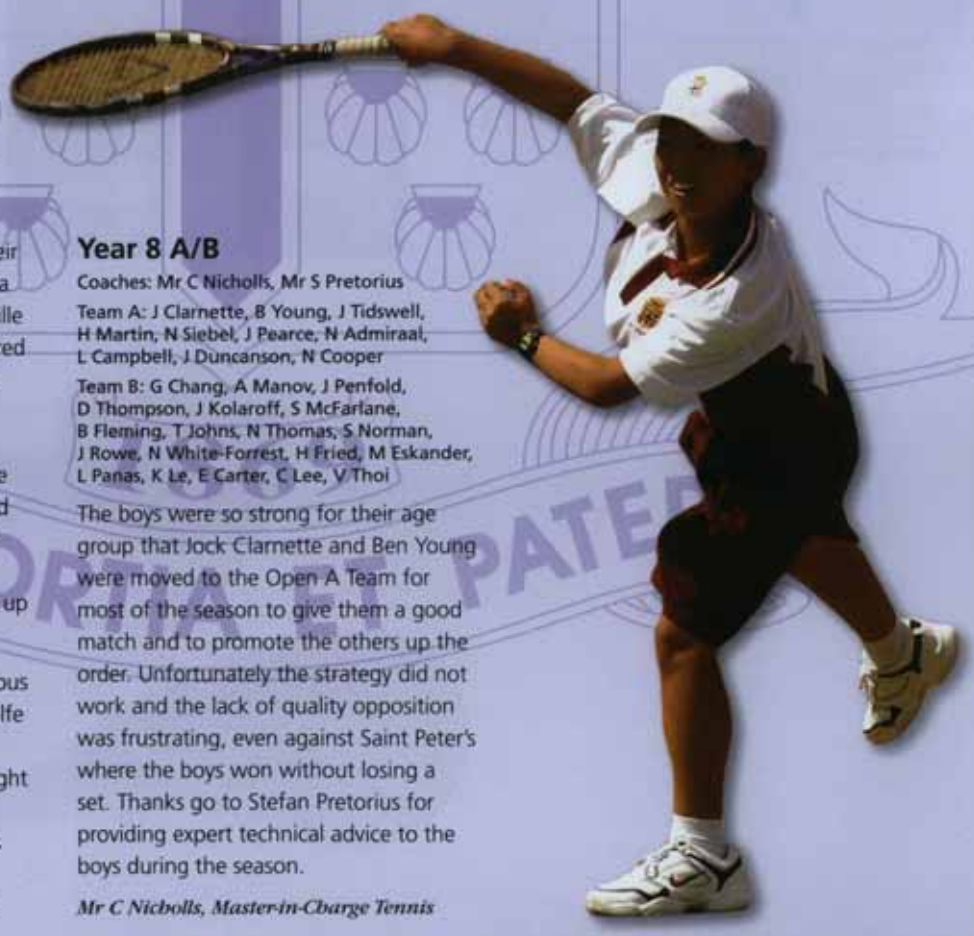
Coach: Mr C Bowyer

Team A: M Brown, Y Tan, S Wilhelm, T Fitzgerald, J Tonkin, S Day, A Murdoch, E Holmwood

Team B: M Riceman, T Smith, A Milton, J Agnew, J Savvas, D Piper, D Albanese, O Dell, P Harford, J Hood, H Goode, F Koennecke, C Russell, S Park, Y Hirayama

Year 9 Tennis in Term 1 was a great success. All the boys who contributed made great progress and developed their tennis skills. This was taken further for a few boys with the help of Graham Neville and Josh Tuckfield whom the school hired to help in Prince Alfred College's tennis development. Also boys who showed excellent ability and were successful were able to take part in matches in the open teams for greater competition and personal development. Although these games were much more difficult all players tried their best and even ended up winning a few.

Great support was provided by previous Drive Team players including Jasper Wolfe who helped coach, along with Craig Bowyer on Monday and Wednesday night trainings for all Year 9 tennis players. Overall the season of Year 9 Tennis was full of hard fought victories and close encounters including the game against



Year 8 A/B

Coaches: Mr C Nicholls, Mr S Pretorius

Team A: J Clarnette, B Young, J Tidswell, H Martin, N Siebel, J Pearce, N Admiraal, L Campbell, J Duncanson, N Cooper

Team B: G Chang, A Manov, J Penfold, D Thompson, J Kolaroff, S McFarlane, B Fleming, T Johns, N Thomas, S Norman, J Rowe, N White-Forrest, H Fried, M Eskander, L Panas, K Le, E Carter, C Lee, V Thoi

The boys were so strong for their age group that Jock Clarnette and Ben Young were moved to the Open A Team for most of the season to give them a good match and to promote the others up the order. Unfortunately the strategy did not work and the lack of quality opposition was frustrating, even against Saint Peter's where the boys won without losing a set. Thanks go to Stefan Pretorius for providing expert technical advice to the boys during the season.

Mr C Nicholls, Master-in-Charge Tennis

Golf

Senior Golf Squad

Team: C Shaw, L Brandwood, A Lee, P Toh, A Sykes, P McCole, W Hugo, E Monfries, S Potts

The Prince Alfred College Golf program contiues to flourish. This year our numbers of competing students doubled whilst we also intitiated a professional coaching program aligned with the Kooyonga Golf Club.The team have been extremely well represented by students who have competed for a number of years. Charles Shaw, Lachlan Brandwood, Andrew Lee and Peter Toh in particular have been outstanding in relation to their organisation and indeed results. The team this year finished second in the State Teams event and were among the best at the Jack Newton Invitational event. With a similar team available in 2008 the future looks bright. Our thanks to Mr Clohesy and Mr McGuire who have supported and coached the team with such enthusiasm and interest.

Charles Shaw, Captain of Golf

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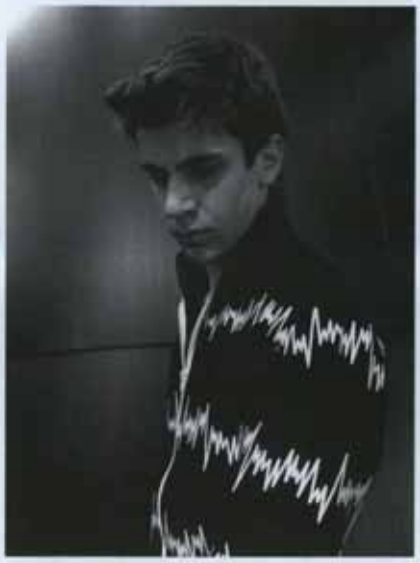

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   Vanuatu Resort: guest accommodation

2. **Josiah Fyfe:**
   Fashion Design
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3. **Edward Lucas:**
   Wine Label Design

4. **William Turner:**
   Dog food branding

5. **Edward Wendt and Luke Cooney:**
   Street furniture design and airport furniture design

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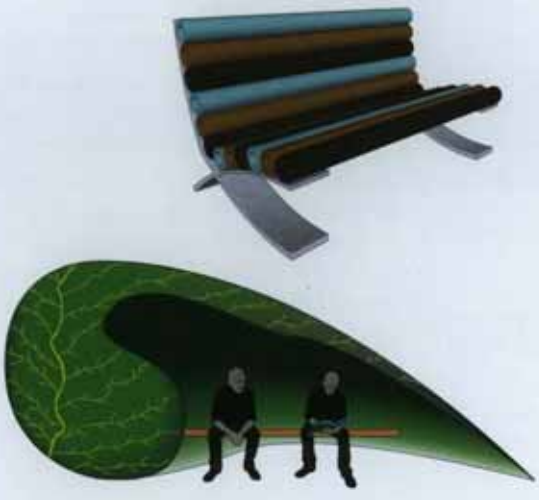

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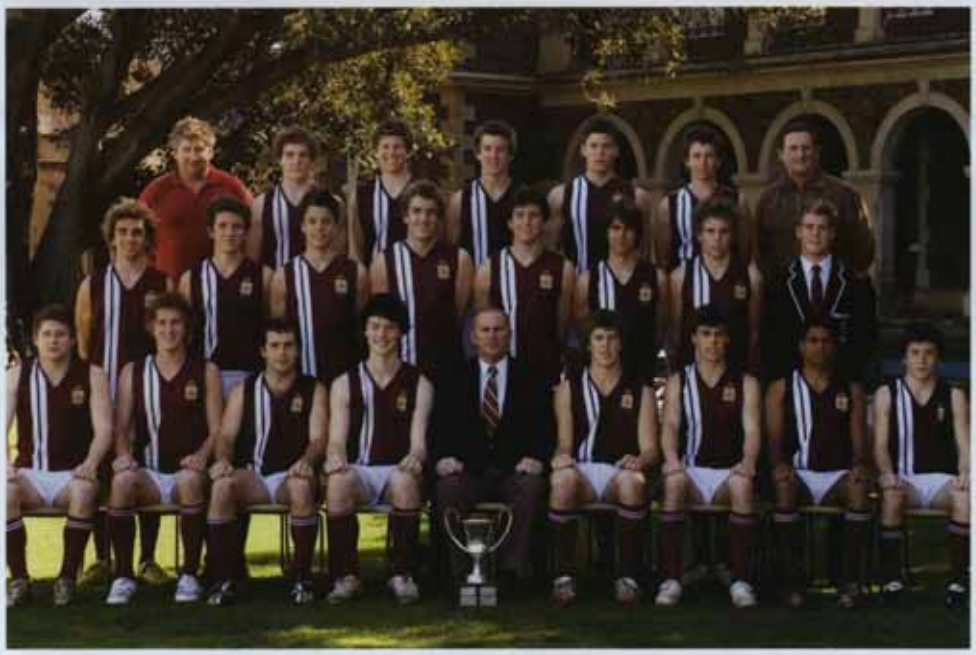
Winter Sports

Football

1st XVIII Intercollegiate Football



Back Row: L to R: Mr N R Joy (Fitness Coach), L D Tapscott, B C Cody, J K Trengove, J P Schell, A F Rowntree, Mr V Huddleston (Assistant Coach)

Middle Row: L to R: N J Whetstone, S H Pittman, J W Stephens, E K Opie, D R Clayfield, T A Barnes, C D Pitt, J H Du Rieu (Runner),

Front Row: L to R: S J Fincher, J W Van Hoof, J A Zacker, J D Byers (Co-Captain), Mr G Jenkinson (Coach), N A Daniel (Co-Captain), A C Watson (Vice Captain), K M Thompson, J J Kelly

Absent: M T Clarke (Vice-Captain), M Farkas (Vice-Captain), S Potts

1st XVIII Football

Coach: Mr Gary Jenkinson

Assistant Coaches: Mr Vaughn Huddleston, Mr Nick Joy (Fitness coach)

Team: N Daniel (Co-Captain), J Byers (Co-captain), A Watson (Vice-Captain), M Clarke (Vice-Captain), M Farkas (Vice-Captain), L Tapscott, B Cody, J Trengove, J Schell, A Rowntree, N Whetstone, S Pittman, J Stephens, E Opie, D Clayfield, T Barnes, C Pitt, S Fincher, J Van Hoof, J Zacker, K Thompson, J Kelly, S Potts

The First XVIII continued their 2006 success into the 2007 season, winning 9 out of 13 games, with the 4 close losses against Rostrevor and Sacred Heart Colleges. The team ended up 3rd in the State School Boy Competition, again behind Rostrevor and Sacred Heart.

The season started with preseason games against Melbourne Grammar and Wesley College in Adelaide late in Term 1, resulting in a win and a loss. The team travelled via buses during the Term 1 holidays to enjoy a few memorable matches in Melbourne, where we lost two matches against tough opponents in Mentone Grammar and Xavier College. However the trip showed a strong future for the school, with a lot of talent showing in the younger years.

On August 25 the annual Intercol against Saint Peter's was held on Saints' main oval. The team had been waiting for this game since the commencement of the season. Even thought we had beaten Saints earlier in the season, they had found a bit of late season form and knocked off Sacred Heart two weeks earlier, which made it impossible to tip favorite. Despite the physical first quarter form, both sides only managed one goal each in the opening term. However after quarter time the team never took a backwards step and came out 59 point winners, with good continuation from the entire squad. Princes' fierce attack on the ball proved to be the difference between the two sides.

The team would like to give thanks to Mr Gary Jenkinson for coaching, Mr Vaughn Huddleston for being Assistant Coach and a Trainer, Mr Nick Joy for helping at trainings and also being a Trainer, Joe Du Rieu for running, John Hinge for game and training help, William 'Thumper' Thomas for continuing on as team manager and finally Mr Steven Clohesy for the much enjoyed football trip and end-of-year dinner.

Nathan Daniel and James Byers, Co-Captains of Football

3rd XVIII Football

Thirds Football would not exist if there were not significant people making an effort to get to training and games. Firstly I would like to thank Mr Williams for making it out to games and trainings and supporting us throughout the season, because without "Willow" nothing would have happened. Some may call Thirds Football laidback, but that is just not the case! On average about six eager Year 11s make it to trainings, which is great! Because of this we rely on other eager Year 11s from other sports who play earlier in the week such as Soccer and Rugby. Year 12s

also helped fill a side when needed. The majority of the team consisted of these eager Year 11s and I thank them for a great season.

For the season we only had three wins, but these victories were against some of our strongest opponents, when we had to lift we did so, Pedare Firsts, Blackfriars Seconds and Sacred Heart each suffered to Willow's Warriors.

For a team like Prince Alfred College Thirds to match the level of competition against stronger and bigger sides was hard for us. The draw we found at times was a little strong, but we still filled a team and played footy.

Honourable mentions go to Pat Deegan who was awarded Best Team Man; another name that would be seen in the newsletter week after week is that of Alex Silins who was awarded Best Player Throughout the season, two well deserved awards.

Names such as Stamatelopoulos, Verlato, Brewerton, Farminer, Winter, Stevens, Lambert, Mazure-Johnstone, Butler, Young and Ellison are also names that frequently appeared in the newsletter due to playing well.

Andrew Franklin

4th XVIII Football

Coach: Mr Malcolm Ashwood

Team: O Thomas (C), W Turner (VC), T Sullivan, J Admiraal, L Cooney, T Nihill, A Rotman, C Parsons, S Sharley, N Brazzale, J Carter, E Lucas, J Vasileff, A Giulianetti, J Courtidis, S Hanzalik, J Trinne, O Kabbani, A Michell, J Turner, A Warnecke, A Raslan, A Noble, W Noble, J Lambert, J House, A Franklin, N Riddell, S Mobbs, A Murray

The Princes 4th XVIII for 2007 was a team that prided itself on not only its skill, but also its strong character, commitment and determination. The first match against the Rostrevor 3rd XVIII was difficult in the near perfect conditions, and being the first time that any of us had played together, getting used to each other's vastly different playing styles was also a contributing factor to the 50 point loss. However, we held our heads high and went on to play St Ignatius 2nd XVIII two weeks later. Although this was our second loss, by this time the midfield drive produced by James Admiraal, Simon Sharley and Toby Nihill was more than evident, and backed up by fierce tackling from the two rugby players, Tom Sullivan and Edward Lucas, we knew that we were capable of accomplishing extraordinary sporting feats.

The match against the Sacred Heart 5th XVIII was one which we were confident to win. Sacred Heart led at quarter time, but a surge from forward players Cam Parsons and Alastair Murray in the second quarter, who were fed the ball from the drive of the midfield, put the Redmen in front at the major break. Sacred Heart had plenty of ball in the premiership quarter and they once again regained the lead. A reformation speech by coach Malcolm Ashwood at three quarter time gave us the passion to succeed, and extraordinary ball skills and playing as a team gave us the winning edge, just holding off Sacred Heart by 2 points.

With a win under our belts we were confident that the Pembroke 3rd XVIII were going to be our next victims. In near perfect conditions on the freshly mowed Park 15, the now invincible athletes in the 4th XVIII accomplished something like never before, defeating Pembroke by 255 points, not to mention leaving them goalless. We were hoping to break 300, but sadly this was just out of reach. A fantastic and hard effort by the back line, including Tom Sullivan, Luke Cooney and Justin Trinne, was largely to thank for the win. Every player apart from the Captain and Vice-Captain walked away with a goal. Will Turner, being an experienced

footballer, said it's just "being nice to the other players".

After nursing injuries and soreness over the holiday break, we were ready to take on the Sacred Heart 4th XVIII. We were confident going into the battle, and the game proved a success, leading the Hearts for the entire length of the match. Everyone was now familiar with each others playing styles, and this kept us together as one and added to the sweetness of the victory. The last five minutes of the game was the most intense of the season, and our huge levels of fitness helped bring us over the line by one goal. Once again, James Admiraal showed his dominance in the ruck and midfield, and Toby Nihill and Simon Sharley took care of the supply of ball to the forwards. Malcolm once again gave an extraordinary three quarter time speech giving us all new team fundamentals, to get the ball to the better players. This gave us the edge in the final quarter to hold off the Hearts on their home turf. We had now become part of Princes history, being the only PAC XVIII in 2007 to defeat Sacred Heart.

Our final match was scheduled to be against Immanuel 2nd XVIII, on our immaculate home turf at Park 15. Unfortunately, Immanuel forfeited due to the influenza outbreak, and this gave us an automatic victory, finishing the season with 4 wins and 2 losses. We were deeply disappointed not to have a 4th XVIII Intercollegiate game against Saints, a match which would have shown the true skill of this extraordinary team. Nonetheless, we knew we had come a long way since our first time playing together, we were a team which made history, and accomplished feats like no other Princes 4th XVIII before us.

A big thank you goes to Mr Malcolm Ashwood, who coached us beautifully and with great tactics all season, without him our achievements would not have been possible. Also thank you to all who supported us whilst on the field.

Oliver Thomas, Captain

Year 10A Football

The 2007 season for the Year 10As was highly successful with strong wins over Saints (twice), St Michael's (twice), CBC, Trinity, Unley, Blackfriars and Immanuel. There were also losses to Rostrevor and Sacred Heart and a devastating draw with Pembroke. In the first half of the season players such as Jack Kelly, Jarrod Buckley, Tom Wicks, Josh Hall, Jack Ramsey, Matthew Watson and Tom Teague were consistently in the best players. In Week 8 of Term 2 Jack Kelly was promoted to the First XVIII Football Team leaving a hole in our midfield. This spot was taken over by Matt Watson who stood up and delivered the goods. A broken ankle to Jarrod Buckley sidelined him for many weeks. The second half of the season saw players such as Sam Gunning, Jack Fuller, Jack Ramsey, Karl Siebels, Tom Welsby and Matthew Easther step up and this saw the team improve its level of performance substantially and consistently play good matches. This was highlighted when team suffered a 2 goal loss to Sacred Heart after leading by a goal at three quarter time turning around a 12 goal loss earlier in the season.

The highlight of the season was our Intercol win over Saint Peter's. The match was very even until the last quarter where we blew them out the water with a 6 goal last quarter. One of Saints' key players was tagged out of the game by Josh Hall, while Matthew Easther played his best game for the season and was given best on ground. Jack Fuller and Tom Teague were also stand outs and received 2 and 3 best on ground. The final score: PAC 72 to Saints 44. After the match the Best & Fairest was awarded to Tom Wicks and Best Team Man awarded to Matt Watson.

Tom Wicks, Captain

Year 9A Football

Coach: Mr Stephen Clohesy

Team: W Paynter (c), M Rohde, C Warne, N Burton, N Woolmore, T Woolford, J Porter, S Winter, S Day, T Fitzgerald, A Murdoch, F Koennecke, J House, W Latchford, W Thredgold, H Goode, S Wilhelm, C Norsworthy, J Fyfe, R Gates

The Year 9A Football season has been both an enjoyable and challenging experience. The season highlights included fine wins over Scotch and Blackfriars and the noticeable improvement of all players in the squad. The spirit of the team was never shaken as each week the team battled manfully through to the final siren. Charles Warne was named the teams Best and Fairest after a magnificent season, whilst William Paynter was the runner up and Best Team Man. William Latchford was dangerous around goals all year and hence won the leading goal kicker whilst the bravery and dash of James House resulted in him winning the Most Courageous Award. Our thanks to

Mr Clohesy who coached the team so enthusiastically and to the large number of parents who supported the team each week.

William Paynter, Captain

Year 8A Football

Coach: Mr Tim Agnew

The Year 8 team had a pretty good season, with many players improving their skills and learning more about positional and team play. We won 7 out of 13 games and at the end of the season we had a Best and Fairest count. Mr Agnew had picked the top five players in each game. The Best and Fairest player was Josh Gregg with 30 votes, with our runner up Jos Builder polling 21 votes. In 3rd place on 17 votes was Henry Olsson, who unfortunately broke his toe while playing indoor soccer, 4th was Jack Tidswell on 16 votes and in 5th place was Jack Schipanski on 14 votes.

We went into our last and biggest game, the annual Intercol against Saints with two of our key players unavailable due to injury and illness — Henry Olsson and Jack Penfold. In the first half the scores were very close. However, after half time Prince Alfred College played some excellent committed football but struggled to score the goals that would have put our opposition away. Eventually we did manage to break away to win by just over 2 goals.

The Player of the Match award went to Jack Tidswell, who was courageous and tireless on the ball throughout the game. Best Players were: Tidswell, Builder, Gregg, Buckby, Schipanski and Siebels. Goal scorers: Nick Cooper 3, Josh Gregg 2, Jos Builder 1 and Nathan Siebels.

Henry Olsson and Jack Penfold

Winter Sports

Basketball

Open A Basketball

Back Row L to R:
L J Murdoch, A J C Brown, A A Murray, P M Douglass, S D Boorman

Front Row L to R:
J A Harford, C P Schultz, B M Wilson, T R Nihill, J J Orken

Absent: Mr P Rigoni (Coach), S Mobbs, S Day, L Campbell

Open A Basketball

Coach: Mr Paul Rigoni

Team: J Harford (Captain), B Wilson (Vice-Captain), L Campbell, S Day, P Douglass, S Mobbs, A Murray, T Nihill, J Orken

2007 has been a very successful year for Open A Basketball at Prince Alfred College. The addition of new players to the group, namely Sam Day and Sam Mobbs, the return of Toby, Josh and Alastair from retirement and injury, as well as the consistent improvement of the team in general has seen this year's team developed into a strong, well-balanced group.

Highlights of the season included dominant wins over CBC, Gleeson and Pedare, and hard fought victories over Mercedes, Adelaide High, Saint Michael's and Glenunga. Despite our victorious season the team was unable to defeat St Peter's, losing in a tough game.

The team finished the season with a winning record of 7 wins, 6 losses. From a personal perspective, I would like to thank everyone involved in Prince Alfred College basketball this year for making it so successful. Playing and leading this year's group has been a great experience for me and I am sure I will look back fondly on the times we have had this year. I hope you have all enjoyed this season as much as I have. I would like to say that in captaining a squad such as this you experience people's true character, and each individual has shown the attitude that will see them achieve greatly in many things above and beyond the sport of Basketball.

Jack Harford, Captain of Basketball

Open B Basketball

Coach: Paul Rigoni

Team: W Luu (Captain), S Boorman (Vice-Captain), C Schultz, J Orken, A Carlson, T Hilbig, N Crawford, S Hanzalik, N Riddell

The 2007 Open B Basketball season was a successful one with more wins than losses and a respectable performance against some tough teams. Although the team was never set in concrete due to a rotating system with the As all players contributed to the wins throughout the season. Our 3 top scorers were Alfred, Winston and Josh but players like Tom and Sam stepped up to give them their scoring opportunities. Nick Crawford, Nick Riddell and Scott Boorman showcased all abilities but also provided some great rebounding. Although the result in the Intercol was not what we wanted, everyone put in 110% and we can be proud of that. I look forward to seeing the guys next year.

Cameron Schultz

Open C Basketball

Coach: Mr Ray Lukowicz

Team: J Foo, J Leung, T Skrembos, Y Wang, A Brown, A Lukowicz, M Burford, C Miliado, H Nadolny

2007 was a successful year for the Open C Team. During the season the team had only two losses and two draws while scoring nine home and away wins. The team remained fairly intact throughout the season although some players rotated to and from the 10D Team. The team on occasions was also helped by players from the B Team such as Nick Riddell, Charles Shaw and Josiah Fyfe and volunteers like James Acott who added height to the team. The Cs often found themselves playing against much taller opposition and the inclusion of the tall B Team players were important in achieving the wins.

The Intercol game was very intense. Here a mention must be made of Lewis Graham who was a late and valuable draftee into the Intercol game. It was a close game that ended in a thrilling draw.

Thanks must go to our coach Mr Ray Lukowicz and to Mr Graham Baird for coordinating the Basketball season at Prince Alfred College.

Andrew Lukowicz

Open D Basketball

Coach: James Murdoch

Team: J Barker-Gale, S Gray, T W Heng, G Jeffery, J Murdoch, C Pang, N Robinson, C Rowe

Although the team success was not as high as we would have liked it to be we still enjoyed wins over a strong Unley High School, St Peter's and a thumping 35 point win over Immanuel in just three quarters.

Having been noticed as the Boarder A Team we soon turned our talent on the basketball court into publicity appearing in the Boarder's Newsletter and our more glamorous achievement, The Stock Journal.

I would like to thank the team for their efforts and Mr Jordison, our manager, for his efforts throughout the season as without him none of this would have been possible.

James Murdoch, Coach

Year 10 Basketball

Coach: Jo Sheppard

Team: B Papandrea, A Athanasov, J Russell, A McLaren, M Sullivan, M Burford, C Miliado, H Nadolny, M Chan, T Skrembos, J Davey

This season the Year 10D Basketball Team developed from one of inexperience to a more confident and skilful group of players. As the season progressed, it was obvious that skill levels had progressed as we began to play as a team. Although the scores did not reflect this, the games we played were tightly contested only losing by narrow margins. The highlight of the year was beating a tough and experienced Norwood Morialta side, which we had previously been defeated by on a number of occasions. Even though we did not have fully supervised training sessions, it was great to see the level of commitment demonstrated by all players, growing not only as individuals but as a team. Special thanks must go to our coach Jo Sheppard whose patience and expertise was greatly appreciated.

Max Sullivan

Year 9A Basketball

Coach: Mr Graham Baird

Team: P Harford, T Hobbs (Co-Captains), R Amos, B Fleming, J McPhee, W McPhee, W Harmer, J Savvas, J Fyfe, C Le, J Tonkin

The Year 9A Basketball Team had varied results throughout the season, winning four games overall. However, the team improved drastically through the season and showed the fighting spirit for which Prince Alfred College has become known. The team varied throughout the season, with many players being rotated into the team. With this many players rotating through the team, we could see the potential that certain players possessed. Even though the team only won four games in the season, the team accomplished our goal and we swept Saint's in As, Bs and Cs Intercol. This was the highlight of our season, and shows that the future of Prince Alfred College Basketball looks good. The team would like to thank parents for showing their support and a special thanks to Mr Graham Baird for coaching this season.

Phil Harford and Tom Hobbs

Year 9B Basketball

Coach: Mr Graham Baird

Team: R Amos, J McPhee, W McPhee, J Pearce, J Agnew, T Park, M McIntyre, J Townsend, J Savvas

The 9B Basketball Team have had a good year overall, winning eleven games. Most wins were reasonably close, a matter of about three points split the two teams. By far the closest game we played this year was against Pembroke where we won by two points because of a last minute shot by Will McPhee that luckily went in. We had a few losses but it did not bring down the team spirit it just made us train harder. Overall we had a good year the team spirit was never broken through the losses and got even higher with wins. On behalf of the team we would like to thank Mr Baird for coaching us through the season.

James Townsend

Year 8/9C Basketball

Coach: Mr Trevor Klar

The 8/9C Basketball Team enjoyed a great season with some excellent wins, close games, and some games that we learnt from. We played 13 games, winning 5 and losing 7. Top scorer was Zach Hanzalik with 78 points, followed by Yiran Tan with 49 points. Although we lost more games than we won, in every game all players put in their best effort until the very end. This paid off in our last game against Saint Peter's in the Intercol, beating them by 20 points. I think the 8/9C Team will remember this season as a great one in which we gained lots of knowledge about Basketball, and had an enjoyable time.

Zach Hanzalik

Winter Sports

Hockey

1st XI Hockey

Back Row L to R:
W M Selway, N A Brazzale, Mr R Parsons (Teacher in Charge), M R Selway, N H Robinson

Front Row L to R:
S P Fitzgerald, C Brebner, A E Michell, Mr B Claxton (Coach), M R Claxton, H J Tregeagle, E B Holmwood

AbsentD Simounds, S Sobels, T Watson, S Frisby, T D Fitzgerald, M Scheepers

1st XI Hockey

Coach: Mr B Claxton

Team: A Michell (c), W Selway, N Brazzale, M Selway, N Robinson, S Fitzgerald, C Brebner, M Claxton, H Tregeagle, E Holmwood, D Simounds, S Sobels, T Watson, S Frisby, T D Fitzgerald, M Scheepers

The 1st XI had a season to remember, winning all but two games. As usual the team started off as a group of talented individuals who shared a passion for the sport and a desire to win the ever illusive Intercol. Unlike in previous years, selections for the 1st XI were attended by boys from years eight to twelve, largely due to the preseason tour of China. Once the team had been selected it remained fairly consistent throughout the season with strong performances from all members.

Throughout the season we had a number of tough games against Pembroke, Saints and Blackfriars. Despite coming out of these games as winners we constantly had room for improvement and took most of the season to fulfill our potential. Our lead up to the Intercol saw us play Pembroke and Henley whom we defeated 6–1 and 6–0. With this good

preparation in addition to our undefeated record we knew we had a good chance to win the Intercol.

The Intercol match was a great game. The intensity that the crowd brought to the game saw both teams play undoubtedly their best hockey of the season resulting in an explosive performance all round. The opening minute set the tone of the game with a goal scored by Chris Brebner; Saints were quick to reply. At half time the score was 3–2 in favour of Saints. The second half saw our boys gain their composure and start to play to the game plan. This resulted in two early goals, putting us in front 5–3. From this point PAC took control of the game, we managed to maintain most of the possession which frustrated the Saints team causing them to resort to a more physical style of hockey. Subsequently six players, three from each team were sent off for various altercations. Having eight on each side made it nearly impossible to score and allowed us to run down the clock and secure victory.

The success that the First XI achieved throughout the season can be attributed to the coach, Bob Claxton.

Bob managed to bring the individual excellence together to create a fantastic team. This was the first win for the 1st XI under Bob Claxton who has been coaching since 2004 and has been unlucky not to have won more. I would also like to thank the teacher-in-charge of Hockey Mr Robin Parsons for his efforts throughout the season. This season has left a solid foundation for Hockey at PAC for years to come.

Alastair Michell, Captain of Hockey

2nd XI Hockey

Coach: Mr C Bowyer

N Pugh, H Schilg, P Toh, L Gatley, L Stranks, D Gabb, R Moore, C Comerford, T Boord, A Gabrovsek, N Robinson, S Clarkson, P Toh, J Davey, T Watson

The hockey season was a successful one for the 2nd XI. At the start of the year the boys struggled, but with great support from Mr Bowyer, the team was sculpted into fine tuned hockey players. The Seconds had many wins throughout the season and with only 3 losses, to Pembroke Firsts, Blackfriars, and Saint Peter's 1st XI. We held Saints First team to a 1 0 lead all game until 30 seconds left in the game they scored to make it a 2–0 loss. We won the intercol 2–0. It was a close game with no goals being scored in the first half, but with an inspirational talk from Mr Bowyer and the team came out fighting. The first goal coming from the stick of Henry Schlig, getting a through ball from Alex Gabrovsek, and deflecting it inside the circle getting the first score on the board for the reds. The second goal coming from Alex Gabrovsek, with scrappy conditions inside the circle, Alex came out clean and put the ball in the net, making the score 2 0. We had a great year of hockey, with special thanks to Mr Bowyer on his great effort for the team.

Nick Robinson and Alex Gabrovsek

3rd XI Hockey

Coach: Mr R Parsons

Team: A Walendy, J Nobbs, W Zogopoulos, B Wolfe, T Wilson, D Gabb, J Eddie, I Buxton, J Bray, M Kinnaird, E Myers

The 3rd XI hockey team had an all round great season, drawing most of our games meant that we learnt how to improve without the thought of defeat on our minds. This enabled Mr Parsons to introduce us to a new and improved way of playing hockey, coordinating many drills and exercises which helped our team improve immensely over the season. Out of all the games we had in the season we did win the most important one, we won the intercol against Saint Peters 2–1. We started the season as moderately skilled individuals in need of training and we finished the season as a highly skilled team of hockey players.

Alex Walendy, Captain

Year 8/9 Hockey

Coach: Mr A Buxton/ Mr A Antoniadis

Team: J Spano. B Brewerton, J Risby, H Riebolge, D Brown, M Brown, E Salagaras, H Kitto, H Fried, D Quirke, H Riebolge, T Fitzgerald, E Holmwood, M Scheepers, J Kolaroff, B Brewerton, I Cooper

The 2007 season was highly successful, with 8 wins from 10 games, including the intercol, in part because many team members participated in the pre-season China Hockey Tour. As a result 3 boys were selected in the 1st XI squad, gaining valuable experience at the top level. The remaining players had to accept greater responsibility, doing so willingly and successfully. When illness struck the team later in the season, sometimes reducing team numbers, even more pressure was placed on the players, who showed excellent determination and skill to fend off our opponents. Noteworthy performances throughout the season came from Michael and David Brown, Johnno Spano, James Risby, Blaire Brewerton and Daniel Quirke in goals. Players to improve significantly were Harry Riebolge, Elias Salagaras, Ian Cooper and Harry Fried. Special thanks to the players for supporting Mr Buxton and old scholar Anthony Antoniadis as coaches.

Andrew Buxton, Coach

Winter Sports

Soccer

1st XI Intercollegiate Soccer

Back Row L to R:
J J Courtidis, M C Soares, A C Bajcarz, P B Sauerwald, A C D Economos, O J Morgan, A C Dickson, J J M Cuzzocrea

Front Row L to R:
Mr R Bruford (Coach), J A Admiraal, L A Graham (Vice Captain), S N Sharley (Captain), G Vlassis (Vice-Captain), A J Palios, Mr B Butler (Assistant Coach)

Absent: B Chui, A Mitropoulos, W Katsambis

1st XI Soccer 2007

Coach: Mr Richard Bruford

Team: S Sharley (C), L Graham (Vice Captain),), G Vlassis (Vice Captain), J Courtidis, M Soares, A Bajcarz, P Sauerwald, A Economos, O Morgan, A Dickson, J Cuzzocrea, J Admiraal, A Palios, B Chui, A Mitropoulos, W Katsambis

The 2007 team had many talented players, having retained many members of last year's Intercol side. This, coupled with the willingness to learn and the dedication of the less experienced players ensured that the 2007 team would demand respect from opposition teams.

We were again guided by coach Richard Bruford, whose enthusiasm and professionalism has enhanced PAC's reputation in soccer and provided the basis for success.

The game against Saint Michael's is sure to be remembered as one of the best victories in PAC soccer history. Having been dominated by them in recent years, and having never recorded a victory against them ensured they were overwhelming favourites. The team played team style football, which was led from the back with Lewis Graham setting up this historical victory for PAC. Jumping to an early 2–nil lead, thanks to Peter Sauerwald and James Admiraal, Saint Michael's crept back into the game with two goals late in the second half. Having the pressure back on us and with only seconds left, James Admiraal ran onto a pass, scoring the winning goal!

We won 11 games and only lost 1 game in the regular season which was a great achievement. Scoring a massive 40 goals for the season, James Admiraal was our top goal scorer. Our strong defence only conceded 11 goals, due to the excellent skills of Andrew Dickson and Oliver Morgan.

This year was the first time a PAC soccer team advanced to the quarter finals of the State Cup, however we bowed out in extra time to Norwood Morialta.The 1–nil Intercol win on the PAC front oval will be remembered by the whole school, with best on ground, Monte Soares, leading the way.

This season has been full of achievement and highlights and will be recorded as the most successful PAC 1st XI Soccer Team in the school's history. As a reflection of the success and commitment, six players were awarded sports colours for Soccer in 2007, with three players being awarded honours colours.

Simon Sharley, Captain of Soccer

2nd XI Soccer

Coach: Mr Bruford

Team: E Pitts, B Chui, P James, S Pearce, N Tirrell, M Soares, O Morgan, D Ajak, P Peng, J Harkness, H Crawford, C Roy, A Economos, A Bajcarz, W Katsambis, R Kastsambis, H Ratcliff

2007 has been a challenging season for the PAC 2nd XI Soccer team, with some outstanding results against some quality schools. Of particular note was an 8–2 victory over Immanuel College and an enthralling game against Concordia where we won 2–nil. The team had many drawn games against teams such as St Paul's, Westminster and Scotch College. We usually played well in our matches and managed to create numerous chances, however we often found ourselves ruing missed opportunities where we were unable to finish off some promising moves. On the whole it was a good effort by the lads. We finished the season in disappointing fashion losing to Saints, where we didn't play to our full potential. Perhaps with a bit more training together the result could have been different.

Edward Pitts and Brian Chui

3rd XI Soccer

Coach: Mr Brett Selga

Team: S Pearce, N Tirrell, D Kerrigan, J Fyfe, T Blanch, A Kurup, S Kim, Y Kim, S Mugford, Z , H Ratcliff, E Hayter, H Smith, Z Cox

The 3rd's Soccer team had an average season, as we had problems fielding enough players. There were narrow losses with a few successful wins. Notable performances were against Pulteney where the team pulled off a magnificent 3–1 victory. Scorers on the day were Nicholas Tirrell, Peter Peng and Nathan Cao Sheng. Another good performance was against St Ignatius where we drew 2–2. We also narrowly lost 0–2 to Blackfriars with a great team performance from the boys. Our last game against Saint Peter's College was most probably our best team performance and game of the year with an unfortunate loss of 0–1. The odds were against us at the start as we had few numbers to make up a team along with the fact that the Saints team had around 24 players. Jacob Leak stepped up to the plate with a Ronaldho type performance for his first game ever. It was an unlucky penalty that scored the goal for Saints in the first five minutes. Unfortunately despite a big effort by the team, we were unable to score an equalising goal. Players of the game consisted of Nicholas Tirrell who almost scored several times and Sam Pearce who almost took on every Saints player on the field with unbelievable talent before laying the ball off for a superb cross which was retrieved by the head of a Princes boy narrowly missing the goals.

Sam Pearce, Captain

Year 10 Soccer

Coach: Mr Gavin Marcus

Z Jackman, C Pye, J Eske, L Paschburg, P Tridente, S Louch, S Pallotta, J Squires, S Park, A Kwon, A Fuller-Zhu, H Willson, J Kwong, H Law

The team enjoyed a very successful season, being undefeated for the first time. Working well as a team, we beat Pembroke 9–0, CBC 6–1 and even came back from a goal down with two minutes remaining against St Michaels to win 3–2. In the final game of the season, the intercollegiate match against St Peter's, we conceded a goal in the early minutes of the game. We then equalised in the first minute with Sopheak Louch scoring a magnificent goal. Jonathan Eske was the 'rock' in defence all year, winning the Junior Player of the Year Award.

Thankyou to Mr Marcus on coaching the team for the season with encouragement and enthusiasm and also Mr Dell'Oro for co-ordinating soccer at PAC and the parents who came out to support us.

Philip Tridente, Captain

Year 9A Soccer

Coach: Mr Joe Gugliotta

J van Dissel, D Albanese, D Soang, J Hood (C), E Greeves, T Smith (V-C), M Thompson, J Moss, A Russo, R Gale, J Gugliotta, O Yang, O Dell, A Milton, R Riedig, C Lee, J Hunter, W Pitts

At the beginning of this season we welcomed several new players to the squad. It took several matches for each player to find a position that suited them, but once we did, we started to play some great games. The score line grew narrower each week as the team's skills progressed. Some stand out performances this year included Dominic Albanese at sweeper, Aaron Russo in midfield and Jonothan Van Dissell performed consistently in goals.

The entire team's thanks goes to Joe Gugliotta for coaching us and believing in each and every member of the squad again this season, Geoff Greeves who ran an extra training for the boys on Monday afternoons and the parents for transport and encouragement each week.

John Hood, Captain

Year 8 Soccer

Coach: Mr J Cross

A Ling, N Admiraal, J Hill, J Duncanson, L Campbell, T Johns, S McFarlane, N Pollock, N White Forrest, J Elix, C Russo, L Chapman, J Hall, A Lau, M Richards, M Eskander, N Picone, A Cooper, A Harris, M Hu, C Lee, N Wilkins, H Martin

The team has developed dramatically over the year and have got to know each other really well. Everybody has improved on their skills, teamwork and knowledge of soccer. Thanks should go to Mr Cross who gladly volunteered to coach us. Also all of the parents for bringing all the players out to matches and functions and especially those who helped set up pitches and ran the lines. And lastly to Mr Dell 'Oro for giving us the opportunity of having a team and for having a great time!

John Hall, Captain

Table Tennis

Open A
Table Tennis

Back Row L to R:
M B Shroff, V Wu, D Tsang, J Foo

Front Row L to R: H Lau, S J Lehman, Mr A McCauley (Coach), V Cheung (Captain), L Chu

The 2007 Open Table Tennis team saw extraordinary improvements throughout the season. After losing several outstanding players last year, the team struggled to come back together in the first half of the season. However, under the skills training of our coach, Mr Andrew McCauley, the team soon came together as one.

Having lost several games in the first half of the season, the team was determined to strike back in the second half. Every player showed enthusiasm by consistently attending trainings. As a result, each player's fitness and skill level improved. The team also gained the ability to work together. Strong friendships were made, and especially so in the presence of Tom Wu's witty communication skills. Of particular note were Hubert Law and Lester Chu, who were our best doubles pair, followed by the star performances of Desmond Pun and Alan Zhou.

The Foo brothers, Jonathan and Daniel, demonstrated awesome all-round skills and were the backbone to the team's success. All players had their own area of expertise. Everyone, except for Sam Lehman and Daniel Tsang, feared Lancer Chen's awe-inspiring smash. They were the team's most consistent players. Knowing this, it was always difficult to decide the playing order each week. The most passionate player in 2007 with a sharp backhand was none other than Meherzad Shroff.

Special thanks go to the tireless effort given by Mr Andrew McCauley, Mrs McCauley, Mr Kracht, Vijay Hillier and Henry Chu Wong for organising or leading teams to their sporting venues each week during the season.

Vincent Cheung, Captain of Table Tennis

Year 8 & 9 Table Tennis

The 2007 Table Tennis season provided opportunities for boys to develop teamwork skills, to build new friendships and to improve their skill in playing the sport. After 12 intense and successful rounds of the tournament with other schools around Adelaide, boys were able to apply their skills against other students around their age.

This year, there was a mix of both Year 8s and 9s in the team so the younger boys could learn from the older, more experienced boys. The mix of boys also established new friendships between boys from different year levels.

Despite some losses, this was an extremely successful season for Year 8/9 Table Tennis. In both the rounds against St Ignatius College and Norwood Morialta High School, Princes emerged victorious winning 10 out of the 12 games played.

The match all boys considered to be the most significant and crucial was the Intercol against Saints. Being the last match of the season, boys were determined to put all their effort into the game which resulted in some very close scores in every game played. Princes lost to Saints in the amount of games won but we ended up with more points than Saints. Pleased with the results, boys ended the season on a high note.

Without the consistent, dedicated organisation and management of Mr McLaughlin, the team could not have been possible. All boys look forward to another, if not a more successful table tennis season next year.

Albert Wu

Winter Sports

Rugby

1st XV Rugby

Back Row L to R:
C P Schultz, T W Heng,
J J Trinne, A Verlato

Middle Row L to R:
T M B Ware,
N C Stamatelopoulos,
H S Lee, N B Stevens,
M J Butler, G Rice, C T Pang,
L O Wood, Mr B C Muzik
(Teacher in Charge)

Front Row L to R:
A J Noble, J W Carter,
L N Cooney, A J McLeod
(Vice-Captain),
Mr D G Murray (Coach),
E G Lucas (Captain),
T B Sullivan (Vice-Captain),
W A Noble, A S T F Carlson

Absent: H T Hsieh,
A F Raslan

Coach: Mr Don Murray

Team: E Lucas (C), A McLeod (VC), T Sullivan (VC), C Schultz, T Heng, J Trinne, A Verlato, T Ware, N Stamatelopoulos, H Lee, N Stevens, M Butler, G Rice, C Pang, L Wood, A Noble, J Carter, L Cooney, W Noble, A Carlson, H Hsieh, A Raslan

We began the season with trepidation as the team was very inexperienced after a year without a school team. While the team did not utilise the preseason trainings as effectively as we could have, as the season approached we all began to focus and realise what was ahead. We trained hard to learn the basics and gain some knowledge of the sport.

Our first game was against Pembroke, the strongest team in the competition. Running onto the field and looking at the huge Pembroke team was intimidating: the sheer strength and determination to dominate us on the field was evident. After this match we lacked confidence but this changed when we met Westminster and had our first taste of victory. Unfortunately our first confrontation with St Peter's was very disappointing; Saints destroying our confidence with a convincing win.

Before the Intercol we managed 3 wins from 8 games for the season. Despite poor attendance at trainings initially, as the Intercol approached the team used every opportunity to prepare ourselves for the match. The Intercol was hard fought and contested extremely well, and we achieved our best result against Saints all year. All players played well and deserved their awards: Tom Sullivan received best on ground for Intercol and best back for the season, Alfie Carlson received best and fairest and Alex McLeod was awarded best forward.

Edward Lucas, Captain of Rugby

Lacrosse

Coach: Mr Daren Potts

Team: O Broadbridge (Captain), K Sandow (Vice-Captain), H Perks, M Selway, W Selway, J Silverblade, N Kinnaird, L Campbell, T Cocks, T Watson, K Seibels, A Dawson, G Jeffery

Prince Alfred College Lacrosse has come a long way since I began in 2005. The summer school competition has grown this year from just Prince Alfred College and Adelaide High, to where there will be 8 teams competing. Kieran and I were both selected to represent South Australia in National tournaments, U17s and U19s respectively. We also entered a team in the boys Under 17s championships this winter, where we had a few close games against some of the top clubs in the state. A big highlight of this competition was some very good signs of improvement and leadership from some of the younger and less experienced players. Overall, Lacrosse at Prince Alfred College has grown vastly and we are building a name for ourselves as one of the top school teams in the state.

Oliver Broadbridge, Captain of Lacrosse

2007 Lacrosse Team

Back Row L to R: K P H Siebels, G C H Jeffrey

Middle Row L to R: A L Dawson, T R Watson, J F Silverblade, N R Kinnaird, R L Campbell, W M Selway

Front Row L to R: M R Selway, K M Sandow (Vice-Captain), Mr D Potts (Coach), O T Broadbridge (Captain), T C Cocks

Squash

Underage 3rd Squash

Year 8 Squash

Division 1 Squash

Back Row L to R:
Dr J R Flatt (Teacher in Charge), Mrs C A May (Coach)

Front Row L to R:
M Bolzon, A J Collins, W A Gray (Captain), M J Butler

Division 3 Squash

L to R: E J Young, M V Brown, D J Brown, Dr J R Flatt, (Coach)

Absent: S A Day, M A Gillespie

Year 8 Squash

L to R: Mrs V Jenson, T W P Gardner, J R Rowe, M J Henry, S A Eddy

Squash in 2007 saw a changing of the guard, with a newly appointed leadership team of Squash Co-ordinator Dr Jim Flatt, Captain Will Gray and Vice-Captain Adam Collins taking charge. Fortunately, Prince Alfred College could still rely on Mrs Viv Jenson, and a great many players whom she has trained over the years. This combination led to an improvement in the results, attendances and attitudes of the players.

Division 1

Team: W Gray (1), M Bolzon (2), M Butler (3), A Collins (4)

The 'firsts' had an exceptional season, with the team losing only twice, to their eventual Grand Final conquerors Blackfriars. However, the team enjoyed two convincing victories over St Peter's, winning 3:1 on both occasions. Thanks also must go to Will Gray and Adam Collins for their coaching of players.

Division 2

Team 1: C Pang (1), C Wasow (2), E Wasow (3), G Jeffrey (4)
Team 2: T Cocks (1), T Teague (2), M Sallis (3), A Papadopoulos (4)

This year, a junior team containing our then two best players from Year 10 and two others was placed in order to further enhance their development. This was a great success, with the Year 10s defeating their senior counterparts in the Semi Final before losing the Grand Final to Marryatville, whose Number 1 is a top ranked state junior female. Special thanks to Nick Dorsch and Nick Kinnaird for their appearances for the above teams.

Division 3

Team 1: D Humphray (1), P Peng (2), L Campbell (3), A White (4), S Jacob (5)
Team 2: S Day (1), M Brown (2), E Young (3), M Gillespie (4), D Brown (5)

Our Division 3 entries consisted of a senior team and a junior Year 9 team after an executive order from Squash SA, and as a challenge, we threw a Year 9 team of talented sportsman, but rank Squash-beginners, in the deep end. Their endeavour and commitment was exceptional. These two teams played off in the Grand Final, our juniors proving triumphant, winning a closely fought, but well deserved, games victory.

Year 10

Team 1: J Russell (1), A Sivam (2), T Moschou (3), W Bickley (4)
Team 2: J Agutter (1), M Burford (2), T Cordingley (3), J Amos (4)
Team 3: M Pascoe (1), K Siebels (2), S Barnett (3), R Pratt (4)

The Year 10s struggled this year, which can be partly attributed to the loss of Year 10 talent to Division 2, and also to a lack of commitment from some Year 10 players. Talent alone is not a recipe for success, and the stagnation of some players evidenced this.

Year 9

Team 1: D Piper (1), J Morelli (2), M Barnett (3), R Bethune (4)
Team 2: A Milton (1), O Yang (2), D Soang (3), D Nguyen (4)
Team 3: Y Tan (1), Y Ly (2), M Riceman (3), C Norsworthy (4)
Team 4: R Gale (1), A Russo (2), J Gugliotta (3), A Jin (4)

The Year 9s were the most committed of all junior divisions, and it was a pleasure to coach them, and watch their considerable development. Teams 2 and 3 made the finals, with both losing to eventual Grand Final champions. Team 3, the grand finalist, were gallant in defeat going down 2-2, 7-5.

Year 8

Team 1: J Pearce (1), B Stowe (2), H Martin (3), L Panas (4), M Eksander (5)
Team 2: J Hall (1), J Hill (2), D Clements (3), N White Forrest (4), A Harris (5)
Team 3: M Henry (1), J Rowe (2), S Eddy (3), T Gardner (4)

These boys developed remarkably, keen to take advice and responded well to technique changes. All 3 teams made the semi finals, and the Grand Final success of Team 3 over Blackfriars was an exceptional effort. Special mention to John Hall, who was undefeated.

Thanks again to all players for a great season and to Adam Collins, whose efforts as my Vice-Captain have taken a huge load off my back. Special mention to our sensational coaching staff: Mrs May, Mr Urban, Dr Flatt, Mr Parrish, Ms Melino and Mrs Jenson. Your contribution and dedication over the season was thoroughly appreciated.

Will Gray, Captain of Squash

International Students

I began my study at PAC with fear and confusion. Fortunately, I have a nice Australian roommate. Todd is very helpful and hospitable. With his help, my oral English has improved dramatically. Life in the Boarding House is very pleasant and well organised. Everyone gets on very well whether they are Australian or overseas students. I have learned a lot of interesting Australian slang which helps to express my feelings. The people here are as warm and as happy as their slang.

Alan Zhou

At the end of Term 2, every Year 10 went on Peak Adventure. There were 6 choices, including cycling, White water rafting, bushwalking, surfing, scuba diving, skiing, and rock climbing. I chose to go bush walking. It was really hardcore bush walking. When we walking we could see such great views, it made me very happy. Even though bush walking was really hard, it wasn't a bad choice.

Alex Kwon

Australia is a multicultural country, so Australians will welcome you. Most of the Adelaide people are very cheeky. I think you will laugh a lot every day. In school, you will easily meet a lot of nice and helpful friends and teachers. I'm sure that you will join in and learn English very quickly. You can learn art and music PAC. If you have any spare time you can play sport. You have to build muscles for playing sport here because most of Australians play sport and think it is important.

Calvin Wu

The Australian boys are friendly. If I am stuck on a question in class, they will help me. I am in the table tennis team this year. I am training very hard and I hope I can help to win the Intercols this year. The Intercols are competitions between our school and another.

Desmond Pun

The weather in Adelaide is better than the weather in Taiwan. Here winters are very good. You know I don't like hot weather. Even though summers in Adelaide are hot, it's a different kind of 'hot' to Taiwan's. The weather in Taiwan is very humid so it's very uncomfortable, but Adelaide's summer is a dry heat, so it's better.

Huan Tsai Hsieh

Adelaide is a small city in Australia. It is a good place to study. I chose Prince Alfred College (PAC) to be my school.

I only have three subjects this year, because the Headmaster wanted me to improve my English first and then work hard in Years 11 and 12. The teachers at PAC are very kind to students. If you have any problem in your subject, the teacher will always help.

Hubert Law

There are always a lot of activities in class. For example, I've been to Glenelg on one of our excursions. That's the most beautiful beach that I've seen! Last term, all Year 10 students went on Peak Adventure Program. I went diving in the ocean. I saw many fish under the sea and learned to dive perfectly! That was really a great experience!

Jimmy Leung

G'day, mate! This is what you say in Australia when you meet someone. When I first arrived in Adelaide the sky was really beautiful. It was hot, but there were so many flies around the city in the summer. I was surprised to see all the shops close at 5 o'clock at night. It was so early, because I used to enjoy shopping at night.

Sung Park

Year 8

Mr Paul Balestrin

I have attended Princes since Year 7 and there and have been various changes that have occurred following my move from the Preparatory School. These include moving between modules to different teachers and classrooms, instead of having one room with one teacher for the majority of our lessons. I think that this change has been a great highlight of Year 8 because it gives you a little break from subject to subject instead of having them all joined together. Another change that I think has improved my time in Year 8 is the individual locker setout. I like this because you have your own space to keep your books; bags etc. and store them there overnight. Overall there have been many changes from Year 7 to Year 8, but all of these changes have been for the better.

Nick Pollock, 8 GBA

This year the '8 Marshall' tutor group have had a great time in pastoral care. I do not think any of us could pick the best activity out of all that we have done, from the leap of faith 5 metres above the ground, to cooking marshmallows in a camp fire, to capsizing kayaks, to our very own Archibald Prize with photographs instead of portraits.

Ms Emma Marshall, our tutor for the first part of the year, did everything she could to help us settle in to life at Prince Alfred College and get to know our classmates. We started the year with a camp at Hindmarsh Island where we went surfing and got to know each other. After Ms Marshall left our new tutor was Mrs Melody Marshall (coincidence or conspiracy?) who has made our lives at school something to look forward to. She has since organised a photography competition, a 'guardian angel' program, and a weekly virtue task.

The photography competition was organised into 3 categories, people, nature and objects. There was a prize for each category and also a people's choice prize where members of the class could pick their favourite. To help us get to know each other even more, we made autobiographical posters which had our past, present and future goals on them. Overall we have had a great year in pastoral care and can not wait for the Extended Stay Program next year.

Morgan Price, 8 MMA

No-one expected the beginning of high school to be as exciting as it was with Mrs Longo. The first term of our first year in the Secondary School was packed with much learning and great activities. At the start of the term we went on a camp to Goolwa where we all made new friendships and developed existing ones. At the end of the camp everyone returned to school extremely friendly with each other and getting along very well. By the end of Term 1 we were completely settled into the senior school and loving every new and exciting challenge.

The class of 8 Longo was ready for the rest of the year, now knowing what to expect in the senior school. Term 1 really helped to prepare and set the stage for the rest of the year. Everyone tried harder in pursuit of higher effort and academic grades. Mrs Longo was resourceful with all aspects of high school and was always there for us. With all of the challenges we have faced, we learned how far we can go and Year 8 has certainly prepared us well for the rest of our schooling at Princes.

Hugo Martin and Nicholas Wilkins, 8 FLO

It has been an interesting year in 8PBU. We have had some exciting adventures in our first year in the Senior School and indeed some students first year at Prince Alfred College. Our class has been a lively, enjoyable yet sometimes talkative bunch of boys, but we have all got through the school year fine. In Term 1 our first camp was a fantastic experience, we did almost everything there was to do on a camp around Hindmarsh Island, the highlight being learning to surf.

There were some memorable performances from boys in our class in the Swimming Carnival, namely Nathan Siebel who amazingly made the Champion of Champions race! The next big event on our agenda was the Scotts Creek Camp. This was fantastic; we rowed down the river for a full day and spent two nights at a camp ground learning to kayak and canoe. We had to take and cook our own meals and this was an awesome experience for all of us as we learned to live tough for a couple of nights. Looking back we all had a good laugh.

After this camp we have had a quieter year, until Sports Day which was enjoyed by everyone involved. All in all it has been a great transition into the senior school. We will all surely be prepared for Year 9 and later years.

Ben Young, 8 PBU

Year 9

Mr Phil McLaughlin

A student's viewpoint

An interesting and amazing year has all but ended.

It has passed in a blink of an eye, yet everyone in the year has changed significantly.

The Extended Stay Program was the highlight of the year, but it is only one element in shaping our education and growth.

Every day, we have learnt new things in our classrooms. All of us have made excellent achievements through extra curricular activities — on the sports field, in a band, debating, playing chess or performing in a drama production.

Throughout the year our teachers have guided us in our learning, allowing us to achieve our potential. The annual athletics carnival and swimming carnival allowed boys to participate and support their respective House.

Year 9 has been an enjoyable year, one that each boy will not forget.

Owen Yang, 9 Freesmith Tutor Group

Year 9 has been an interesting year. The Extended Stay Program and the Personal Best Project were the definite highlights of the year.

The academic subjects were interesting and a challenge for all the students. Some highlights from various subjects were:

- The advertising unit in English
- The natural disasters unit in Geography
- The circulatory system in Science
- The algebra unit in Mathematics
- The Hockey unit in PE

Year 9 was a thoroughly enjoyable year.

David Piper, 9 Freesmith Tutor Group

Year 9 has been a very eventful year.

Some of the highlights have been the swimming carnival, sports day, various social activities including the St Peter's Girl's activity afternoon and of course the Extended Stay Program. The ESP was a new and exciting experience for all of the boys in our group. The highlight was the 174 km bicycle ride, adjusting to cabin life and looking after ourselves. Everyone

returned home with new skills and a changed view on life.

The Personal Best Project has been rewarding and has engaged most of the students throughout the year.

The year has been a successful one for all of us.

Jeremy Agnew, Patrick Kirwan, Iain Cooper, 9 Melino Tutor Group

House Report

Cotton

Cotton House Leaders 2007
L to R: J A Clarnette, S J Fincher, J M Venning, Mr S J Jordan, W A Gray (Captain), T C Cordingley, J A Risby

2007 has seen the beginning of a rebuilding stage for Cotton House and, even with our lack of success in the sporting arena; Cotton boys have continued to be the most vocal and the most committed. Mr Jordan and I were proud to note that, at Athletics Day, Cotton boys filled more lanes than any other House. In other parts of the school, Cotton has been extremely successful with numerous boys receiving an award at the biannual Colours Assembly, with Alex McLeod, Callum Brewerton and Will Gray receiving Honours Colours, the highest sporting accolade, for Rugby, Swimming and Squash respectively. Also worthy of notice is that, for the third straight year, the School Captain, Chris Harry, and Vice-Captain, Brian Chui, are from Cotton, a significant achievement for the House, and once again the leadership from our boys has been superb.

This year saw a change in the leadership of Cotton once again, with Mr Williams' brief but successful reign coming to a close. Mr Jordan, an Old Red, assumed the role of Head of Cotton, ably assisted (I hope) by his leadership team of Will

Gray, as Captain, and Harry Perks, as Vice-Captain. Though we struggled in the Wesley Cup and associated events, there was an indubitable increase in effort and spirit from last year, a key aim of this year's leadership team and one which Cotton intends to build on.

The Swimming Carnival, though disappointing in the result, was notable for impressive achievements by many Cotton boys. Special mention must go to the Brewerton's: Callum and Blaire, who continued their family's brilliant history of success in the event.

The House activities during the year have been almost dichotomous in nature, with some superb efforts and commitment and some disappointing efforts. The highlight

Cotton House

was Cotton's shared victory in the 3 on 3 basketball competition with Watsford, however we recorded 3 forfeits after not presenting a team; a draw or victory would have ensured a win for Cotton in that event. We struggled in the remaining 3 events, however notably our attendance and commitment improved, unfortunately for us, so did that of the other Houses.

House Meetings have initiated a more relaxed, informal approach and the boys have naturally responded as such. A band of Cotton members, peer group activities and 10–12 sporting activities were all greeted with genuine approval.

There are numerous people who are owed a very sincere thanks: The Cotton Tutors — Richard Bruford, Tabitha Clune, Gavin Marcus, Peter Williams, Viv Jenson and Nick Joy — are a fantastic group of mentors for the boys to have. Tutors play a significant, and often understated, role in the boys' time at the school and their importance to Cotton should never be held in low esteem. Mr Jordan, in his inaugural year leading the House has proved to be a passionate, committed leader and his involved, enthusiastic style has expeditiously endeared him to the Cotton lads. Lastly, I owe a great deal of gratitude to my Vice-Captain, Harry Perks, for his work throughout the year, and also to our Year Level Leaders: Jeremy Pearce and Jock Clarnette (Year 8), James Risby (Year 9), Travis Cordingley (Year 10), James Venning (Year 11) and Stuart Fincher (Year 12); these boys have all taken their increased responsibility in their stride and performed adroitly in leadership situations perhaps unfamiliar to them.

Lastly, I wish to extend my sincere congratulations to Cotton boys elected to important positions in 2008. Firstly, Cotton Prefects: Sam Schuler, Lachlan Stranks and Hiran Lecamwasam; also, the Cotton Captaincy Team for the next 12 months will be James Venning as Captain, Llewellyn Wood as Vice-Captain and Alex McLeod as Year 12 Leader. All of these boys are outstanding young men and thoroughly deserve their selection in their respective roles.

Thanks to everyone involved in Cotton House for the past year. I wish all my contemporaries the best of luck in their exams and beyond, and those remaining with us continuing success and happiness both within the school and outside of it. It has been an absolute pleasure to work with such fine young men.

Will Gray, Captain of Cotton

House Report

Taylor

Taylor House Leaders 2007
L to R: J B Tidswell, A D Young, J N Charatsis, L A Graham (Captain), Mr S F J Reidy, T B Sullivan (Vice-Captain), H D Warnecke, W N Katsambis

Taylor House this year established itself as one of the more dominant Houses. While not necessarily being one of the most talented Houses, Taylor has showed character with consistent high participation rates in all areas of the school competition.

The year started with a bang as Taylor burst out of the blocks with a convincing 83 point win at the traditional swimming carnival. It was not talent that ensured victory but participation. While there were some stand out performances from boys such as Nicholas Kinnaird, Alex Gabrovsek, Alistair Young, Owen Yang and Ben Young, it was ultimately the boys' willingness to participate that got us over the line. Taylor taking it out for the second year it was one of my personal highlights of the year. As the first term rolled on we had many successful house meetings with fun had by all through activities such as dodge ball, quizzes and the legendary year level Olympics. These meetings helped in both building house spirit as well as giving the older boys a chance to interact with the younger boys.

As the second term approached Taylor ensured its dominance of the Wesley Cup with encouraging performances in both the Basketball competition and the Effort Awards. It was also Taylor's turn to host an Assembly and with much help from Mr Steer, Mr Parsons and Mr Reidy we had an all star line up organised in no time. The focus of the assembly was the pressures we all face as students. The presentation from a variety of speakers such as Nick Riddell was highly relevant to things we all face at school as well as being mildly humorous. The assembly was capped off with a piece of comic genius from Jonathon Courtidis and Jonathon Charatsis that had everyone present in hysterics.

The second term also held host to many House Competitions and yet again Taylor performed well in competitions such as Volleyball with participation again being key, although we came a narrow second due to some last minute cheating from the other Houses. Effort Awards were again encouraging and Taylor cemented itself as a frontrunner for the Wesley Cup.

Term 3 held arguably the most important event of the year, the Athletics Carnival. Taylor knew that a win in the Carnival would put us into box seat for the Wesley House Cup. The day started with Waterhouse jumping out to an

Taylor House

early lead, which they maintained for most of the day. Despite many boys such as Mathew Claxton, Jason Schell, Jack Stephens, Winston Luu, Matthew Henry, Jack Tidswell, Ben Young and Tom Teague all dominating their pet events as well as another high rate of participation in most year levels we went down to both Watsford and Waterhouse to finish third. Although there was a large feeling of disappointment in the house all the boys enjoyed the day thoroughly.

Mixed results in the House Competition did not help Taylor in its standings. A resounding first in Iron Man was encouraging. However, a disappointing fourth in Touch Football put Taylor out of contention for the cup.

Term 4, a short term for the Year 12 students, started again with encouraging Effort Award results from the students. Although all competitions were completed the House spirit continued to shine through both in the locker room and generally in the way the boys communicated with each other. The term culminated for the Year 12s and me on Tuesday of the second week of term, with the House farewelling them. Stirring speeches from Mr Reidy (in Mr Parsons' absence) and Mr Steer ensured that all boys were reminded of the unique role each has played in the House. Whether it was the comedy stylings of Nick Riddell or the outstanding sport performances from the likes of Simon Frisby each boy was reminded that they were an integral part of a great House and that their legacy would live on. I found this event incredibly humbling and think it is a tradition that will continue well into the House's future.

This year has been a very encouraging one for Taylor House. We have seen many characters lighten the locker rooms in the morning, many boys achieve incredibly well academically and resounding sporting performances. Taylor House is a House of family and although mischief is often rife it is always in good spirit. Next year promises to be another rewarding year and by building on this year's successes I am sure the Wesley Cup can be snared.

I would like to thank all the Tutors, Year Level Captains and the boys for the effort they put into the House each and everyday. Also Mr Reidy who, as well as being one of the best teachers

at relating to the boys, is also one of the most genuine and compassionate people I have ever met. In the way he learns the name of every student in the House and never misses the chance to encourage or congratulate someone on what they are doing, his leadership is truly the heart and soul of Taylor House.

I would like to wish Harry Murdoch (House Captain) and Jason Schell (Vice-Captain) all the best for next year. On a personal level I wish to thank Tom Sullivan, my Vice-Captain, and all the teachers I have been involved with for their unwavering support and commitment. I have greatly enjoyed the chance to be Taylor House Captain and I wish all the boys a great 2008 and am sure that the Wesley Cup will be sitting in Mr Reidy's office at the conclusion of it.

Lewis Graham, Captain of Taylor

House Report

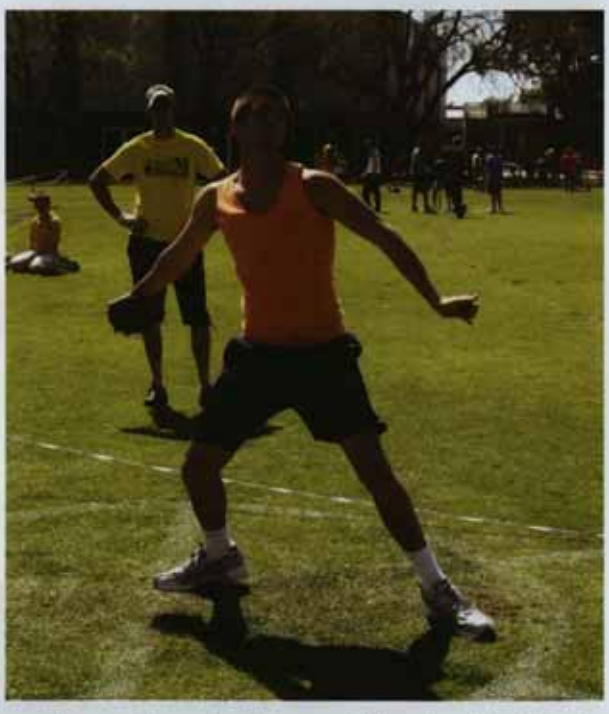
Watsford

Watsford House Leaders 2007

L to R: W J E Turner, J W Van Hoof, E G Lucas (Vice-Captain), Mr S Parker, J D Byers (Captain), J Amos, M A Rohde

In 2007, Watsford House has experienced its greatest success since its creation in 2004, not just because we won the Athletics Carnival and Wesley Cup, but because Watsford has found its true identity and spirit. Before we even began thinking about what lay ahead for us throughout the year, we planned out meticulously the direction in which we wanted Watsford to travel. We decided on trying to create a culture in which all Watsford members felt proud about themselves and participating for the house.

Unfortunately at the beginning of the year, Watsford was without its greatest supporter and leader in Mr Parker, through ill health. Stepping up to the plate was Mrs Jenson (ex Head of Cotton House) who put aside her loyalties to Cotton and gave myself and Ed Lucas the greatest support anyone could ask for. She fitted straight into the House and led us to the Swimming Carnival full of House spirit. Unfortunately we did not achieve the best result, coming third. However, we did go away knowing that we had a lot of potential and many great boys willing to participate. A special



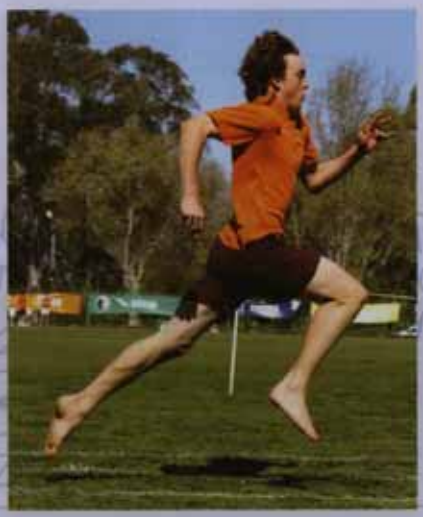
mention must be made of Cameron Wong from Year 10, who won his year level.

When Mr Parker returned in Term 2, he was very pleased on how the House had been performing. Many thanks need to go to Mrs Jenson, for lending her support throughout first term and setting up what was to be a great year for Watsford. The House went from strength to strength on Mr Parker's return and shone brilliantly through the majority of Inter-House events. Watsford won the Volleyball and the Basketball respectively and came runners up in the Iron Man Challenge. These results are due to the boys turning up to each event ready to participate to their best. Sports Day was a wonderful day for Watsford. The winner of Sports Day is never the best athletic House, but the House that has every position filled. Coming into the day Watsford was already

Watsford House

down 160 points due to the long distance events held the day prior. All the boys worked extremely hard throughout the day and through their efforts we managed to claw our way back into contention. It all came down to the final event, the relays. With solid performances from Years 10, 11 and 12 we managed to take home the Relay Shield and seal Watsford's first ever Sports Day victory by 3 points. There were many great individual efforts throughout the day but I would like to focus on the house as a whole, for every point gained made the victory possible, so thank you to all the boys who participated.

The number of Headmaster's Effort Awards each term shows the level of commitment made to the student's academic studies. Throughout the year Watsford has primarily come first in the Effort Awards, showing the dedication our boys make to their schooling lives. All of the points gained from Effort Awards, Swimming Carnival, Sports Day and Inter-House Competitions go towards the Wesley Cup. Through the overall grit and determination of every boy who helped in our performances, I am very proud to say that Watsford has won the Wesley Cup for the very first time.



On an individual level, many Watsford boys participated in the Intercols through the Summer and Winter Sports. Jack Harford (Captain), Josh Orken and Sam Day took part in the Basketball Intercol. James Byers (Captain), James Van Hoof, Sam Pittman, Max Clarke, Aaron Watson and Ben Cody all played vital roles in the outstanding victory over Saints on their own oval. Nick Brazzale, Chris Brebner, Will and Matt Selway all took part in the demolition of Saints. Many other boys also participated in Summer Intercols and Athletic Carnivals. My congratulations to all of these boys.

I would like to wish the best of luck to Callum Roy and Ollie Brecht in their new positions as Captain and Vice-Captain of Watsford. And I am certain that they will maintain the Watsford tradition and continue its success into 2008. I wish the very best to the boys returning to Princes next year and encourage all of you to maintain a high standard for the house and for the school. To all the Year 12s leaving the House I would like to thank you for your commitment to Watsford, especially Vice-Captain Ed Lucas, Year Level Leader Will Turner and supporting member James Lambert who made my job a lot easier. I wish all school leavers well in their chosen lives outside of school and hope that you continue to support the House and school as an Old Scholar. A finishing quote from Pam Brown explains the Watsford spirit. "A horse is the projection of peoples' dreams about themselves – strong, powerful, beautiful – and it has the capability of giving us escape from our mundane existence. Ride high the Stallion."

James Byers, Captain of Watsford House

House Report

Waterhouse

Waterhouse Leaders 2007

L to R: D J Brown, N C Siebel, H R Ratcliff (Vice-Captain), J A Admiraal (Captain), Ms E Morelli, J Stoyanoff, T A Barnes, T H Welsby

After receiving the honour of becoming House Captain of Waterhouse for 2007, I immediately decided that I wanted to focus on the participation amongst the boys in the House. In order to achieve this goal I had to encourage everyone to have a go at any event on Sports Day, Swimming Carnival or lunch time activities, whether or not it was their specialty. When it came to such events, it was this team approach that brought us that bit closer to taking out the Wesley Cup.

Waterhouse's spirit was seen early in the year when all the Houses met for the first Interhouse sports competition, the Swimming Carnival. With the likes of Nathan Siebel in Year 8 and Jonathon Spano in Year 9, Waterhouse looks promising for the future. Nathan Siebel also represented Waterhouse in the Champion of Champions event. Unfortunately, despite the boys' fantastic efforts throughout the day it was just not enough to get us in first position. To our credit, we came in second. Everyone really got involved, proudly wearing their yellow headbands in a show of true House spirit and support.

The next main event for the year was the Athletics Carnival where there was great competition between all Houses. Great contributions were made by Nick Admiraal, Alexander Buckby (U13 Runner up), Henry Olsson, David Piper, Jack Tonkin, Jack Kelly, Brandon Kerin, Lucas Lovell, Matt Sallis, Craig Pitt, Jarrod Buckley, Jack Trengove, Nick Whetstone, Simon Sharley

and Nathan Daniel. The whole house must be commended on having every lane filled for every event and showing spirit all day. Unfortunately, due to a disqualification, we did not win the Interhouse Cup but came in second. Congratulations to the entire House on a fantastic day and I am sure that the boys next year will be eager to take Sports Day after losing by such a small margin.

Throughout the year, the Waterhouse members served their House well, participating in House lunch activities and doing extremely well with their effort scores. This enabled us to come second overall in the Wesley Cup competition. As

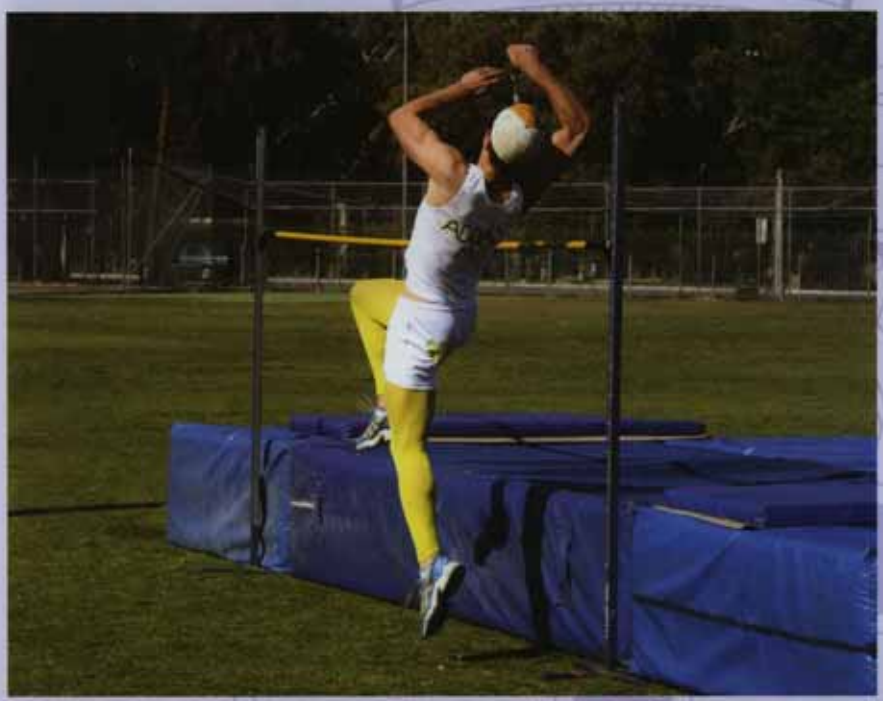
Waterhouse House

well, our House Assemblies and Chapel Assemblies, prepared and presented by the students, demonstrated the cohesion, independence, and range of cultural diversity within the House.

One of the highlights this year was the efforts of 11CBO in raising funds for the Leukaemia Foundation. A "Cash for Tash" was organised where the entire school witnessed a 'shave-off' of Mr Kracht's and Mr Reidy's facial hair. Well done to Mr Bowyer's group and a big thank you to all who contributed to this worthy cause.

Waterhouse has managed to excel in many areas this year – in the academics, in sports and in artistic activities. It is a House comprised of many talented individuals. However my memory will be of belonging to a team.

I would like to thank Harold Ratcliff, Vice-Captain of Waterhouse, for helping



me throughout the year and to all the Year Leaders, Nathan Siebel, Jonathan Spano, Tom Welsby, Tom Barnes and Justin Stoyanoff. None of the events could happen without the help from these boys. I would also like to extend a huge thank you to Ms Morelli on behalf of the House for her tireless efforts in what has been a great year.

James Admiraal, Captain of Waterhouse

House Report

Rushton

Rushton House Leaders 2007

Back Row

L to R: D P Vandepeer, J J Orken, J G Prest, G C H Jeffrey

Middle Row

L to R: Mr C L Nicholls, W J Heaslip, A C Watson, A W Franklin, A Lau

Seated

L to R: Mr P L Hopkins, E M Monfries, J L Z Barker Gale, J M Bailey, Mr S A W R Cheesman

The year 2007 has once again seen Boarders excel in all aspects of social, academic and sports life. The Swimming Carnival was the first major sporting event on the Boarding House calendar, and despite many Boarders lacking the seemingly natural ability to swim all who were entered in races performed above and beyond what was expected of them. Congratulations to Nick Kinnaird, who was runner-up for his age group.

Once again the Boarders played a pivotal role in the sports life at Prince Alfred College with close to one-third of the Boarders involved in an elite sporting team. During the summer sporting months, Sam Schuler, Josh Gregg and Will Hugo represented the Boarders in the Drive Tennis Team; Heng Tseng Wen dominated the Badminton Intercol and Sam Gunning, Drew Clayfield and Elliot Monfries were a force to be reckoned with in the 1st XI Cricket Team. We were also represented at Head of the River by James Venning who rowed in the 1st VIII, although he was unlucky not to come away with a win. This is a tremendous achievement for someone in only their first year of rowing. Rushton was represented at the Swimming Intercol by Sam Sobels, Ed Wendt and Charlie Warne who all excelled in their chosen events.

Winter sport also saw Boarders excel. Football not only saw Nathan Daniel as Co-Captain and Aaron Watson as Co-Vice Captain but also almost half of the squad was made up of Boarding House members including: Kriston Thompson, Drew Clayfield, Luke Tapscott, Simon Potts, Angus Rowntree, James Van Hoof, Jack Kelly, Nick Whetstone, Jack Zacker, James Prest, Craig Pitt, Will Heaslip and were ably assisted by Joe Du Rieu as runner. During a hard fought intercol at St Peter's, these boys ran away with the game to win by a 50-point margin in true Rushton style.

The Hockey lads, Sam Sobels and Nick Robinson, fought a close match and also came away as winners. Josh Orken, Lachlan Campbell and Sam Mobbs all played in the Open As Basketball this year and although they were unable to come away with a win, the score did not reflect the tremendous amount of skill portrayed by the boys.

The First Rugby boys, a Boarder dominated side with Heng Tseng Wen, Huan Tsai (Tom) Hsieh, Corey Pang and Alex McLeod in a Vice-Captain role, were unlucky not to come away with the win in the Intercol. The two Boarders who achieved the criteria necessary for Sports Honours Colours were Nathan Daniel and Alex McLeod.

The annual school musical, 'Grease' was a great success with two boarders, Doug Vandepeer and Lachlan Campbell, playing major roles as Danny Z and Kenickie respectively. George Jeffrey, James Mumford and Grant Mau all performed

magnificently in their respective roles. Boarders' Day was also a great success as many Boarders presented excerpts of their life in the Boarding House, special thanks to all parents and boys who helped bring this fantastic day together. The funds raised from the raffle went towards the Boarders' World Vision Sponsor Child Dikaso Dimbo.

This year we also said farewell to our beloved Margaret Hurnell. 'Marg', as the boys affectionately called her, finally decided that it was time to leave the Boarding House after an incredible time amongst the Boarders. It was she that brought the feminine touch to a masculine community; fortunately she has stayed in our hearts. Julianne Morrison, the new House Mother, was with us for just under a term before she left to pursue new opportunities and we wish her well with the path she has chosen. Thankfully Mrs Cheesman was able to fill the breach and has been performing her duties as House Mother magnificently.

After the departure of Mr Hartnett at the conclusion of last year, Mr Hopkins and Mr Nicholls were able to step into their roles as Deputy Head of Boarding and Senior Master respectively, and have brought fresh ideas to the community and have settled in well. Our thanks also are extended to Mr Ritchie, Mr Clohesy and Mr Jenkinson for helping throughout the year.

Jesse Barker Gale, Captain of Rushton

Boarding House 2007

Back Row L to R: L L Campbell, S L Potts, M L Easther, N A Daniel, J J Orken, J T Davey, J R B Mumford, J W Van Hoof, J M Venning, D J Kerrigan

5th Row L to R: L D Tapscott, A F Rowntree, J M McNeil, N J Whetstone, M M Watson, C B Rowe, J R Foster, S P Schuler, O T Brecht, B J Orken, J D Bray, M J Kinnaird, W J Virgin, H J Murdoch, A J Michael

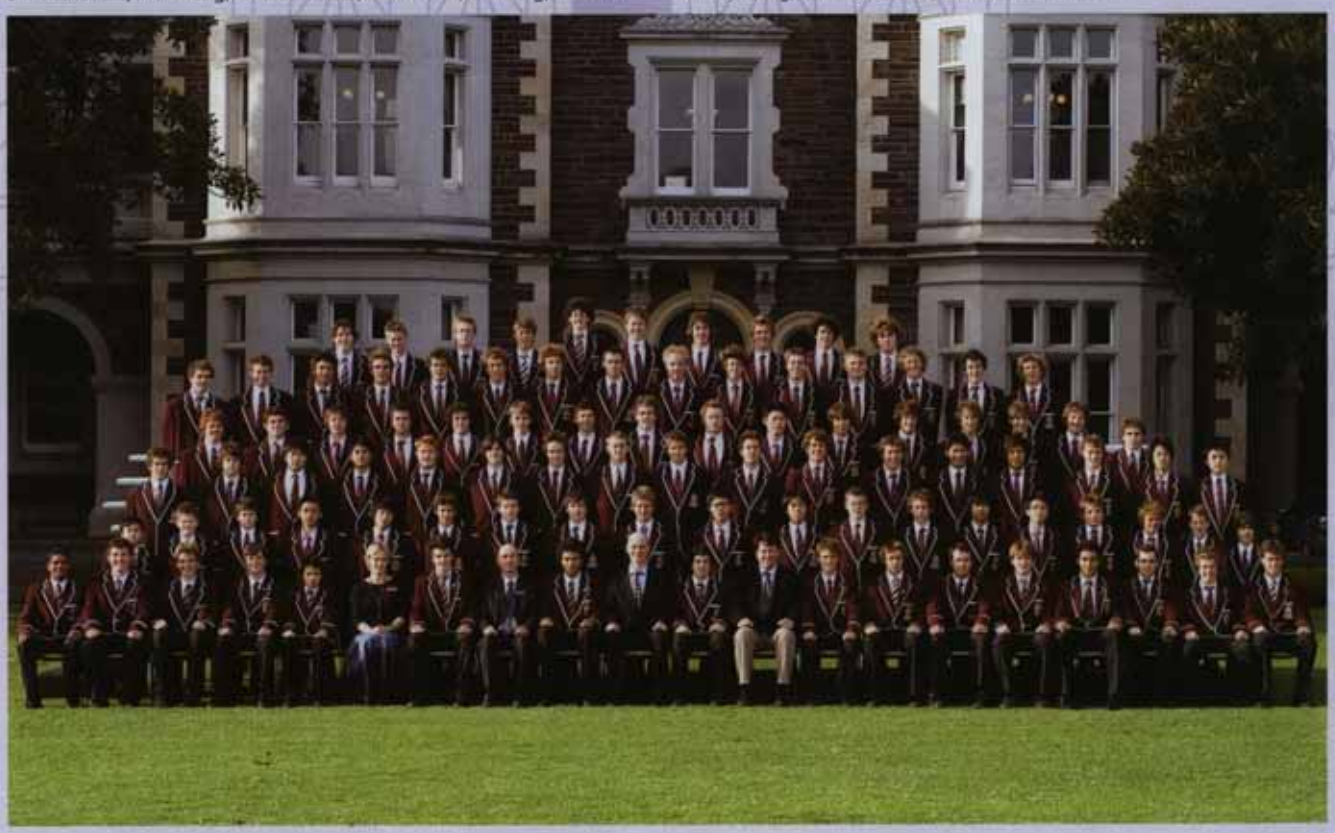
4th Row L to R: C T Altschwager, W C Hugo, T J Chadwick, A H Murdoch, W J G Veitch, R G R Buller, S J Mobbs, C D Pitt, A J McLeod, D Pun, J Murdock, J F Ramsey, T G Fischer, S C Simons, F C Jennison, A L Dawson

3rd Row L to R: H M Sanders, T A Wilson, S Park, L Chu, N H Robinson, N A H Jeffrey, L J Sandow, J H Russell, J P Dutschke, C E Warne, R H Gates, D T McKenzie, T W Heng, N Khannabha, B S Bettess, C T Pang, A Yuen

2nd Row L to R: T Lau, M B Barry, M M Barry, M Chan, J Li, H E Goode, J J Kelly, S D Gray, S G Wilkins, A Kwon, G Mau, S D Sobels, F J Koennecke, J Leung, D Chan, C T Norsworthy, J R Rowe, B E Wibberley, D J Albanese

Front Row L to R: K M Thompson, D R Clayfield, N R Kinnaird, G C Jeffrey, A Lau, Mrs A Thomson, J M Bailey, Mr P Hopkins, J L Barker Gale, Mr S A W R Cheesman, E M Monfries, Mr C L Nicholls, W J Heaslip, A W Frankon, J Zacker, D P Vandepeer, J G Prest, E K Wendt, S F Richards, A C Watson

Absent: T K Wibberley, A Zhou, S Amornkul, J H Du Rieu, J R Gregg, S A Gunning, H T Hsieh, J Liu, S Kim, D J Clements



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Jesse Barker-Gale
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Thomas Blanch
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Nicholas Brazzale
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Christopher Brebner
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Callum Brewerton
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Oliver Broadbridge
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Hugh Burton
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James Byers
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Lachlan Campbell
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Sheng (Nathan) Cao
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James Carter
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Benjamin Chambers
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Dak Son Chan
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Jonathon Charatsis
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Vincent Cheung
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Chun Wah (Brian) Chui
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Young Kwan Kim
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James Lambert
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Winston Luu
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Alastair Murray
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William Noble
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James Prest
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2005-2007

Nicholas Pugh
Taylor
1995-2007

Adam Raslan
Watsford
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Harold Ratcliff
Waterhouse
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Sebastian Richards
Waterhouse
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Nicholas Riddell
Taylor
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Jordan Riebolge
Watsford
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Ashley Rotman
Taylor
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Kieran Sandow
Watsford
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Henry Schilg
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Matthew Selway
Watsford
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William Selway
Watsford
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Simon Sharley
Waterhouse
2002-2007

John Silverblade
Watsford
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Daniel Simounds
Cotton
1995-2007

Monte Soares
Cotton
2006-2007

Justin Stoyanoff
Waterhouse
1995-2007

Thomas Sullivan
Taylor
1995-2007

Oliver Thomas
Cotton
2003-2007

Kriston Thompson
Watsford
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Nicholas Tirrell
Cotton
2003-2007

William Turner
Watsford
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Douglas Vandepeer
Waterbouse
2004-2007

Jared Vasileff
Watsford
1997-2007

Alfred Warnecke
Taylor
2002-2007

Aaron Watson
Watsford
2005-2007

Edward Wendt
Cotton
2002-2007

Chao (Simon) Xie
Taylor
2005-2007

Jack Zacker
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2005-2007

Julius Zieleniecki
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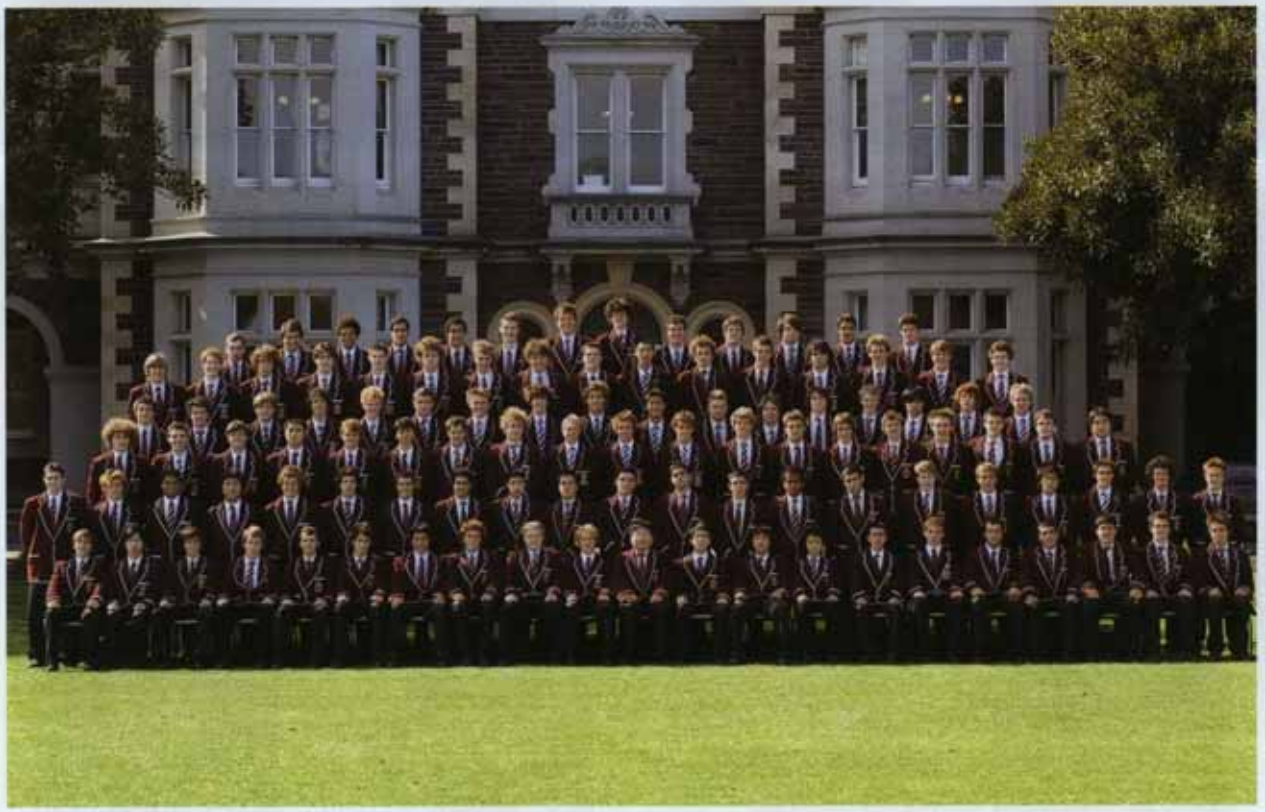

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L to R: A George, D T Simounds, K M Thompson, Y Kim, S F Richards, E M Monfries, L V Cooney, J M Vasileff, M Du, B M Francis, A J Palios, A R P Giulianetti, J Courtidis, M A C P Soares, A F Raslan, A Michell, W Selway, S H Kim, S J Frisby, N A Brazzale, N W Tirrell

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Absent: H Perks, H P Burton

Class of '95

Class of '95 2007

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T B Sullivan, W Luu, A J Collins, J J Stoyanoff, N J C Pugh, C T T Brewerton

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Absent: D T Simounds, H S Perks

Foundation Parents & Friends Old Scholars

Foundation Report

The Prince Alfred College Foundation has continued to enjoy the support of the Princes community as it has worked to raise funds for development projects at the school. The Foundation, the first of its type in a school in South Australia and now 33 years old, is very grateful for the commitment to its fundraising programs.

When the school's Master Plan was launched the Foundation committed to raise funds for three specific projects critical to the school's future. Firstly, the renovations of the Colton Wing of the Main Building was selected as a project which involved the heart and soul of the school, and would complete the refurbishment of this land mark building. The second project selected was the development of a new library in the Secondary School, replacing the library constructed in 1976. The third project was the provision of a new sports centre in the Preparatory School.

During 2007 the Foundation's commitment to these projects was demonstrated with three significant donations to the school. The Foundation Building Fund contributed $1M towards the renovations of the Colton Wing, which included the James Edgar Langley Music Centre, the Colton Room, a new archives and staff training areas.

The Foundation's Library Fund committed $247,000 towards the provisions of the magnificent Frederic Chapple Library, officially opened on the school's 2007 Open Day. This facility has transformed library services and learning in the Secondary School, and has been embraced by all who use it.

In November 2007 a third donation was made to the school to assist with the new Preparatory School Sports Centre. A cheque for $1M was presented by the Foundation President, Mr Andrew Chapman, to the Headmaster, Mr Kevin Tutt, and the Chairman of the College Council, Mr Bruce Spangler, in the presence of donors to the 'Zest for Living' campaign, which attracted wide support from the school community for the sports centre project.

Combined, the Foundation's donations to Prince Alfred College have totalled $2,247,000.

The Foundation's Corporate Sponsorship program has continued to expand. Gold Sponsor Westpac hosted the June Foundation Business Lunch and Silver Sponsor BBX the November Foundation Business Lunch. The Foundation gratefully acknowledges the support of its Bronze Sponsors: Brecknock Insurance Brockers, Copyworld, Murphy Financial Services, Badge Constructions and Chateau Moteur.

The series of Foundation Business Lunches held at the Adelaide Town Hall continued in 2007.

Dr David Schultz entertained Foundation members and guests at the June Foundation Business Lunch. Dr Schultz joined the Adelaide Zoological Gardens in 1984 and became head vet working with many native and exotic wildlife species, undertaking pioneering work with endangered native Australian species. Dr Schultz was introduced by Graham Walters, representative of the Foundation's Gold sponsor, Westpac. The recently elected President of the Foundation, Andrew Chapman, welcomed and thanked new members of the Foundation.

At the November Foundation Business Lunch guests enjoyed the opportunity to hear legend Mark Bickley and leader Nigel McBride in conversation with personality Cherylee Harris. Nigel, the CEO of Minter Ellison and chairman of SA Great, and former Crows Captain Mark Bickley shared their enthusiasm and commitment for promoting all things South Australian. The lunch was sponsored by the Foundation's Silver Sponsor BBX.

In June, Foundation President, Andrew Chapman and

Ron and Reba Fitzgerald enjoy the company of their grandsons Nicholas Fitzgerald (left) and Paul Russo at Grandies Day.

Foundation Report

board members joined with facilitators Phil Hudson and Neil Howells to chart the future direction of the Prince Alfred College Foundation at a special planning meeting. Thirty three years after the Foundation's establishment, the board took the opportunity to review the organisation's purpose, considered a new mission and vision, and identified issues and opportunities. A series of action items emerged from the spirited discussion, and form the basis of a plan charting future directions for the Foundation and its important role in assisting the School Council with the ongoing development of Prince Alfred College.

The Foundation President invited members of the T G Waterhouse Society and Foundation Governors and Trustees to join him for drinks at The Adelaide Club in November, taking the opportunity to thank them for their ongoing support.

For the second time the Foundation conducted the Reds in the Black School Fee Lottery. Five hundred tickets at $100 each were available with the first prize being $15,000 credited to a PAC account, or for spending at Travel on Topham. The lottery was supported by school families and by old scholars located across the globe. The sponsorship of Travel on Topham once again was greatly appreciated.

The Development Office once again coordinated a busy program of reunions. Men who left Princes in 1957, 1967, 1977 and 1987 were welcomed to the school before going to their reunion functions, bringing together several hundred men, many of whom had not seen one another since leaving the school. The eighth Vintage Reds lunch for men over the age of 60 years was held on 31 October and attracted 260 guests to the school, and there is no doubt that this outstanding event will continue to grow.

Phil Williams, John Keeves and Murray Olsson proudly wear their Foundation ties at the visit of the Governor of South Australia.

Grandies of current students were welcomed to Princes at Year 8 Grandies' Day, and more than 500 took the opportunity to visit their special boys on Preparatory School Grandies' Day. It is special to see the pride students have in sharing their school and the delight Grandies have in the opportunity to visit Prince Alfred College.

At the board level the Foundation farewelled, at its Annual General Meeting, Harry Perks, who had served the Foundation as President since 2001. Harry's commitment to Prince Alfred College and the Foundation was acknowledged by both the Headmaster and the Chairman of the College Council. Mr Andrew Chapman was welcomed as the new President of the Foundation, and has tackled the position with great enthusiasm, and is supported in his role by Vice Presidents Ben Tidswell and Malcolm Buckby. The Foundation's Executive Officer position became vacant with the resignation from the school of Director of Development Grant Davis, and board members and staff thanked Grant for his service at a breakfast at Urban Bistro in May.

The Foundation has continued to enjoy a strong working relationship with the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association and Preparatory and Senior School Parents' and Friends' Associations, and acknowledges the outstanding contributions these groups make to the success of Prince Alfred College.

In late 2007 a new structure was put in place and the Community Relations Office established. Mr Tony Ashdown (PAC 1967–1971) was appointed as Director of Community Relations, and is supported in this new position by team members David Cornish (Manager, Development), Carolyn Roney (Manager, Admissions) and Monica Saunders (Manager, Communication and Strategy), and support staff Marg Giddings and Michelle Roberts.

The Community Relations team looks forwarding to working with all members of the school community, the Parents' and Friends' Associations, the PAOCA and the Foundation for the benefit of Prince Alfred College.

David Cornish
Manager, Development

Foundation President Andrew Chapman (left) welcomes Tony and Sheila Sullivan as Foundation members.

Parents and Friends' Report

The new year began with the Parents and Friends hosting the gathering for new parents in the under croft area, on an uncomfortably warm February evening. This informal format provides a means for

parents new to the school to meet others from their year level and to be welcomed into the school community. It was unfortunate the number of new parents present at this event was low, possibly due to the weather, but a review of the format and venue for next year should improve the attendance.

Open Day in March, on a Friday afternoon rather than a Sunday as has previously occurred, saw the P&F hosting afternoon tea outside the Assembly Hall. Then a fortnight later the venue was transformed for The Princes Contemporary Art Show, an official Fringe Event, under the superb guidance of Susan Bethune. In its fifth year, the Art

Show has 'come of age'; with an event that is now firmly entrenched not only in the school community but also in the arts

and wider community. This year our own screens were fitted with track lighting and droppers to better hang and illuminate the art works. The new layout in the Assembly Hall had a very professional look, permitting more movement in the area, and as a result a record amount of art work was sold.

The AGM in early April was held in the new Frederic Chapple Library. The guest speaker, Stephen Clohesy, Head of Personal and Physical Development spoke

of his role at Prince Alfred College. It was evident from the enthusiasm and energy of his talk, that he enjoys his work with our boys and has a great understanding of them. It was a pity more parents from the school community were not present to appreciate the evening. Our President, Gerry Stevens; the Vice-President, Di Pemberton; and Kylie Rundell, were farewelled, after many years of service to the P&F. We thank them for their tireless work and the enthusiasm they brought to their roles.

Apart from the Art Show, our other major fundraisers have included the continuing sale of memorabilia and of used uniforms through Princes Parade. The second-hand book sale in December raises funds as well as provides a valuable service to parents, with surplus books available throughout the year from Princes Parade. Books that are out of date or unsuitable for sale are donated to Pacific World Aid for distribution to children in third world countries.

This year our fundraising efforts resulted in a large donation to the school to fund IT facilities, such as electronic whiteboards and digital projectors, in the recently renovated Neil Smart Memorial Building.

A Community Relations Review, as part of its brief, looked at the role of the P&F and its relationship to the school. As a result, strategies will be developed to enable the P&F to become more strategic in its activities and fundraising, and for the provision of a greater level of support and resources from the school. This will make running major events such as the Art Show, more efficient, enjoyable and profitable, and we look forward to working with the new Community Relations Team.

The provision of functions to enable parents to meet and mix is just as important as fundraising. Parents have an important role to fill in the functioning of the P&F, either through becoming an active member on the committee or helper for functions, or by attending events to support the efforts of the committee and help provide the extra facilities for our boys.

I would like to thank the committee for their support and help, especially Narelle Humphray, Mary Evens and Vanessa Clarkson for their advice and guidance through the year. Additionally, thank you to our Headmaster Mr Kevin Tutt, Mrs Margaret Gleaves and the Foundation for their interest in and support of all our activities.

Marion Tregeagle, President

Old Scholars' Section

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129th Annual Report

It has been a great honour and pleasure to serve as President of Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association and I hereby present the 129th Annual Report.

The 129th Annual General Meeting was held at the School on Thursday, the 15th of November 2007 at which a number of new appointments were made.

We were indeed saddened to receive a resignation from Sean Heylen in May due to increased work commitments as Sean had been a member of the Management Committee for ten years including as President in 2002.

I thank Sean for his exceptional contribution, not only the committee but to the Basketball Club and Cricket Club over the years.

We welcomed 3 new members to the Committee who filled casual vacancies in 2007 being Dan Killey, John Easling and Anthony May.

I would like to acknowledge and thank all members of the Management Committee for their valuable contribution to our Association over the course of my year as President and of the 11 meetings held the attendances were as follows

P Brooks	7
AClarkson	11
P Crouch	11
J Easling	6
R Hall	7
F Hamood	9
R Hockney	4
D Killey	5
W Legrand	2
A May	5
S Miller	8
CMoffat	10
D Olsson	9
D Paterson	10
A Puvi	10
G Stirling	3
K Tutt	9
A Walker	5
A Williams	3
R Wilson	10
P Wise	3
P Bacciarelli	5 by invitation
D Cornish	6 by invitation

PAOCA Committee 2007

Back L–R: Fred Hamood, Craig Moffat, Aaron Puvi, John Easling, Richard Hockney, Andrew Williams
Second L–R: Tony Ashdown, Peter Brooks, Rob Hall, Anthony May, Doug Paterson
Front L–R: David Cornish, Andrew Clarkson, Rex Wilson, Kevin Tutt, Peter Crouch, Simon Miller

I also take this opportunity to sincerely thank the members of the Executive Committee: Simon Miller, Immediate Past President and Treasurer; Andrew Clarkson, Senior Vice President; Fred Hamood, Junior Vice President; and Peter Crouch, our Secretary, for their invaluable support, counsel and humour throughout the year.

Midway through the year we farewelled the Director of Development at the School, Grant Davis, who, together with David Cornish and Margaret Giddings, have worked tirelessly behind the scenes in playing the major role in organising the many Old Scholars events throughout the year, and I particularly thank David and Margaret for taking on further responsibilities since Grant's departure.

We are indeed very fortunate to have as Patron the Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, who is passionate about Prince Alfred College and who I have often heard remark that he has "the best job in the world".

We are very grateful for the time Kevin has taken to attend the many meetings and functions our Association holds throughout the year.

Finance and Sponsors

The Association's financial position is strong due to the careful management of its resources over many years, and the life membership funds under its control and I thank both Simon Miller and his predecessor Trevor Siegele for their expertise in administrating the Association's portfolio.

The success of the Annual Dinner and other events throughout the year would not be possible without sponsorship and I thank the following organisations for their generosity.

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Activities

I have had a wonderful year as President of our Association attending many events. I have met Old Scholars, their families and many others within the Princes Community at the School, at sporting venues, reunions, country and interstate dinners, during Old Scholars' Week including the Old Old Boys' Assembly the Annual Dinner and more recently the London Centenary Dinner and the Vintage Reds Luncheon.

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The formalities began on a very hot day in December 2006 at Speech Night with a break over Christmas until mid January when the Committee got together for lunch and a farewell to our recently retired Treasurer, Trevor Siegele.

In early February the Close Golf was fully booked again on a scortcher of a day while the Old Scholars Bowls v Saints held in the cool of an evening several weeks later gave the Old Reds their first victory for the year. However several weeks later Saints had wins in both the Tennis and the Cricket.

In early March we had a very successful 'New Old Boys Get Together' at Braggs on East and by the end of the month three country dinners had taken place, in Arno Bay, Victor Harbor and Maitland.

The 50 year reunion luncheon was held in the Gill Langley Room at the Adelaide Oval in mid April followed by the 40 year reunion dinner a week later at the Coopers Ale House in the city.

In May each year the PAOC and SPOC Committees alternately host a cocktail party and this year it was held at PAC in the Ashton Room. It is a great opportunity to meet with the Old Blues and their partners before Old Scholars' Week in July.

Later in the month a large contingent from the Adelaide Committee including the Headmaster and David Cornish attended a very successful Riverland Dinner at Loxton.

In June the Old Scholars' Intercol was played on our ground at the Park 9 oval opposite Channel 7 and although the Blues won the game, it was an exciting finish with the Reds performing very well in the final quarter.

The last week in July is Old Scholars' Week and the first event on the Monday was the golf held at The Royal Adelaide Golf Course, Seaton, which Saints won convincingly. Driving back to the city after the game I realised the Old Reds were now 1–4 down for the year.

From then on the Reds didn't look back winning the Hockey and Basketball in the evening, the Squash on the Tuesday and the Bridge, Chess, Snooker and Badminton on the Thursday. At the end of the week PAOC 8 SPOC 4, and at the joint committee dinner held at The Treasury on the Wednesday the Old Reds won the wine tasting competition convincingly.

The 103rd Old Scholars' Annual Service was held in the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel on the Thursday and was conducted by the Chaplain, the Reverend Trevor Klar and the Guest Speaker was Old Scholar Mark Schultz, State Director of the Scripture Union. The School Choir's performance at this Service was outstanding under the direction of Robert Dawe, Pamela Freeman and accompanist Wayne Hancock.

On the Friday 184 Old Old Boys were on stage in the Assembly Hall in front of the whole School and in the evening 612 Old Reds attended the Annual Dinner at the Convention Centre where we were entertained by comedian David Cummings' alter ego 'Professor Max Armstrong'. It was on the Saturday that Ken Watson from the School and I attended the Festive Board at the Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge, No.51 which was held in the Colton Wing in the Main Building. It had been a very enjoyable and busy week.

In early September the Headmaster, David Cornish and I along with 63 Old Scholars, attended the Sydney Dinner in Paddington and two weeks later, with a number of the Adelaide Committee, we travelled to the Mid North Dinner at Jamestown. It was the 30 year reunion at the Lion Hotel a week later and the Perth Dinner the following week which the Headmaster and I attended.

The Melbourne and Brisbane Dinners were also held in September which I understand were memorable occasions as Junior Vice-President, Fred Hamood and Senior Vice-President, Andrew Clarkson respectively attended those dinners on behalf of the Association.

A highlight of the year was the London Centenary Dinner held at the Oxford and Cambridge Club on Saturday the 6 of October. In the week of the Dinner the London Committee under the guidance of David Gray organised a tour of Lords with Stuart Roach, a tour of the Victoria and Albert Museum with Curator of precious metals Eric Turner and a large reception of Old Reds and partners at Australia House organised by John Nosworthy.

The Dinner was an unbelievable experience with 103 Old Scholars present. Our MC for the evening was Eric Turner and we received a letter of congratulations from HRH The Prince Philip Duke of Edinburgh. The Australian High Commissioner The Hon Richard Alston proposed the toast to Prince Alfred College, the Headmaster gave the Centenary toast to the PAOC London Branch and David Gray responded to it.

An excellent historic record of the Dinner *'Old Reds in the Old Country'* written by David Cornish was officially launched at the Centenary by David Mattingley DFC, and each Old Red present received a copy.

In mid October the Old Scholars' Management Committee organised a barbecue for all staff at Prince Alfred College in appreciation for their dedication and hard work in providing a wonderful all round education to boys at PAC. We were thrilled that over 60 attended. On the following Friday the 20 year reunion was held in the Adelaide Town Hall and this was the final one for the year.

My final two functions for the year as your President were the very popular Vintage Reds Luncheon held in the Assembly Hall with 260 attending and the Lodge Centenary Dinner held at the Adelaide Club.

In the not too distant past Prince Alfred College undertook a Governance Review and more recently a Review of Community Relations. It was felt by the Old Scholars' Management Committee that an Activities and Governance Review was well overdue resulting in the Executive engaging a Consultant who will meet with them in late December.

I extend my congratulations to Andrew Clarkson on his election as the Association President, and wish him every success for his year.

In conclusion, I would like to thank those who have served our Association and its Members during this year and for giving me the opportunity to represent the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association in 2007 as its President. It has been a full, rewarding and wonderful year and I take this opportunity to also thank my wife Cathie for her tremendous support.

Rex Wilson
President, 2006–2007

Our President 2008

It is a great privilege to be elected the President of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association in its 130th year. It is an honour to serve the Association and its members.

One of the great pleasures of being on the PAOC Committee and in particular being Association President is to meet with and enjoy the company of Old Reds. Whether this is at the Annual Dinner or the Old Boys' Assembly in Old Scholars' Week, at an interstate or regional gathering or informally at a sporting function, meeting you for the first time or renewing an old friendship is most rewarding.

The Committee is undertaking a strategic review of the governance and activities of the Association. We believe that the Association's activities are well-received and enjoyed by Old Reds, but we are keen to explore ways in which we can make our activities more relevant to our members.

There are different styles of gatherings that suit different ages. Over the past few years efforts have been made to cater for those who have left the school in recent years. The 'new grads', those who completed Year 12 in 2007 will be welcomed to the Association at an informal gathering on Thursday March 13, 2008. Technology helps Old Reds keep in touch. Check out www.facebook.com and look for 'Calling all OLD REDS' or just type in 'Prince Alfred College'. These webpages have no formal links to the school or the Old Scholars' Association but may help some of you keep in touch with your school mates.

The ten yearly reunions and the Vintage Reds lunch are moving from strength to strength and are a high point in the social calendars of Old Scholars. Please make the effort to attend these functions during 2008.

The attendance at some of our regional functions has been declining in recent years. There are many reasons behind the falling attendances and these have been discussed with some of our regional convenors. The effect of the drought and other regional hardships cannot be underestimated. Accessibility, timing, cost and the type of function all play their part and we are looking at ways of improving the appeal of our functions in 2008 and beyond. We would appreciate your input and ideas regarding these events. Please contact me or David Cornish at the school via David's email dcornish@pac.edu.au.

In an era of declining club membership, the PAOC sporting clubs continue to play an important role in encouraging Old Scholars to participate in physical activity. I wish all Old Scholars' sporting teams great enjoyment and success in 2008. A celebratory dinner will be held on January 19, 2008 to commemorate the PAOC Cricket Club's 75th anniversary. My congratulations to the cricket club for their outstanding record over 75 years and best wishes for this celebration.

I would also like to congratulate the dedicated and hardworking members of Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge who celebrated their centenary at the Adelaide Club in November.

Our management committee meets monthly. This hardworking group comprises members with a wide range of vocations, interests, age and experience and we enjoy each other's company. I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for their wonderful work and commitment during 2007 and look forward to working with them again in 2008.

In particular, I would like to thank our Immediate Past President Mr Rex Wilson who has worked tirelessly and with great humour as President during 2006–7. His contribution to the Association over two periods of time on the Committee and in more recent times on the Executive has been substantial. I would also like to thank Mrs Cathie Wilson who has supported Rex in his work.

I would like to thank three men who have made significant contributions to the Old Scholars. During the year, Sean Heylen resigned from the Committee. Sean has played a significant role in the history of the PAOCA serving as President in 2002. He has also been the main driver in the development of the PAOC website. Peter Bacciarelli and Grant Davis leave us for greener employment pastures in the United States and Brisbane respectively. Both men have been strong influences on me and I will miss their friendship and support.

Andrew Clarkson (PAC 1973–1981) PAOCA President 2008

This year I look forward to continuing to work with the Headmaster, Mr Kevin Tutt who, as an enthusiastic Patron of our Association, provides enormous support to many of our events and counsel to our Committee.

The Old Scholars' Association also looks forward to a key partnership with the College's new Department of Community Relations. We continue to receive enormous and dedicated support from David Cornish and Marg Giddings and look forward to a close relationship with new Director, Tony Ashdown.

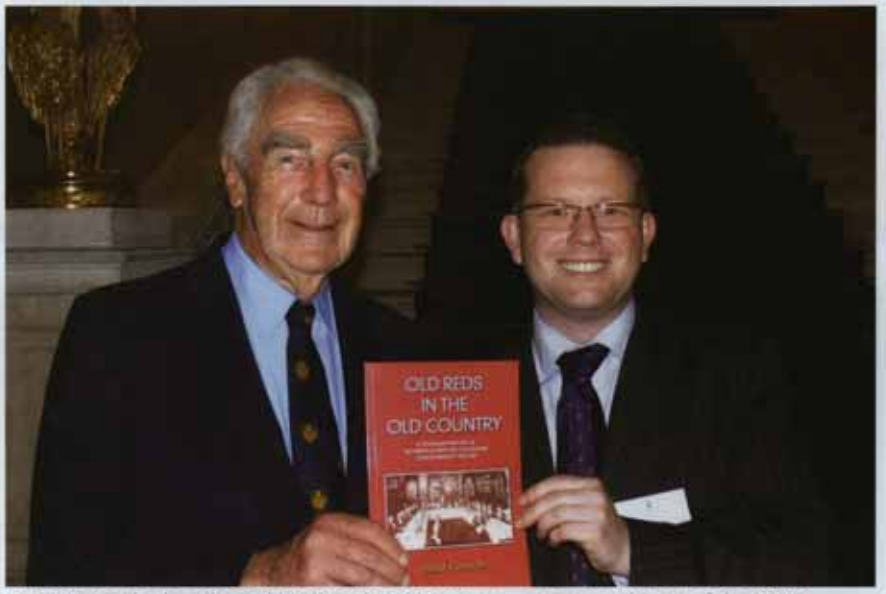
In recent years, the relationship between the Old Collegians' Associations of both PAC and St Peter's has developed, growing in many positive dimensions. We look forward to working with SPOC on a couple of exciting projects in 2008.

You can be assured that the Association is in careful hands both financially and administratively. In 2008 I look forward to taking the Old Reds forward, embracing change and opportunity while respecting and appreciating our history.

Andrew Clarkson
President, PAOC 2008

President's Message

Andrew Clarkson was born in Adelaide in 1963, son of Tony and Helen Clarkson. After starting his school life in Edinburgh, Scotland, Andrew entered PAC in 1973 and completed Year 12 in 1981 as a school prefect. Andrew enjoyed the diversity of his school life. He was a sporting hack, better known as perpetual Captain of the Seconds Hockey Team, Team Manager of the Second XVIII and



David Mattingley launched *Old Reds in the Old Country* — a centenary history of the PAOCA London Branch at the London dinner, written by his former history student David Cornish. Copies are available from the school.

Scorer/Manager of the First XI Cricket in 1980 and 1981. He also had a passion for music and musicals and was part of the music scene at PAC for 9 years.

He was awarded the Max Wilson Memorial Prize in 1980, an Academic Excellence award and the Don Steele Memorial Prize in 1981.

After completing Year 12, Andrew studied Physiotherapy, graduating in 1985. After two years working in Tasmania, Andrew moved back to Adelaide, commencing work in private practice. He completed his Masters degree in 1995 and qualified as a titled Sports Physiotherapist in 2001. Andrew's specific clinical interests are in the management of knee and shoulder disorders. Andrew is a partner of Adelaide Sports Physiotherapy and the South Australian Sports Medicine Centre. Highlights of his work as a Sports Physiotherapist include working with the Australian Beach Volleyball gold medal winning team in Sydney 2000 and Sturt's 2002 SANFL League premiership. Andrew is a Life Member of the Sturt Football Club.

Andrew was a fourth generation Prince Alfred College student and has been a member of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association Committee for four years. Andrew has played hockey with the PAOC Hockey Club.

Andrew is married to Venessa and they have two children Sam, in Year 12 at PAC in 2008 and Victoria, in Year 9 at Annesley College.

Andrew's interests include family, fishing, running and playing keyboards and singing in a rock band "The Wodgers".

Stefanie and John Irvine (left) and Sarah and Edward Jackson (right) welcome Preparatory School Captains Nicholas Fitzgerald, Ross Anderson and James Keeves to the Canberra Dinner.

Lodge and Community

New Old Scholars' Get Together

This year on Thursday 8 March, 74 New Old Boys attended a very successful Get Together at Braggs on East, on the corner of East Terrace and Carrington Street in the city. The Old Scholars' Association was privileged in being able to utilise both the front bar and dining room providing a meal as well as the customary drinks and nibbles for our New Old Boys.

The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, Head of the Senior School, Cynthia May, Director of Development, Grant Davis, President of the Old Scholars, Rex Wilson and Senior Vice-President, Andrew Clarkson were present, along with representatives of each sporting club who were busy recruiting for their respective clubs. The formalities were completed when each New Old Boy was presented with his 2006 Old Scholars tie which they designed.

PAC Lodge 1907–2007

One hundred years ago Prince Alfred Collegians' Lodge was proposed by four Old Scholar Freemasons sitting together at the 1907 Old Scholars' dinner. The Lodge, which was consecrated in December of the same year, had the distinction of being the first School Lodge in Australia.

Over the years this Lodge has played a significant role in Freemasonry in South Australia. Celebrations for the Centenary began on 2 October with the installation of Wpl Bro. Peter Cox as Worshipful Master. This was followed by a special dinner held at the Adelaide Club on 9 November. A ceremony of reconsecration took place on 4 December.

To enable the Lodge to continue we invite Old Scholars, fathers and grandfathers and past or present scholars to join our membership. Our Secretary, Peter Broadbent, would welcome enquiries, telephone: 8356 4780.

Old Scholars' Week

Annual Dinner

The 2007 Annual Dinner held on Friday 27 July at the Adelaide Convention Centre was the culmination of what had been a very successful week of events during Old Scholars' Week, from the Reunion and Family Services and the Old Old Boys' Assembly, to the eight sporting events contested against our traditional rival, Saints.

Six hundred and twelve Old Reds attended this year's dinner along with a growing number of Old Scholars who left the School five and less years ago. Our Master of Ceremonies and Junior Vice-President, Fred Hamood, welcomed the Old Scholars before the Reverend Trevor Klar said Grace.

Each year we set out to fine tune the format of the dinner so it was decided this year to introduce the Toast to the School and the Response earlier in the evening, leaving more time for Old Reds to catch up with their fellow school mates. The Guest Speaker, Professor Max Armstrong, addressed the gathering immediately after the main course.

President of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association, Rex Wilson, reported on the activities of the Association throughout the year, and in particular, the events and splendid results of Old Scholars' Week, before proposing the Toast to the School. The Headmaster responded reporting that the School is in the midst of exciting times, speaking of the excellent scholastic and sporting achievements by the boys and informed the Old Reds of the extensive building work currently taking place and planned for PAC in the near future.

This year's Guest Speaker, Professor Max Armstrong, who has a background in statistical research, was in South Australia to speak to the State Government before addressing us on 'Business in the New Century'. The Professor held his audience well, so well in fact that one could have heard a pin drop in the auditorium and as he progressed, his jokes became more frequent, concluding with the announcement that his presentation was a hoax. The 'Professor' was in fact David Cummings, a professional speaker and comedian. At the conclusion of his performance he received a standing ovation. At the end of the evening we could once again say that the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Annual Dinner had been a successful dinner.

1982 mates at the Sydney Dinner. Back L-R: David Basheer, Shane Ironside, Nungi Perera, Nick Hocking. Front L-R: Ken Shipp, Simeon Votier, Bill Measday, Andrew Chapman.

Rex Wilson, PAOCA President 2007

Lodge

The annual Old Scholars' Week meeting of PAC Lodge was held on Saturday 28 July. The recently refurbished Colton Room provided a very warm and welcoming venue for the thirty five members and guests who attended.

Wpl Bro. Wayne Hancock acted as W.M. for the exemplification of a 2nd degree working. Wpl Bro. Frank Cornish acted as candidate. During the Festive Board, the annual Masonic Scholarship Grant was presented to William Heaslip.

This is a special night when we welcome city and country brethren and we extend to the school our thanks for their continuing support.

PAOCA Service

The 103rd PAOCA Service was conducted by the College's Chaplain, Rev Trevor Klar, in the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel on Thursday 26 July 2007, and was attended by Old Reds and Guests. Rev Klar was joined by Mark Schultz (PAC 1983–1987), Director of Scripture Union, who spoke of the role of the organisation he leads in delivering the Christian message and providing outreach programs for young people. The offering from the service was donated to Scripture Union to assist them with their mission.

A feature of the service, and one much appreciated by the congregation, was the broad ranging and beautiful program presented by the Chapel Choir, under the direction of choirmaster Robert Dawe and accompanied by Wayne Hancock.

Badminton

The 2007 contest at the St Peter's College sports centre on 26 July saw Princes win the match 8 rubbers, 16 games, 423 points to 1 rubber, 5 games 337 points, and retain their undefeated record of 34 consecutive wins for the John Bundey trophy.

The team of Andrew Surman, Tim Chong, Chong Tsang, Chen Tu, Michael Stankiewicz, and David Olsson, were able to combine well against the SPOC team and win comfortably in the doubles and singles.

The team results were:

Mens Singles

1st	Surman defeated Haese 18/21; 21/14, 21/17
2nd	Chong defeated Foo 21/16; 15/21, 21/12
3rd	Tsang defeated Heng 21/19; 21/15
4th	Olsson defeated by Khoo 16/21; 17/21

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5th Tu defeated Lo 21/11, 21/12

6th Stankiewicz defeated Kho 21/18, 21/14

Mens Doubles

1st Surman & Tsang defeated Foo & Haese 15/4, 17/14

2nd Olsson & Chong defeated Yii & Lo 21/17; 21/15

3rd Stankiewicz & Tu defeated Lim & Koh 21/12; 21/15

At the conclusion of the contest, Dr John Bundey presented the Bundey Cup to the winning PAOCCaptain Andrew Surman.

Mr David Olsson on behalf of the PAOC Association and Mr Tony Keynes, on behalf of the SPOC Association, thanked all the participants and guests for their attendance and contribution to the success of the evening.

David Olsson

Basketball

In the annual battle versus the old rivals St Peter's, the Old Reds went in full of confidence with one mission in mind... to win all the A, B and Cs trophies for the first time.

The Cs came out against an under-manned Saints' C Team and rolled them 39–16. In what was a one-sided affair the Cs simply had too much talent for an oversized but under-skilled Saints. Brad Daniel and Sam Will were the destroyers but everyone played well. Ben Palk broke his 11 year drought and was finally a member of a winning Intercol side.

The Bs had a much tougher assignment on their hands — they were favoured to win but that has never stopped Saints in the past from spoiling the party. Saints lead the game for the first 35 minutes but in an inspired display the Bs, who were down 7, hit their last 7 shots through Leo Borges, Nathan Graham and James Baker and managed to pull a win out of the bag with a 2 point margin.

The As game was never in question — in a shock loss to Saints last year, the boys knew they were not going to let up this year. Liam Golding hit four 3s in the first 5 minutes and the game was very much over. In one of the most one sided Intercols ever the As won by 44 points with Chris Donaldson, Nic Blair and Liam Golding all finishing with 18 points.

It was an awesome night and one for the record books. For a moment we almost felt sorry for our outmatched opposition... but only for a moment.

The Club trains on Tuesday evenings between January and September from approximately 6.00pm to 8.00pm at the School gym. There are teams playing on Saturday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday in the winter season and currently on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday (at MARS) over the summer season. Any Old Scholars interested in playing for the Club can attend training or contact any one of the following for more details:

Club President Ben Palk on 0405 249 794, 8302 0550 (work) or ben.palk@unisa.edu.au

Club Treasurer Simon Miller on 0412 853 633, 8211 7800 (work) or smiller@ppbsa.com.au

Chess and Bridge

A change of night during Old Scholars' Week this year from Monday to Thursday didn't seem to affect Chess numbers at all, with 10 Boards maintained, whilst conversely Bridge numbers were decimated such that we had just the one solitary match!

Once again PAOC's impressive Chess depth shone through, with Princes racing to the necessary 5.5 wins needed to secure the Cup, and then adding a further 2 wins for good measure. The final scoreline was therefore comprehensive with PAOC on 7.5 wins and SPOC 2.5 wins. Winners for the Old Reds were Andrew Saint, the 3 Michael's — Hoff, Peake and Hihimanis, Peter Avina, Toby Aikins having flown in from Melbourne and Wesley Legrand, whilst Peter Hill managed a draw.

The problem with a Bridge match is that if any 1 of the 4 required are unavailable, the whole match is abandoned, and this is what happened in all cases bar one — the ever-reliable Piper Brothers — Geoff and Bob. Recording a crushing victory, they single-handedly reclaimed the Bridge Cup 1–0!

The Public Schools' Club was once again warm and inviting, and we offer many thanks, as always, to Chess Captain Michael Hihimanis for his excellent organisation, Board 1 Andrew Saint for providing the Chess Sets, and to ex-PAC Chess Coach Richard Thorne and PAOC President Rex Wilson for their attendance and support.

Wesley Legrand

Golf

This year's Golf versus Saints was held on Monday 23 July at Royal Adelaide Golf Club.

The course is currently undergoing some reconstruction for the Eisenhower Cup to be held next year and some of the changes made the course more challenging at times.

With a full booking sheet of 28 groups or 112 players, yet again the golf was well supported and the now old format of a "shot gun" start really becoming a winner for all. We hit off around 8.30am.

With the weather holding out and

A great Princes moment!

Oldest Old Old Boys Ray Crosby (1925–1927), Geoff Jones (1923–1929) and Ron Cullen (1927–1928) enjoy meeting Reception students Edmund, Nic and Edward.

the wind keeping to a "zephyr" the conditions were perfect for low scores. This must have suited our Saints counterparts. The old reds didn't fare as well as they should have going down 16 to nine with 3 drawn groups. Maybe we need a windy and rainy day.

The lunch back in the club house was well attended and enjoyed by all. The shot gun start enabled us to gather as a group and enjoy a few stories from the day and as some of the groups found out, by 5.00pm the stories become a little blurred and perhaps a little bigger than the actual event!

My thanks to all who played and to the crew at Royal Adelaide, especially Lisa, who made the day move along smoothly. To those who helped with donations for prizes for longest drives and nearest the pins, namely "Trims" and "Hamood's Plonk", many thanks.

To John Silcock, my "Old Blues" convener, thank you for your help to organise the event and I hope that Princes can win this event next year.

Phillip Wise

Hockey

Team: Paul Finnie, Mark Gobolos, Sam Tyler, Jamie Bahnisch, Jack Mattinson, James Denton, James Lange, Anthony Antoniadis, Will Phillips, Michael Dodd, George Schinkel, Sam Hilditch, Tom Lord

Coach: First Half — Bob Claxton, Second Half — Sam Wagner

The old scholar's hockey game this year was played on the 23 July at the PAC hockey pitch. The team was predominantly made up of young players that had recently left the school, and now playing in either Division 1 or Division 2 in the local men's league. The game was played aggressively but in good spirit, with the speed of several players from both teams meaning there were plenty of scoring opportunities early. Luckily it was PAC who was able to capitalise and gain some ascendency early pressing a 2 goal advantage by half time.

The highlight of the second half was the pitch lights turning off automatically, although they were soon turned back on. Unfortunately however, it was Saints who regrouped in the break and began pressing. Through the efforts of the backline, and in particular goalie Tom Lord, PAC was able to stop the flow from Saints and rebound well to counter their efforts. At full time PAC held onto their half-time advantage and won the game 6–4.

Dick Collison with his grandsons Harry, Edward and Oliver Collison following Old Old Boys.

Thanks to all those players who returned to play for the Reds and make the 2007 Old Scholars game the best in years. Special thanks to Bob Claxton and Sam Wagner for their help in coaching the team.

Game info

Game: PAC v Saints at PAC Hockey Ground, 23 July 7.30pm

Score: 6–4
Scorers: Sam Tyler (2), James Denton, Jack Mattinson, Will Phillips, Bahnisch

Highlights

- Lights going off a few minutes into the second half
- Special effort in goals by Tom Lord
- Determination, speed and aggressive nature of game — the best seen in years
- Second half rampage to put the finishing touches on what was a hard and fast paced game played in good spirit

Steve Olsson

Snooker

The Snooker this year was held on 26 July at the Adelaide Club for the second time after a long history of holding it at the Naval and Military Club. Once again the competition was shrouded in mystery and a touch of secret men's business. With a host of regulars missing from the normal "Reds" line up anything could happen on the night.

The change in venue has seen a change in fortune for the Old Reds with a resounding victory this year 9 frames to 6. It was a rare success for the Reds for after 13 years of competition the Reds have only won on 4 occasions.

This year saw the Reds head to dinner with a substantial lead of 5 frames to 1 and it looked like an early night for all. After dinner the Blues rallied and our victory was on shaky ground. With the Reds only winning one of the next 6 frames but the team gathered it together, steadied the ship and pulled away in the end to win by 3 frames.

Thanks to all those who participated in the victory especially those who filled in at the last moment including ex President Simon Miller.

Thanks to the Adelaide Club, Brenton Wise (PAOC) and Angus Middleton (SPOCA) for all their hard work.

We look forward to a tough battle next year.

Phillip Wise

Squash vs Saints

This year the Old Reds were once again successful in winning the Brian Fricker Cup and while it was our 40th victory in succession it was only by the very small margin of 2 points.

Both sides consisted of relatively young players who were very evenly matched and we were indeed very pleased to have former President of Squash Rackets Australia and Old Red Dr Bruce Walker and his wife in the audience to witness this close contest.

SPOC	PAOC
Angus Donaldson	Anthony Sallis
Chris Plummer	Michael Healy
Rehn Papillion	Andrew Pomery
Andy Delmont	Tom West

We look forward to another close encounter in 2008.

Conveners: Phil Plummer SPOC
Rex Wilson PAOC

Joint Committee Dinner

The Combined PAC and Saints Old Collegians' Committee Dinner was held at The Treasury restaurant in King William Street. Convener Richard Hockney welcomed the men from both committees and outlined the plan for the evening.

Old Scholars' Week

President Rex Wilson proposed a Toast to St Peter's Old Collegians and this was reciprocated by the Saints' President Tony Keynes.

Grateful thanks was given to Rob Parsons and his staff at The Treasury for providing wonderful food, wine and service for the occasion.

Having lured the St. Peter's Old Collegians' Committee into 'enemy territory' the scene was set for the most important Old Collegians' intercol — the wine tasting. With wine poured from carefully disguised bottles, the wine was observed, the fine bouquets savoured and the delicate palatial experiences noted. These essential qualities of wine tasting seemed to make no difference as the Princes and Saints Committees stumbled towards their final scorecards. The result — a clear win to the Red men, and the only doubt being whether we were more skilled at appreciating the finer subtleties of wine tasting or at conning our opponents! In particular, the skills of Stair Walker, Phil Wise and David Cornish were questioned!

The Princes and Saints committees have a great rapport and this underpins the good relationship we share as Associations. We look forward to 'locking horns' with the Old Blues again in our sporting competitions in 2008.

Andrew Clarkson

Old Old Boys' Assembly

One hundred and eighty four old scholars who commenced at PAC in 1947 or before were present at the Old Old Boys' Assembly at the School on Friday 27 July, 2007 at 10.30am.

The old old scholars and the President and committee of the PAOCA who attended, were welcomed by the Headmaster, Mr Kevin Tutt.

The President, Mr Rex Wilson, spoke to the assembly and welcomed those present.

Apologies were read by the Headmaster and included:

Peta Adams, Barrie Allen, Jack Andrew, Bruce Beilby, Malcolm Bennett, Richard Besley, Roly Beverley, Fred Biggs, Graham Burchell, Ray Buttery, Warwick Carter, Bruce Chinner, John Cornish, Alan Crompton, Ian Dingle, Will Dreyer, John Duncan, Brian Fotheringham, Dening Glyde, Bill Gore, Richard Grayling, Lloyd Harford, Colin Hassell, Fred Heddle, John Higgins, Sam Humble, Gordon Johns, David Kirkman, John Lavis, Bob Mason, Keith Masters, Peter McBride, Alan McFarlane, Jack McLean, Graeme Moffatt, Bill Monfries, John Myhill, Bruce Newman, Kel Nicholls, Doug Pitman, David Prest, Don Pynor, David Queale, Peter Richardson, Doug Sanders, William Sanders, John Sandow, Graham Sidwell, David Smith, John Stockbridge, Ian Tiddy, Don Turner, Max Wellington, John Whiteford, Gus Willcox.

Preparatory School Captain Ross Anderson meets Paul Martin (second Captain of the Preparatory School) at the Canberra Dinner.

In attendance:

1947

John Baker, Richard Best, Donald Brown, Peter Bumford, Brenton Burfield, Ron Byrne, Lance Chaplin, Geoffrey Chapple, Barry Cook, Brian Copping, Dean Daebler, Graham Gann, Peter Goodale, Bruce Gray, Malcolm Gray, Geoffrey Hill, John Hoepner, Warren Leslie, Peter Lock, Bruce McLean, John McMurray, Laurie Mickan, Raymond Miell, John Nicholls, Ian Pearson, Brian Petchell, Roger Siegele, Trevor Siegele, Ian Smallacombe, Bruce Standen, Trevor Sweeny, Geoffrey Thomas, Murray Tippett, Murray Tiver, Bruce Walker, Michael Williams, Bob Wiltshire.

Thirty seven Old Boys who commenced at PAC in 1947 were welcomed as new Old Old Boys at the assembly.

Old Scholars' Week

Old Reds at the 2007 Melbourne Dinner join for a photograph on the grand staircase of The Australian Club.

1946

Owen Bartrop, David Bishop, Michael Bridgland, Tony Clark, Robert Gibbs, Bill Gibbs, Peter Hale, Robin Haskard, Graham Olsson, Barrie Sampson, Peter Standish.

1945

Harvey Bennett, Donald Burns, Charles Charlton, Jeffery Clarke, David Clarnette, Frank Cornish, Brian Dunn, Peter Gibbins, Peter Heinrich, Barry Rogers, Peter Schwerdtfeger, Bruce Thomas, Peter Warnecke.

1944

Peter Broadbent, Lyle Dayman, Garth Evans, Geoffrey Hall, David Hartley, Adrian Hersey, Brian Hill, Bill Johnson, Geoffrey Marshall, Donald McKenzie, Murray Olsson, Trevor Olsson, Donald Parsons, Matt Tiddy, Arthur Tideman, Harold Tiver, Rodger Todd.

1943

George Butler, Lawrie Ellison, Brian Francis, Don Frisby-Smith, Myles Fuller, Ray Jennison, Kevin Parkinson, Brian Pittman, Stan Schofield, John Schofield, Bruce Scott, Robert Steele, Murray Stevens.

1942

Donald Bennier, Gerald Cox, Grant Evens, Graham Fricker, Neil Horne, Barry Leon, Jim Moffatt, Don Morrison, Bob Mumford, Colin Oldfield, David Palmer, Bevan Phillips, Max Raggatt, David Rowe.

1941

Peter Cooper, Keith Le Page, Bill Menz, Richard Morris, Peter Pearce, Geoff Piper, Donald Roach, Peter Stobie, Paul Vawser.

1940

Alan Bartholomaeus, Bill Benson, Rev Cant, Keith Copping, Bill Hobbs, John Lewis, Ken Lord, Brian Martin, John Michell, Ray Michell, Geoff Peters, Doug Sanders, Brian Thomas, Graham Wicks.

1939

Frank Beauchamp, Lindsay Clarke, Dick Collison, Bruce Hockney, Colin Hockney, Robert Lavis, Peter Murray, Stan Nicholls, Michael Perry, Gordon Schwartz.

1938

Jack Brown, David Bundey, Colin Coker, Reg French, Murray Horner, Jim Kelly, Peter Kemp, John Mellor, Ivan Morris, Bob Piper.

1937

Ken Chinner, John Haigh, Donald Ide, Alan James, Allan Linton, Gordon Prest, Phil Williams.

1936

Dean Branson, John Bundey, John Cooper, Garry Kneebone.

1935

Peter Edwards, Bob Hastwell, Lester James, Donald Jorgensen, Ross Reid, Joe Whitehouse, Geoff Woollard.

1934

Don Davies, David Dunn, Norm Finch.

1933

Robert Crompton, Scott Dolling, Ian Schafer.

1932

Jim Crompton, John Dunn, Simon Harvey.

1931

Bob Walter, Ken Wildy.

1928

Ern Brennen, Rex Sandow, John Stephens, Murray Wellington.

1927

Ronald Cullen.

1925

Ray Crosby.

1923

Geoff Jones.

Reliving what PAC was like in 1977 are thirty year reunion guests:
L–R standing: Randell Brown, Craig Raeside, Jeff Neale, Grant Raymond, Mark Morton.
L–R seated: Magnus Badger, Simon Holding, Peter Warnecke, Chris Hobbs.

Branch Reports

Brisbane

Nestled in the fifth floor of the Brisbane Club, the President's Room played host to thirteen men for the 24th annual PAOCA Brisbane dinner. The slight disappointment of a small gathering quickly evaporated as those gathered established a rapport and enjoyed a fine meal.

Long-time Brisbane and Gold Coast residents met the two Bond University students Stuart Floyd and Ike Kutlaca.

The intimacy of a small dinner allowed for a more ready recollection of times at Princes as well as a broad and diverse discussion including sport, politics and business.

Dr Peter Woodruff introduced the Headmaster, Mr Kevin Tutt, when proposing the Toast to the School. The Headmaster responded, elaborating on the College's strategic plan, departmental restructuring and sporting results against Saints. Convener, Rob Jeffery introduced Association Vice President, Andrew Clarkson, who outlined the Association's 2007 activities, sports results and visions for 2008.

The late Sir George Fisher, who died three months earlier at the age of 104, was remembered fondly by Mr Bob Carr and the evening concluded with each member present introducing himself and telling those present of their life since leaving Princes.

Grateful thanks was expressed to Convener Rob Jeffery, with assistance from Robert McNeil, who organised a wonderful evening, despite recent ill health. In 2008, the Brisbane group celebrate their 25th anniversary and all Queensland-based Old Reds are welcome and urged to attend.

Andrew Clarkson

Hong Kong

Parent, Old Scholar and Agent function March 15, 2007

This event was held in the Shantung Room at the Langham Place Hotel in Mongkok. The Hotel is easily accessible by the MTR and highly regarded. Nearly 50 guests including Mr Jason Gerard (PAC 1979–1987) and the first International student of the school, Mr Frederick (Freddie) Chung, (1959–1964) joined us for light refreshments and a presentation by the Headmaster, Mr Kevin Tutt and Mrs Jane Danvers, Principal of Wilderness School.

Freddie Chung (middle back) and Jason and Emma Gerard (right) were guests at the Hong Kong gathering.

Events such as this continue the development of sound and supportive relationships within our community including Old Scholars, in their home country.

The unanimous remarks were how thrilled everyone was that we had come to Hong Kong, and in regard to current parents, how happy they are with the level of care and education their sons are receiving at PAC. Mr Tutt was also able to share with them recent developments at the school. Current parents also built new friendships, exchanging telephone numbers and promises to keep in contact with each other.

PAOCA London Centenary

In 1907 a group of Old Reds joined in London at the Holborn Restaurant to celebrate their links with Prince Alfred College. A century later one hundred and three men gathered at the Oxford and Cambridge Club to celebrate the centenary of the first reunion in London.

For more than twelve months PAOCA London convener David Gray and PAC Development Manager David Cornish worked to put together the centenary dinner and a program of associated events. In doing so they were strongly supported by the Headmaster and PAOCA President, and London based old scholars Stuart Roach, Eric Turner, John Nosworthy and John Lithgow.

The first event involving Old Reds in the lead up to the dinner was the traditional gathering of South Australians at the statute of Eros in Piccadilly Circus on the first Monday in October. The South Australian Agent General met the group on the steps of Eros in drizzle, gave a speech of welcome and we gathered with him for a photograph – without the South Australian flag as he had been provided with a Western Australian flag! The group then adjourned to Australia House for Coopers beer and Villis pies.

On Thursday 4 October Stuart Roach organised for a group comprising Rex and Cathie Wilson, David Cornish, Frank Beauchamp and George Raptis to tour Lord's Cricket Ground. Stuart had done his homework and the group enjoyed lunch following the tour at the nearby Prince Alfred Hotel!

Eric Turner, curator of the metal work collection at the Victoria and Albert Museum for more than thirty years, hosted a party for a tour of his collection on Friday 6 October. Eric's knowledge of the extensive collection, and of the history of the part of the museum in which it is displayed, was greatly appreciated by the party.

The Downer Room of Australia House was the venue for an informal gathering of Old Reds and their partners on the Friday evening. Amongst the guests were three generations of the Chapman family: Tom, his son Andrew, and his sons Lachlan and James. A number of guests had flown in that morning from Australia and other places, and was the first big opportunity for Old Reds to come together and to share the centenary celebrations with their partners.

The PAOCA London Branch Centenary Dinner was held at the Oxford and Cambridge Club on Saturday 6 October. The main dining room of the club

couldn't have been more suitable, with high maroon walls and a portrait of King William gazing down!

One hundred and three men attended the dinner, including the Headmaster, PAOCA President, the President of the PAC Foundation, and the Australian High Commissioner, Hon Richard Alston. Old Reds were joined by a group of men who had been English gap students at Princes, fondly known as 'Rent-a-Poms'! Master of ceremonies for the evening was Eric Turner. The oldest Old Red was Frank Garrett, who attended PAC 1940–1942 as a war time evacuee from the UK, and the youngest were 2006 school leavers Hamish King and Nick Whitham.

PAOCA President Rex Wilson read the Centenary Message received from HRH The Duke of Edinburgh:

I am delighted to have this opportunity to send my congratulations and best wishes to everyone attending the centenary dinner of the London Branch of the Prince Alfred Old Collegians. I remember visiting the College in 1992, and I can well understand why Old Collegians retain fond memories and loyalty to their old school.

I hope the evening is a great success, and that many friendships will be revived.

Philip

A toast to Prince Alfred College was proposed by the Australian High Commissioner and responded to by the Headmaster, who in turn proposed a toast to mark the centenary of the PAOCA London Branch. David Gray ably responded as London convener, thanking his London based supporters, David Cornish, the school and the PAOCA for their support for what had become a significant event in the history of Prince Alfred College. The final formality of the evening was the launch of Old Reds in the Old Country – a centenary history of the PAOCA London Branch by David Cornish, which was performed by his history teacher David Mattingley.

Peter Cox (centre), Master of the PAOC Lodge, welcomes the Deputy Grand Master, Ray Clark (right), and the Headmaster Kevin Tutt, to the Lodge Centenary Dinner at The Adelaide Club.

A photograph of the 1907 dinner shows a group of 22 men formally attired sitting around a table. A century later 103 men gathered on the main stair case of the Oxford and Cambridge Club for the official photo, and then gave a roof lifting 'Razzle Dazzle'! The PAOCA London Centenary Dinner was a stunning example of the Princes spirit, and will never be forgotten by those present. The London convener David Gray lived this event for many months and it became almost a full time occupation as numbers grew and the event neared, and he can be immensely proud of the success of the evening.

In conjunction with the centenary dinner a group of partners joined for dinner at the nearby Royal Overseas League. Cathie Wilson, wife of PAOCA President Rex Wilson, hosted the event in conjunction with Flora Turner, wife of London Old Red Eric Turner. The ladies joined the men at the Oxford and Cambridge Club late in the evening to share the experience of the centenary dinner.

Old Reds and guests present at the London dinner were:

Fergus Adamson, Hon. Richard Alston, Peter Bacciarelli, Frank Beauchamp, Hector Bevitt-Smith, Ian Booth, Elliott Burford, Angus Carracher, George Carvin, Anthony Ceravolo, Alex Chapman, Andrew Chapman, Tom Chapman, Harley Copping, David Cornish, David Edwards, Tim Endersby, Andrew Fergusson, Tom Fisher, Peter Flavel, Nic Frank, Colin Frearson, Edward Gardner, Mark Gardner, Frank Garrett, Anthony Gerard, David Goedecke, David Gray, Julian Green, Warwick Groves, Benjamin Gummow, Michael Hartstone, Matthew Hobby, Michael Hobby, Peter Holmes, David Hone, Frank Hopkirk, Nick Hosking, Andrew Hough, John Hough, Philip Jeffries, Adrian Johnson, George Karafotias, Tom Katsaros, Nicholas Kerrison, Patrick Khoo, Hamish King, James Kleinig, Richard Kleinig, Ian Kneebone, Philip Kwan, Grant Laidlaw, Tom Laidlaw, Roger Lang, John Lithgow, Ben McCullum, Lachlan McDonald, Nick McLeay, Ryan Manuel, Benjamin Martin, Michael Martin, Shane Masters, David Mattingley, Ron Medlow, James Messner, J. Raymond Michell, Adam Newman, John

Wenda and David Edwards (left) from Ireland meet Uk based Partrick and Sue Parsons at the London Centenary Australia House Reception.

Nosworthy, Michael Parkinson, Patrick Parsons, Harry Perks, Nick Pontt, Adam Price, George Raptis, Toby Ritch, Stuart Roach, Hugh Rutherford, Simon Saint, James Sawyer, Leigh Schelvis, Andrew Siegele, David Stewart, Joshua Stewart, Adam Swain, Harry Swift, Giles Thomson, Jarred Tilley, David Tregoning, David Treloar, Simon Treloar, Fletcher Trowse, Stafford Trowse, Eric Turner, Kevin Tutt, Mark Vorbach, John Wark, David Weller, Nicholas Whitham, Peter Whitham, Steve Whitham, Ben Wilkinson, Stephen Wilkinson, Rex Wilson.

Melbourne

The annual Melbourne dinner was held on 14 September at The Australian Club, Melbourne. Guests of Australian Club member Professor Melville Waters, over 50 Victorian-based old boys came along to enjoy the company of new and old scholars alike and listen to addresses from Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, Fred Hamood (PAOCA), and special keynote speaker Glenn Cooper AM, who made a special trip from Adelaide for the dinner.

Master of Ceremonies and dinner co-conveners, Gavin Coldwell and Andrew Allen also had the pleasure of presenting a number dinner awards to; Brian Chase (oldest), Alastair Dillon and Fletcher Hall (youngest) and Wyn Morro as the furthest travelled from Los Angeles for the dinner.

A very enjoyable night was had by all in attendance.

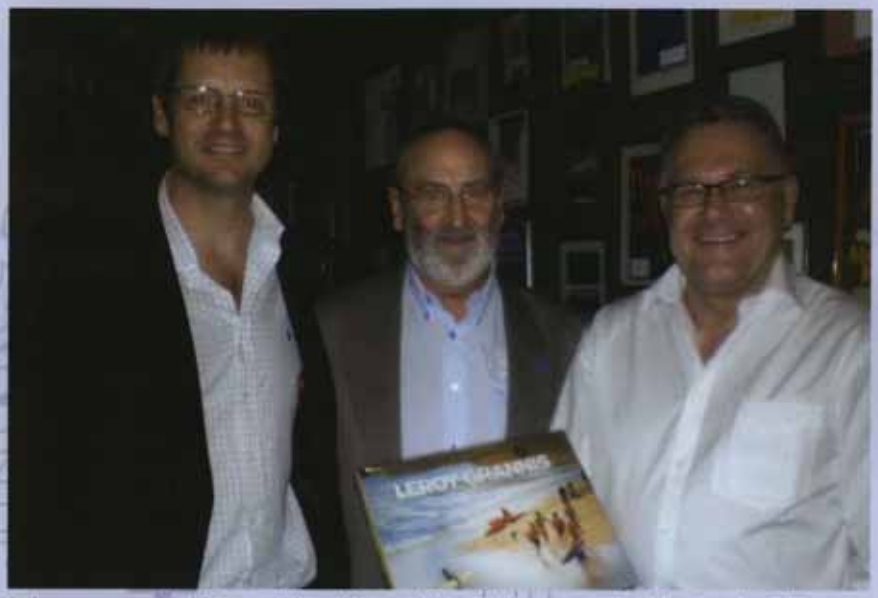
Andrew Allen

Perth

On Friday 31 August 2007, twenty seven old reds attended pre dinner drinks in a reception room followed by the annual dinner in a private function room in the salubrious Savannah Restaurant at the Rendezvous Observation Hotel on Scarborough Beach.

Master of Ceremonies, Rick Davies, welcomed the Old Scholars including the Headmaster, Kevin Tutt and the President of the Old Scholars' Association, Rex Wilson.

Guy Badman proposed the Toast to the School, and the Headmaster responded with an update of all that has occurred over the past twelve months and is currently happening at Prince Alfred College.



Sydney convener David Greenslade and Howard Kerr Smith present a book for the school library to the Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, at the Sydney Dinner.

Luke Davies proposed the Toast to the Association and the President responded with an update of a recent and very successful Old Scholars' Week.

Ties were presented to the youngest Old Boy, Luke Davies, the oldest, Jack Rundle and the furthest travelled, Paul Axford from Leonora, which is due north of Kalgoorlie.

Thanks to Rick Davies and Bill Tasker who have been steadily building up attendance at this dinner over the past 5 years.

Rex Wilson

Sydney

In a break from previous years the 2007 Sydney Dinner was held at the Bellevue Hotel in Paddington. The more casual setting and dress code was well received with numbers reaching the point of venue capacity (which in my time as NSW PAOC President is a first!).

The Headmaster was our guest speaker and he provided an excellent report on activities within the school as well as the major Intercol sporting results. Concerns were raised over the recent Head of the River rowing results, with some attendees noting there are no prizes awarded for second place. The Head was quick to assure all in attendance that these issues would be swiftly addressed.

We were also fortunate to have both Rex Wilson, President PAOCA, and Andrew Chapman the School Foundation President in attendance, who entertained the NSW Chapter with a thorough account of all matters of importance.

The drinks and good humour were continued after dinner in the bar, where it was roundly agreed the less formal atmosphere of the pub would be repeated for next years dinner.

David Greenslade
President NSW PAOC

Andrew Allen (left) and Nick Reade (right) thank Glenn Cooper for his presentation at the Melbourne Dinner.

Regional Reports

Eyre Peninsula – Arno Bay

The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, Development Officer, David Cornish, President of the Old Scholars' Association, Rex Wilson and his wife Cathie, flew to Port Lincoln for the dinner being held at Arno Bay on Saturday 3 March. After sampling an excellent local cappuccino coffee on Tasman Terrace and a brief look around the town and the Marina, they headed up the coast past North Shields, Louth Bay and Port Neil to Arno Bay, dropping into these coastal towns on the way.

The first person to meet them at the Arno Bay hotel was old scholar, Rob Shaughnessy (PAC 1952–1961) and a former secondary school teacher at PAC who now works in education at Whyalla.

The Adelaide group stayed at the hotel which was also the venue for the dinner. It was a very enjoyable evening being a mixed dinner with 39 attending. Peter Rehn proposed the Toast to the School and Tom Bagshaw proposed the Toast to the Association. The Centenary London Dinner was promoted, but local identity Peter Treloar explained they couldn't make it to the dinner as it was the Cummins Show that weekend! Ties were presented to Rob Shaughnessy, who had travelled the furthest and Brett Ramsay, the youngest in attendance.

Early on the Sunday morning, the Adelaide contingent headed off to enjoy a superb breakfast at the Boatshed Café in Tumby Bay. After having a good look around the town, which is the dinner venue for 2008, they headed back to Port Lincoln. They stopped at a beautiful little Anglican Church named St Matthews in the small settlement of Poonindie, where many years ago a St Peter's College football team stayed in the church loft, after travelling to the west coast to play a local Aboriginal football team.

Before the Adelaide party winged their way back to Adelaide, the Headmaster interviewed a boy, who was applying for a scholarship at PAC, and his parents in the airport arrival/departure lounge.

Mid North — Jamestown

The mid winter Mid North Jamestown dinner has become something of a legendary night in the Old Collegians' Association calendar. Meeting in the dining room of the Jamestown Hotel on Saturday 18 August, 23 Old Reds and their partners enjoyed a warm evening despite the cool air outside.

Convener, Malcolm Catford, welcomed those attending and a wonderful meal was enjoyed. Malcolm proposed a Toast to the School recollecting many of his life's memories associated with PAC. The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, responded outlining many of the developments and exciting activities at the College. He paid tribute to the Catford family and their role in the installation of a stained glass window from the local community church at Appila into the chapel at the College.

John Staker proposed the Toast to the Association, to which President, Rex Wilson responded. An hour of laughter and fond reminiscences was held in the front bar of the hotel following the dinner.

Some progress was made in unravelling the secrets of how the St Peter's College Hackney Road gates mysteriously changed colour one night many years ago!

The healthy contingent from Adelaide would like to thank Alan Rasheed for entertaining them for breakfast at his home in Jamestown the following day before the drive home to Adelaide through the rolling green hills of the Clare Valley.

Many thanks to co-conveners Malcolm Catford and Bill Blake.

Andrew Clarkson

Riverland

The Riverland and Mallee dinner was held at the Loxton hotel on Saturday 26 May 2007. Barry Rollbusch [chairman] assisted by Tom Shannon [convener] organised an excellent evening which was well attended and supported by a contingent of eight from Adelaide.

David Shannon related the significance of the school to his life and proposed the Toast to the School. The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, responded outlying new and proposed developments in the school and boarding house.

Tom Shannon proposed the Toast to the Association and referred to the significance of the Association in life after school. The President, Rex Wilson, responded discussing the role of the Association and outlined events over the last twelve months and warmly encouraged members to attend the annual dinner in Adelaide.

The oldest old scholar in attendance was Brian Martin. The youngest was David Shannon. Steve Clark travelled the furthest [from Queensland] special mention was made of Steve Clark's newly arrived infant son Wyatt who was in attendance and destined to attend the school.

At the conclusion of the dinner there was a general discussion about the format and location of the next dinner and it was agreed that it would be at Loxton. The Adelaide contingent had an excellent weekend with Saturday lunch at Banrock Station and tackled "the big breakfast" at Loxton prior to departure.

I would particularly like to thank Barry Rollbusch for his enthusiastic support this year.

Rob Hall

South East

This year's dinner was held at the Henry & Rose Restaurant at Keith on Saturday 24 February. Although the attendance was well down on other years, twenty-four Old Scholars had a great time and many stories were told including some very tall stories from Bill Hunt from Bordertown. The meal was excellent and this was enhanced by some good South East wines. Will Secker, who is one of our young Old Scholars, must be congratulated on his efforts in organising the dinner.

Those attending from Adelaide were, the Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, Director of Development, Grant Davis, Vice President of the Old Scholars' Association, Andrew Clarkson, the Secretary, Peter Crouch and Committee Members, Peter Brooks, Fred Hamood and Doug Paterson.

The Toast to the School was proposed by Bill Richards. The Headmaster responded with a presentation on the new projects and the exciting developments that are taking place at the School.

John McMurray proposed the Toast to the Association and the Vice President of the Association, Andrew Clarkson responded.

Ties were presented to the following:

Youngest Old Scholar, Aaron Richards
Oldest Old Scholar, Brian Schinckel
Furthest travelled, Rodger Todd.

The 2008 South East Dinner will be held at Penola in the capable hands of Peter DeGaris, David Clarkson and Rodger Todd.

Southern Hills/Fleurieu Peninsula

The Southern Hills / Fleurieu Peninsula dinner was held at the McCracken Country Club on Friday 16 March 2007. The local convener Andrew Jeffery, assisted by Kym Bartel did an excellent job in bringing together 57 people for the dinner. The mixed evening was a popular format and once again many Old Reds and their partners enjoyed the chance to meet and discuss the year.

Dr Fred Heddle, looking remarkably spritely and ever astute, at the age of 96 presented a wonderful speech recollecting many of his Princes' experiences and the profound effect that Princes had had on his life. He received a warm ovation from those assembled. Mrs Cynthia May, Head of the Senior School, responded on behalf of the College. Andrew Jeffery toasted the Association and President, Rex Wilson, responded outlining the Association's activities for 2007 and thanked those assembled for the effort they had made to attend.

Andrew Clarkson

Yorke Peninsula

This year's dinner was held at the Maitland Hotel under the guidance of local convener Simon Greenslade. While numbers for the dinner had been disappointing those who made an effort to attend once again enjoyed a wonderful evening.

A report on the development of the schools new facility located around Hardwicke Bay was of great interest to all and once again strengthens the schools strong ties with the Peninsula.

Much debate was had in relation to the format and timing of next year's dinner and all agreed that a much stronger presence of members was needed. With many Old Scholars spread through the Peninsula it deserves a far better attendance to what has always been a well-supported evening in the past. While the sheer distance of the Peninsula means that it can be hard to travel to and from the dinner it is still one of the better ways for the school to give current and relative information in relation to its activities, results, planning and development.

I ask all Old Scholars from the Peninsula to take an active role in attending in 2008.

Alistair Walker

Purely Personal

Purely Personal

Old Scholars Lyndon Foot (PAC 1989–1996) and Michael Vast (PAC1991–1996) recently shared an unbeaten 284 run partnership playing for Adelaide Hills Cricket Association side Eastern Ranges. The partnership began at the fall of the first wicket with the score at 1/57. The pair batted together for 25 overs, guiding the Ranges to 1/341 from 39 overs, Lyndon carrying his bat with a career best 170 not out and Michael with his maiden century, 107 not out. Eastern Ranges finished the season by defeating Scott Creek Iron Bank in the Grand Final.

In August Bob Francis (PAC 1948–1957) celebrated his 50th year as a radio broadcaster, and told us that his fondest memories of Princes include performing the school plays every year under the guidance of Bert (Rajah) Coombes.

Ken Grundy (PAC 1956–1957), the Mayor of the Naracoorte Lucindale Council, noted recently that many Old Reds have served as local councillors but two in particular were from his cohort of boarders in 1956. Brian Hurn (PAC 1954–1956) has been a councillor and Mayor of the Barossa Valley Council for several years and Ken Rollond (PAC 1956–1957) has recently been re-elected as Mayor of Holdfast Bay.

Congratulations to Andrew Jeffery (PAC 1949–1955) who was presented with Rotary's Paul Harris Fellow Award in June 2006 for service at a club and district level. Andrew was also presented with Scoutings' Outstanding Service Award in August by Her Excellency Marjorie Jackson-Nelson, AC, CVO, MBE, Governor of South Australia.

Sam Knight (PAC 1990–2002), drummer and vocalist for Mayfield — an alternative rock bank who have been labelled the 'new grunge' by media — will be touring the UK/Europe following the successful release of their second self titled record. The tour includes over sixty shows in festivals and clubs in eleven countries.

Dr Colin Luke (PAC 1946–1958), the Director of Clinical Epidemiology at the South Australian Department of Health has achieved a number of milestones since leaving PAC as Dux of School in 1958 — including being awarded a National Heart Foundation Research Scholarship, achieving the position of Senior Medical Research Officer at the University of Adelaide, Mortlock Medical Research Fellow, and Honorary Virologist at the Royal Adelaide Hospital.

After winning the prestigious Rhodes Scholarship in 2005, Ryan Manuel (PAC 1993–1998) is currently in China studying Mandarin Chinese at the Beijing University. Ryan tells us that apart from struggling hard with the Chinese language, its various tones and character, he has continued his devotion to Badminton, where he is the only non-Chinese member in the Beijing University Badminton Squad.

Rob Motteram (PAC 1951–1961) informs us that the Alumni of 1960–1961 enjoy lunching together approximately three times a year. The group meet at various places and invites other Old Reds from these year groups to join them. For more information and lunch dates, please contact Rob directly via email on motts@adam.com.au.

Tom Saint (PAC 1987–1991) owner and manager of the property Savanak on the Yorke Peninsula has recently been elected to the SAFF Grains Council.

Marcus Thompson (PAC 1986–1990) has relocated to Hong Kong from London to head the Australian and Asian investment banking operations of Lexican Partners. Marcus is a partner in the Energy and Infrastructure banking team which is part of one of the largest private investment banks in the world.

Australia Day Honours 2007

Member of the Order of Australia — AM

Professor Graham Vernon Vimpani — (PAC 1956–1960). For service to medicine as a paediatrician committed to improving child health and welfare through contributions to a range of government, professional and community organisations, and as an academic, researcher and clinician.

Order of Australia — Emergency Services Medal — ESM

Roger Kenneth Murdoch (PAC 1960–1963). For distinguished service in the emergency services of Australia.

Ambulance Services Medal — ASM

Leith Roland Gregurke (PAC 1954–1957) was awarded the Ambulance Services Medal celebrating over 40 years service as a volunteer in operational and administrative positions in St John Ambulance, the Country Ambulance Advisory Committee and the South Australian Ambulance Service.

Sports Clubs

Badminton

Committee (2007): David Olsson (Chairman), Grant Harris (Treasurer), Jane Olsson (Secretary), Ian Harris, Jim Leaney, Keith Gatford, Daniel Marchant, Stefan Caddy-Retalic and Andrew Surman

Achievements in 2006/07

SABA Competition:

Summer Season 2006/07

PAOC teams won the State League, A Grade and C Grade 2006/07 summer season premierships:

- SL PAOC Red defeated SL PAOC White
- A Grade PAOC defeated Glenelg
- C Grade PAOC Raiders defeated PAOC Redbacks

A great effort by all concerned.

Winter Season 2007

Eight PAOC teams competed in the winter season and had mixed results. State League Red finished 3rd and State League White finished 4th, A Grade finshed 3rd. B Grade White finished 8th, B Grade Red finished 7th and B Grade Reds won the Premiership. C Grade Red won the premiership and C Grade White finished 4th.

Junior League: PAOC entered three teams in the first JL season of 2007. The PAOC Redbacks defeated the PAOC Dragons to finish in first place in Division 1. As always, the club very much appreciates the efforts of parents who assist with our junior league teams and junior coaching program.

State representatives: The club is pleased to acknowledge the achievements of the following club players who have represented the state at junior and senior level in 2007: Jonathon Liu, Laura Wong, Dominic Wong, Chad Whitehead, Mark Prior and Talia Saunders and also club members who volunteer in various capacities to assist with state teams: Andrew Surman (State Under 17 coach), Chris Thirlwell (State Under 19 coach and Senior Coach) and Tracy Farinola (team umpire for Under 17). A special mention is recorded for the PAOC members who participated in the winning Ede Cleninnen Shield (Chad Whitehead, Mark Prior and Talia Saunders).

Victorious Badminton Players L to R: Michael Stankiewcz, David Olsson, Kevin Khaw and Tim Chong Seated L to R: Chen Tu, Andrew Surman and Chong Tsang

Social Events

The club's 2007 end of winter season presentation night was held at the Kensington Hotel. The most valuable player awards were presented to the following players: State League Tim Wong, State League Heng Lee, A Grade Tania Prior, B Grade Claire Wong. B Grade Meng Tan, B Grade Chen Tu, C Grade Dominic Wong and C Grade Vincent Cheung.

The club's annual trip to the Southern Vales wineries will again take place in October. As always, a big occasion for all. Thanks to Ian Harris for organising the arrangements with Coriole Winery.

Tournaments

Junior Singles

In November 2006, the club held its annual junior singles championship for the Liz Ashforth trophy:

Division 1
Jonathon Liu def Stefan Fong 21 to 18

Division 2
Owen Yang def Michael Thompson 21 to 15

Division 3
Malvika Hemanth def Michael Ma 21 to 9

Under 13 Boys Singles Domonic Wong

Under 14 Girls Singles Laura Wong

Under 16 Schools Tournament Mixed Doubles Jonathon Liu and Steph Rogers

Under 15 Mens Doubles: Domonic Wong and Jonathon Liu and Mixed Doubles Domonic Wong and Laura Wong

Mixed Doubles

In December 2006 the club held the mixed doubles championship for the Brian Semple Trophy. Mark Prior and Tania Prior defeated Velore Hemanth and Tracy Farinola 21 to 17.

School Liaison: The club retained a close link with the school, providing court officials for the Intercol match against St Peter's College. Andrew Surman and Chong Tsang also undertook coaching throughout the year with the Badminton Intercol Squad and school teams.

Thanks to the school for their ongoing support and the use of the facilities in the sports stadium. The club trains at the school every Sunday morning from 10am to 1pm. (Juniors 10am to 11am and Seniors from 11am to 1pm). Any person interested in playing for the club should contact David Olsson on 84311315(h) or 84636917(w).

David Olsson
Chairman, PAOC Badminton Club www.paocbadminton.com

Basketball

In 2007 the Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Basketball Club entered its 15th year and it proved to be one of the best years we have had both on and off court. We recruited well this year with the 2007 crop of rookies proving to be a diverse bunch of different ages and skills and all made a valuable contribution to the club.

Socially our calendar was once again full of lively club events kicked off with the Annual Rookies' Night, the club favourite Pub Crawl, the 4th Annual Players' Player Awards Dinner at The Bull and Bear and the 15th Annual Club Lunch, as well as, hosting duties for the Intercol.

On court we had a fantastic year with two Premierships to add to the club trophy cabinet. In addition, for the first time ever we were able to win all the A, B and C trophies in the Intercol.

On Saturday, the A Grade and B Grade teams both played in the SA Church Basketball Association A Grade Men's Competition (the only club to have two A Grade Men's Teams).

The As finished Runners Up for a 3rd straight year. Nic Blair was awarded the Players' Player medal for the 2nd straight year and was also awarded Most Valuable Player. Liam Golding was awarded with Best Team Man. This year was also Grant Nalder's last year in the As — the 2004 Club Champion has been a fantastic contributor to both the As and the Club and will be sadly missed by everyone on and off the court.

The B Grade cemented itself as one of the top teams with an 8 win 8 loss record and made the A Grade Finals for the 2nd straight year but unfortunately lost in the Elimination Final. Leo Borges was awarded the B Grade Players' Player and was also given Most Valuable Player. Nathan Graham was awarded Best Team Man. Ben Foran has also played his last game for the Club — Ben was the heart and soul of the Bs team and his hustle, intensity and skill will be missed by all.

The C Grade team had an awesome year and won the C Grade Grand Final by 20 points. Brad Daniel won both the Players' Player and Most Valuable Player awards and Mark Henderson was named Best Team Man. Special mention to Jay Nguyen who came into the team late but dominated in all games he played and had 20 points in the Grand Final.

The D Grade boys had a tough year in E Grade and never seemed to gel, they did battle hard to get to the Elimination Final but lost. Rookie Peter Curtin (at the ripe old age of 45) won D Grade Players' Player and along with Tom Lunn was named Most Valuable Player.

The E Grade, in one of the great stories in the clubs history, won the F Grade title. They barely made the finals finishing 4th but in the finals rolled all comers and pulled out an amazing 1 point win in the Grand Final. Matt Spangler was named Players' Player and Most Valuable Player and club rookie Andrew McKinnon won Best Team Man.

Monday team lost in the Grand Final - James Baker was named Most Valuable Player and Ryan Williams was named Best Team Man. Crazy Wednesday's finished 3rd with Stu MacDonald named Most Valuable Player and Luke Carrangis winning the prestigious Matt Trim Trophy. The Thursday team also lost in the Grand Final with Andrew Todd named Most Valuable Player.

3rd year player Chris Donaldson was named Club Champion. In a year where he was asked to start in the Bs he made his way into the As and was an offensive force. Chris is easily one of the most talented players to ever play for PAOCBC and is a deserving winner.

I would like to thank all the Captains of teams for all your work and all the players for your contributions. Personally, I would like to thank Simon Miller, Andrew Williams and Andrew Todd for all the help you give me - it has been invaluable.

The Club's website www.paocbc.com continues to provide information such as contact details for Club members, game times, results and statistics as well as links to various sites of interest to Club members (including our sponsors). The site has added a number of photos and reports from Intercols, grand finals and the annual luncheon.

The Club would also like to thank our sponsors The Queen's Head Hotel and Coopers Brewery for their help.

The Club trains on Tuesday evenings between January and September from approximately 6.00pm to 8.00pm at the School gym. There are teams playing on Saturday, Monday, Wednesday and Thursday in the winter season and currently on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday (at MARS) over the summer season. Any Old Scholars interested in playing for the Club can attend training or contact any one of the following for more details:

Club President Ben Palk on
0405 249 794, 8302 0550 (work) or
ben.palk@unisa.edu.au

Club Treasurer Simon Miller on
0412 853 633, 8211 7800 (work) or
smiller@ppbsa.com.au

Bowls vs Saints 2007

Sixty four committed and talented bowlers competed in the annual bowls tournament between PAOC and our cross town rivals SPOC, which was played on a steamy but lovely night on the 15th of February.

As usual a full field coming from all over South Australia competed in a closely fought encounter, with PAOC narrowly gaining victory by 9 shots. Afterwards supper and drinks were enjoyed by all participants as the mostly red shield was handed over to the PAOCA President Rex Wilson.

Once again PAOCA would like to thank the Adelaide Bowling Club for hosting the annual competition. The Association would also like to especially recognise Peter Broadbent on his ongoing role and contribution in organising an always special event.

All serious and casual bowlers who are interested in competing in next year's event are invited to contact Peter on (08) 8356 4780.

Aaron Puvi
Committee Convener 2007

Cricket vs Saints

The Old Scholars' game was held at Saints this year with the Reds selecting a side containing a majority of players who currently play for PAOCCC. We won the toss and elected to bat on an excellent batting strip. A number of players got starts but were unable to capitalise, with the exception of Tom Bartlett who made an impressive 77 not out and quick fire 27 from Jack Dent at the end. PAC ended up making 8 for 194 from our 50 overs.

Saints fielded a strong line up featuring a number of A Grade district players and had little trouble with the target, making it only five wickets down and with five wickets to spare. Sam Tyler led the fight

with 3 for 42 from 10 overs and Jack Dent was unplayable but was extremely unlucky to finish with 1 for 41 from his allotment.

Saints have now won the last two Chester Bennett Cup matches and appear desperate to field their best Old Scholars' XI. The challenge is out there for us to respond next year. Thanks to all those who played in the game.

Michael Siciliano, Captain

Cricket

For the third consecutive season PAOCCC entered five teams in the Adelaide Turf Cricket Association.

Our A Grade had another disappointing season with a couple of narrow losses seeing the team finish in seventh position. All-rounder Chris Drew had a standout year taking out both the Ted Norman Cup for A Grade batting (347 runs at 31.55) and the A Grade bowling trophy (22 wickets at 17.45). Chris topped off his year by taking out the Redman Award.

Both the D and E Grades had a tough season as a result of the strongly contested LOA and LOC competitions and finished tenth and ninth respectively. Ben Cunningham (392 runs at 39.20) and club veteran Antony "Jack" Brabham (21 wickets at 23.14) were the trophy winners for the Ds, while co-captain Simon Hains (276 at 21.23) and Kurt Strazdins (22 wickets at 13.14) were the leading performers for the Es.

The B Grade finished in the top four however was eliminated in the semi-final by Hectorville. Up and coming batsman Brad Walter took out the batting trophy with 316 runs at 63.20, including a score of 182 not out which is the highest known individual score in club history. David Reed was the leading bowler, snaring 20 wickets at 17.00.

The C Grade was the top performer of season 2006/07, missing out on the C1 premiership against arch rival SPOC by the smallest of margins. Congratulations to Captain Michael Siciliano and Vice-Captain Andrew Heitmann on a fine season. Club Chairman Greg Stirling took out the batting honours (370 runs at 37.00) while Heitmann (21 wickets at 16.43) was the leading bowler.

Up and coming A Grade seamer Tim Boucaut took out the Mark Schwartz Award for best Under 21 player while David Gerner was awarded the Moffat Family Trophy for Best Club Man for his contribution as B Grade captain and Chairman of Selectors.

The 2007/08 season marks the 75th anniversary of PAOCCC. Plans are underway for a 75 Year Dinner and Reunion on Saturday 19 January 2008 at The National Wine Centre. The evening promises to be a fantastic night with Max Walker entertaining as guest speaker and popular band Acoustic Juice. Kindly contact Club Secretary Brad Weidenhoffer (0421 521 615) for further information.

The season is about to get underway with ex Kensington premiership player Sam Turner re-signed as Club Coach. The season sees continued enthusiasm around the club, particularly in light of a new sponsorship deal and return to the Hackney Hotel. Training is Tuesday and Thursday nights at the PAC Back Oval, all new players are welcome.

Brad Weidenhoffer

Football

The PAOCFC experienced a disappointing year this year on the field, after starting the season with a young squad filled with potential. After a good pre-season and early trial form, new coach David Walker was expecting his young team to be competitive with the top teams.

The PAOCFC fielded 3 teams for 2007 in the South Australian Amateur Football League this year in the following grades:

A Grade: Division 3 Coach — David Walker

B Grade: Division 3 Reserves Coach — Ben Nash

C Grade Division 9 Coach — Nick Girdler

Despite the disappointing results on the field in 2007, there were still a number of highlights. The PAOCFC enabled 123 players to play football this year, which goes to show the support of old scholars towards the club. Also, the club allowed 10 players to play there first A Grade game for the club in their first or second years out of school.

Off the field, the PAOCFC had an excellent year with numerous functions held for both players and supporters. Miss Princes, Rock with the Reds and the End of Season Presentation Dinner at Next Generation were all well attended and successful events. This year also saw the Club hold the 2nd Edition of the PAOCFC Poker Classic held at Skycity Casino and was attended by 50 supporters and sponsors of the club.

There were also a number of individual highlights throughout the season. Defender Cameron Garry won his first A Grade Best & Fairest Award in just his first full season of A grade football, Nick Sanders won the B Grade and Jon Coop won the C Grade. Justin Green won the Club's Leading Goal Kicker Award and Nick Rees won the Rookie of the Year.

The PAOCFC also enjoyed magnificent support from our Major Sponsors this year: The General Havelock Hotel, Coopers, Adrover, T & R Pastoral, Trims, Fielders and ResourceCo. All of these companies have shown great support to the Old Scholars Football Club and its community and gives all old scholars an opportunity to play football every year.

The club is looking forward to rebuilding in 2008 season and encourages all school leavers and old scholars to join the club next year.

Please check our website for details: www.paocfc.com

Matthew Lowe
2007 PAOCFC Chairman

Old Reds' Golf Day

The 2007 Old Reds' Golf Day was held at the Kooyonga Golf Club on Monday 5 February. One hundred players participated in a shot gun stableford team and individual format.

The event was made possible due the generous sponsorship by:

Trims : Russell Trim

National Australia Bank : Richard Hockney

Treasury : Rob Parsons

Playquip : Phil Wise

O'Leary Walker Wines : John Easling

Chain of Ponds Wines : Honi Dolling

Coopers : Tim and Glenn Cooper

Hamood's Plonk Glenside: Fred Hamood

Gilbert Motor Bodies : Alistair Walker

Boags : Heath Brasher

A special thanks to the staff of Kooyonga for presenting a championship course and turning on an excellent meal. I would also like to thank our drink monitors for their volunteer support

around the course (Murray Olsson, Grant Davis and Simon White).

At the conclusion of play the President Rex Wilson presented prizes to the following players:

Handicap Division Individual Stableford: Ian Jenkins 40 points

Handicap Division Team Stableford : Sean Heylen, Ben Darsow, Simon Moschou and Tom Twelftree 133 points

Non-Handicap Division Individual Stableford: Sean Tanner 39 points

Non-Handicap Division Team Stableford: Julian Wilson, David Bowering and Ren McLean, 118 points

Lowest individual score : David Marsh 10 points

Lowest team score : Gary Murdoch, Chris Murdoch, Ian McNeill and Jamie Kelly 78 points

Nearest to the pin 7th : Gary Murdoch

Nearest to the pin 14th : Rob Motteram

Longest drive 16th : Simon Moschou

Straight drive 1st : Owen Williams

Closest 2nd shot 5th : Pete Marshall

Next year's event will be held at the Kooyonga Golf Club on Monday 4 February.

Hockey

A much improved season for the red men this year. Once again we fielded one team in the Div 4 grade. Having finished 8th in 2006 we were looking for improvement and consistency. We needed a coach and we found one in Sam Wagner. Wags got us playing as a cohesive unit and the results started to flow. We finished fourth in the minor round with 9 wins, 6 losses and 3 draws and snuck into the finals on percentage — by one goal in fact, thanks to a 9-0 win in the last game where Tom Newman slotted 6 goals.

We hadn't played finals in many years, so were pleased just to be there and met Burnside in the semi-final. The team mood was to go further into September, and so it was with a 4–1 win. The Burnside team includes a number of lads from the school who are good up and coming players. We hope to see some of them playing for the Reds in the future. The preliminary final was against Port and also where our September dream ended. We were 1–0 up with about fifteen minutes to play when Tom Newman's hamstring went. Although merely symbolic, it seemed to spell the end for us. Port had controlled the game more than us, and eventually ran over the top of us to win 3–1.

Recruiting was a big key to our success in 2007, and Sam Hilditch was a welcome addition to the club. He was our top goal scorer with 19 goals for the season.

Overall it was a great year for the club, both on and off the field. The Lion Hotel continued their sponsorship of the club which is much appreciated. Their logo is proudly embroidered on our new club uniform, and we tried to give as much patronage as possible to our loyal sponsor.

The future looks bright for the club, with our aim to move to 2 senior teams in the next couple of years. New players are always welcome. Please contact Steve Olsson on 0410 126 028 or any other club members if you are interested in having a run.

Steve Olsson

Soccer

The "Vintage Reds" were formed this year, made up of current and former PAC Old Scholar Soccer Club players, thanks to the organisational efforts of Leo Davey and Anthony Savvas. Contesting the 7 a-side Summer Twilight Series in the veterans over 35s division, it has allowed notable former PAC soccer greats such as Andrew Barkham and Todd Brown another opportunity to pull on a red strip. Currently leading the division the levels of enjoyment and success may well see this become an annual contest.

Competing in the Collegiate Soccer League the PAC Old Scholars' Soccer Club has an A and B team coached by former Adelaide City striker Frank Mignone. Playing on Saturday afternoons the B side game is scheduled to play before the A side at the same ground, Victoria Park being our home pitch.

Both teams enjoyed mixed results this season, the B team captain was Sam Staker and the A side was captained by Mark Roma. Mark's departure to London midway through the season left the backline searching at times. Daniel Walsh fought hard to fill the defensive void and was rewarded with the Coach's Award Trophy.

Newcomer to the club, Dong Lee (Capt. PAC Soccer 2006), wasted no time in making an impression, with his consistent efforts earning him top goal scorer for the A side. Other highlights were also seen from Rowan Tape to take the title for B side top goal scorer.

Jim Kelly is welcomed to Old Old Boys by his grandson Jack Kelly.

Pre-season training begins next February at Park 9 (cnr. Hackney and Bundeys Rd.) on Monday and Wednesday nights with competition beginning in April. Anyone wishing to become involved should contact Greg Clark (0402 994 149).

Greg Clark

Squash

The Squash Club has had an enjoyable year with a growing social membership and internal competition. However, it has only been able to field three teams in Autumn and Spring Pennants, with the Division 4 team the only one progressing through to the still continuing Spring Finals.

The AGM and Annual Dinner were held in February at Braggs on East with our Guest Speaker Cynthia May, Head of the Secondary School at PAC, speaking of the importance of sport, some of her sporting successes and the roll sport has played in her life. The Dinner is always a great time to catch up with past players who frequently attend, and our special thanks to Ryan Klose who makes sure those present enjoy premium wines throughout the evening.

During the year, the Club has contributed to the cost of the total refurbishment of the School's four squash courts and has invested in a new stove in the kitchen in the sporting complex. It has also encouraged new social members

by investing in coaching with well known squash identity Mike Nash and earlier in the year Vaughn Huddleston, overseeing the Men's Health Group, introduced us to the state of the art facilities in the School's gymnasium.

The Old Scholars' squash match held between the Old Reds and the Old Blues during Old Scholars' Week was fiercely contested this year, resulting in the closest contest in many years. The Princes players were Anthony Sallis, Andrew Pomery, Tom West and Michael Healy and the Saints team comprised Gus Donaldson, Rehn Papillion, Andy Delmont and Christopher Plummer. The results were 2 rubbers all, 6 games all, with the Reds winning by the very small margin of 2 points, 68 points to the Blues 66. The Brian Fricker Cup was presented to the Reds by former Chairman of SPOC and Saints convener, Phil Plummer, this being the 40th year in succession the Old Reds had won this event.

The committee is always eager to encourage old scholars to join the Squash Club and so, as an incentive, any new player competing for the Club in competition will forgo paying fees for the first season.

Any person interested in finding out more about the Squash Club is most welcome to contact Rex Wilson at home on 8332 6202 or mobile 0412 813 415.

The PAOC Squash Club wishes all Old Reds and members of the Princes community a safe, prosperous and enjoyable 2008.

Tennis vs Saints

Once again Princes entered the annual contest for the E T Rowe Cup quietly confident with the injection of some high-quality 'new' old scholars, and once again we walked away in defeat wondering what else we could possibly do... although it would surely help if all players presented themselves on time and also remembered their Tennis racquets — seriously (no names mentioned)!

Saints hosted the event at their new Old Scholars' Club courts at Kensington Lawn, attracting a reasonable crowd, and it is likely that the event will be held there every year now, as the players tend to prefer pure grass over the sandy substitute of the two schools.

The first doubles round was a high class affair, but Saints seemed to clinch all of the important points and raced to a 6 rubbers to nil lead, with Princes stalwarts Andrew Reed and Justin Venning winning our solitary set. The reverse round actually proved to be our best round since our 2002 win (our only win in 14 years), with honours eventually shared at 3 rubbers each. Ali MacDonald and Tim Crichton prevailed in the super tie-break, whilst Dan Forbes and Andy Timbs and Andrew Reed and Justin Venning recorded straight sets wins.

The final scoreline makes for familiar reading unfortunately, with SPOC winning 9 rubbers (19 sets & 147 games) to PAOC's 3 rubbers (7 sets & 97 games), once again displaying their awesome depth, and leaving us with little option but to pay for flights to bring home our overseas champs!

Wesley Legrand

Tennis vs Saints

Back L to R: Justin Venning, Dan Forbes, Andy Timbs, Tim Crichton, Andrew Reed, Ali MacDonald
Front L to R: Wes Legrand, Alfie Brown, Jasper Wolfe, Stefan Pretorius, Matt Selby, Ryan Bickmore
Absent: Josh Boorman

New Members

Alam, Javed
Andrew, John
Angove, Mason
Arthur, Hamish
Avina, Peter
Badawee, Daniel
Bade, James
Bailey, Oscar
Barry, Ryan
Bell, Tom
Bennett, Henry
Bond, Hugh
Boorman, Daniel
Brebner, Malcolm
Brewerton, Joshua
Brown, Jack
Bubner, Alexander
Burford, David
Butler, Julian
Buttery, Andrew
Carlier, Thomas
Chalmers, Samuel
Clarke, Michael
Coker, Thomas
Conroy, Shaun
Cooper, Adam
Coventry, Charles
Covino, Christopher
Crawford, Bryn
Crookshanks, Amzah
Crossley, Alexander
Cunynhame, Adam
Deruvo, Patrick
Dickson, Simon
Dixon, David
Dods, Sean
Dunk, Mason
Du Rieu, Thomas
Easling, Edward
Edmonds, Christopher
Edwards, Benjamin
Elley, Stephen
Finn, Harry
Freburg, Peter
Frost, Jared
Fyfe, David
Gatley, Alexander
Gebhardt, William
Georgiou, Adam
Goode, Geoffrey
Goss, Tristan
Grace, Cameron
Greenshields, Michael
Greenslade, Alexander
Growden, Gregory
Hanin, David
Harms, Alexander
Harris, Nicholas
Heng, Tseng Hui
Heritage, Myles
Hilditch, Samuel
Hill-Crago, James
Hissey, Michael
Hissey, William
Hosking, Paul
Howland, Maxwell
Hudson, Robert E
Hunt, Dylan
James, Duncan
James, Harrison
Jeong, Sul Ong
Johnston, Doug
Jones, Adrian
Katsaros, Nicholas
Keith, Simon
Kennett, Chad
Khalil, Imran
Kim, Dong Wook
King, Hamish
Kolodziej, Ross
Kutlaca, Aleksandar
Lakra, Udit
Lange, James
Le, Tony
Lee, Dong Hee
Legrand, Wesley
London, Christopher
Loo, Sing Yau
Loucas, Luke
Lovell, Brandon
Lu, Rong Chao
MacIntosh, Ash
Manuel, Darren
March, Christopher
May, Daniel
May, James
McGill, Rhys
McKinnon, Andrew
McTernan, Cameron
McTernan, Wesley
Michell, Alexander
Mitchell, Samuel
Moffat, Timothy
Moffatt, James
Montaniero, Luke
Moore, Daniel
Moore, Grahame
Morrell, Matthew
Morton, Bradley
Moschou, James
Muir, Grady
Neale, Benjamin
Neale, Jeffrey
Neroni, Peter
Nicholls, Alistair
Nobbs, Andrew
Noblett, Nicholas
Noicos, Stephen
Nowland, Tobias
O'Hara, Timothy
Oates, Ryan
Papps, Brendan
Parham, David
Parsonage, Eric
Parsons, Glyn
Pavlin-Premrl, Davor
Paynter, Seb
Pemberton, Anthony
Penny-Dimri, Jahan
Perrin, James
Petchell, Brian
Polkinghorne, Timothy
Pretorius, Stefan
Price, Robert
Ramsey, Lachlan
Raslan, Andrew
Reidy, Braden
Renshaw, Daniel
Riddell, Stephen
Riggs, Lachlan
Rundell, Matthew
Salagaras, Caleb
Sandercock, Dylan
Sandhu, Amrit
Scarce, William
Seglenieks, Richard
Seng, Victor
Smith, James
Sobels, Peter
Southcott, Jackson
Sporn, Clayton
Squires, Stephen
Stacy, Jake
Stollery, Edward
Sun, Hongwei
Sutuntivorakoon, Tanawat
Taylor, Ben
Thomas, David
Thomas, Hamish
Thomas, Mark
Thomas, Peter
Thomas, Samuel
Thomas, William
Tormay, Nicholas
Umapathysivam, Mahesh
Van Reesema, Samuel
Van Wyngaard, Charl
Vass, Jesse
Veitch, Henry
Vlassis, Van
Walkden, Michael
Wallace, William
Wang, Canxin
Watson, Xavier
Watts, Denis
Watts, Elliot
Whitham, Chris
Whitham, Nicholas
Wiseman, Greg
Wolfe, Jasper
Wood, Samuel
Yang, Xiao
Zhu, Bo
Zhu, Zhao Feng

Marriages

Marriages in the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel since the last edition of the Chronicle

Craig Brown to Karen Ramsay on 24 February 2007

Tom Pontt to Jane Miller on 14 April 2007

Peter Leah to Cathie-Ann Drake on 7 July 2007

Funerals

Funerals and Memorial Services held in the Eric Freak Memorial Chapel during 2007

Bruce McKee Harris on 25 May 2007

(Alfred) John Renc on 21 July 2007

Malcolm Dawe on 19 July 2007

Obituary

Deaths of Old Boys notified to the Association since the issue of the last Chronicle as advised to date of publication

Bauer, Keith Wilfred Clark	1925–1926
Besley, Richard Ccampbell	1926–1929
Bettess, James Harold OAM	1940
Blight, Douglas Gordon	1947–1948
Buckerfield, Thomas Harris	1927–1929
Clarke, Robert Elliott	1934
Clarkson, Colin Lloyd	1943–1945
Cord-Udy, Lynton	1945–1946
Cox, Geoffrey William	1940–1943
Crompton, Peter	1922–1930
Dawkins, Ernest William Laban	1927–1928
De Garis, Renfrey Curgenven AM	1936
Duncan, Craig Martin	1985–1987
Eberhard, Sydney Thomas	1930–1932
Fisher, Sir George CMG	1917–1920
Fleming, Peter Neville MBE	1931–1935
Francis, William Reginald (Bill)	1941–1943
Furniss, Frederick Blyth	1937–1939
Goode, Stephen Britten	1961–1968
Harris, Bruce McKee	1945–1947
Hassell, Frank Colin (Colin)	1919–1928
James, Kenneth Brand	1938–1941
Jessup, Leonard Clive	1934–1940
Kitto, Stuart Maxwell	1928–1929
Marshman, Maxwell Howard	1926–1927
Martin, Malcolm George	1944–1945
Mossop, Kenneth Winston	1932–1937
Natt, Donovan Brooker	1932–1935
Nicholls, Jeffrey Baxter	1951–1955
Oliver, Ronald Frederick	1919–1922
Padman, John Vernon Heath	1937–1939
Phillips, Dean Wybert	1947–1950
Renc, John Alfred	2000–2002
Riches, Kenneth	1944–1945
Rowe, Allan Gordon	1931–1936
Rundle, Richard Pearson	1944–1948
Savage, Stewart Henry	1934
Selth, Donald Victor	1941–1943
Shields, Basil Adrian	1936–1938
Smallacombe, Shaun Anthony	1988–1992
Smith, John Stanley	1935–1937
Smith, Mervyn Keith CBE	1933–1935
Smith, Rodney Burden	1945–1952
Standen, Harold Brian	1944–1946
Sumner, Roland David	1940–1950
Symons, Frederick John Walter	1949–1954
Thompson, Rex Palmerstone	1942
Toop, Kingsley James (Jim)	1940–1942
Trengove, William Ross	1929–1930
Wehr, Brian Allan	1958–1960
Wellby, Maurice Lindsay	1944–1945
Young, Sir Harold William	1937–1938

Balance Sheet

PAOCA No 1 account
c/- PO Box 571
NORWOOD SA 5067

Balance Sheet

September 2007

	2007	2006
Assets		
Cash at Bank	11,486	-
Westpac 11AM Deposit	30,157	49,053
Ties	673	1,673
Investments		
Investments at Cost	138,661	141,121
Market Value Adjustment	1,671,737	1,358,382
Total Assets	**1,852,716**	**1,550,230**
Liabilities		
Bank Overdraft	-	39,160
Subscriptions in Advance	4,676	4,564
Total Liabilities	**4,676**	**43,724**
Net Assets	**1,848,040**	**1,506,506**
Equity		
Investment Reserve		
Inv Reserve - Revaluation	1,671,737	1,358,382
Inv Reserve - Realisation	427,345	390,985
Retained Earnings	(242,861)	(164,970)
Current Earnings	(8,182)	(77,891)
Total Equity	**1,848,040**	**1,506,506**

Subject to audit

PAOC Life Membership (No 2) Account
PO Box 571
Kent Town SA 5071

Balance Sheet

September 2007

	2007	2006
Assets		
Westpac 11AM Deposit	28,786	11,932
Investments at Cost	617,371	582,344
Market Value Adjustment	1,211,550	835,660
Total Assets	**1,857,707**	**1,429,936**
Liabilities		
Bank Overdraft	17,183	14,459
Total Liabilities	**17,183**	**14,459**
Net Assets	**1,840,525**	**1,415,477**
Equity		
Inv Reserve - Revaluation	1,211,550	835,660
Inv Reserve - Realisation	33,847	36,566
Retained Earnings	543,252	547,066
Current Year Earnings	51,876	(3,815)
Total Equity	**1,840,525**	**1,415,477**

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Life Membership Account

PAOCA No 1 account
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Profit & Loss

October 2006 through September 2007

	2007	2006
Income		
Subscriptions	33,810	32,956
Dividends Received	59,745	52,424
Interest Received	1,158	4,122
Sponsorship & Donations	6,133	8,573
Golf Day Income	321	-
Ties	-	188
Fricker Centre Gym Fees	5,925	1,300
Total Income	**107,093**	**99,563**
Expenses		
Printing & Stationery	112	116
Chronicles: Printing & Postage	35,304	36,145
Social Functions	7,725	2,148
Annual Dinner	20,602	22,024
Donations		
PAC Building Fund	-	42,700
PAC Foundation Building Fund	-	25,000
Fricker Centre Equipment	5,730	10,000
Donations-PAOCA Sporting Clubs	1,500	-
Donations - Other	1,000	-
Country & Interstate Dinners		
Country Dinners	1,802	1,111
Interstate Dinners	786	3,492
Sundry Expenses		
Old Boys' Week Sporting Events	148	(331)
School Leavers' Ties	2,418	2,020
President's Expenses	1,582	693
Website Expenses	702	550
PAOC Golf Day	-	71
Bank Charges	-	100
Committee Photograph	-	165
Postage	2,221	1,573
Ties	480	-
Audit Fees	750	750
Other Sundry Expenses	698	2,100
PAC Scholarships	24,772	20,172
Sporting Clubs' Insurance	5,971	4,628
Support to Foundation		
Reunions	972	638
Vintage Reds	-	1,590
Total Expenses	**115,275**	**177,453**
Net Profit/(Loss)	**(8,182)**	**(77,891)**

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PAOC Life Membership (No 2) Account
PO Box 571
Kent Town SA 5071

Profit & Loss

October 2006 through September 2007

	2007	2006
Income		
Life Member Subscriptions	52,885	50,000
Dividends Received	51,824	47,768
Interest Received	3,911	3,953
Total Income	**108,620**	**101,721**
Expenses		
Printing & Stationery	239	239
Donations		
PAC Building Fund	-	20,000
PAC Foundation Building Fund	-	25,000
Fricker Centre Equipment	-	10,000
Bank Charges	10	66
Postage	-	771
PAC Scholarships	24,772	20,172
Allocation to General Fund	31,724	29,288
Total Expenses	**56,744**	**105,536**
Net Operating Profit / (Loss)	**51,876**	**(3,815)**

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The Headmaster, Kevin Tutt, enjoyed the company of twenty eight Old Reds he had taught at the London Centenary Dinner.

Life Membership

Life membership of the PAOCA brings many benefits, and is excellent value at:

Under 25 years of age	$310
Under 30 years of age	$300
Under 35 years of age	$290
Under 40 years of age	$280
Under 45 years of age	$260
Under 50 years of age	$240
Under 55 years of age	$220
Under 60 years of age	$200
Under 65 years of age	$175
Under 70 years of age	$150

Annual Membership subscription cost is $14 and 5 year Membership $70.

Application forms for Life Membership and other categories are available from the Association's office at the School.

Annual General Meeting

The 130th Annual General Meeting of the Association will be held at the School at 7.30pm on Thursday, 13 November, 2008. Members are asked to note this date in their diaries and to make every endeavour to be present.

Archives

The School is very proud of its archives, which have grown over recent years to provide a wonderful record of the College.

Many items are displayed in the School Museum and are on rotation under the care of Archivist, Mr Tony Aldous, Mr Andrew Buxton and selected students.

Mr Aldous 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.

Items for Sale

All the items listed are available from Princes Parade

Acrylic Coffee Mugs	6 for $22 or (each) $4
Acrylic Tumbler	6 for $23 or (each) $4.50
Acrylic Wine Glasses	6 for $28 or (each) $5
Apron	$20
Bow Tie (PAOCA)	$20
Bridge Playing Cards	$28
Bridge Scorers	$14
Calculator	$20
"Carribee style" Chair	$45
Car Stickers	$4
CD	$11
China coffee mug	$12
Computer mouse mat	$10.50
Cuff Links	$35
Director Chair	$47.50
Drink Bottle Cover	$10.50
History of PAOC Football Club	$10
"History of the School" by R.M. Gibbs	$25
Insulated Cup	$10
Key Ring (no crest)	$10
Lapel Pin	$10
Money Clip	$10
"Old Reds in the Old Country" (history of the London dinner) by David Cornish	$25
PAC Calendar	$12
Pen	$12
Pewter Tankards	$59
Prep tea towel	$10
Scarf	$22
Stubby holder	$6
Tie (PAOCA)	$20
Umbrella	$30
Wine Glasses	6 for $26 or (each) $5
Wine Opener	$10

PAOCA Incorporated

Prince Alfred Old Collegians' Association Incorporated
Founded 1878

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	1930	W R Bayly	1958	P E Clark	1986	G D Evans
1892–93	E B Colton	1931	R Vardon	1959	N S Angel	1987	N G A MacDonald
1894	G M Evan	1932	A L Bertram	1960	C L McKay	1988	M W B Thompson
1895	G S Cotton	1933	A G Collison	1961	A J Clarkson	1989	T P Moffat
1896	A W Piper	1934	S W Jeffries	1962	A W Crompton	1990	I M Rudd
1897	F A Chapman	1935	P R Claridge	1963	D L Davies	1991	P P Bacciarelli
1898	A Hill	1936	L S Clarkson	1964	J H Gerard	1992	A L Chapman
1899	J H Chinner	1937	F L Collinson	1965	R W Piper	1993	G E Taplin
1900	G W Cooper	1938	A G Trott	1966	R B Craven	1994	C P Moffat
1901	J W Grasby	1939	J Crompton	1967	B A Fricker	1995	C P Moffat
1902	A E Davey	1940	W J Hiatt	1968	D S Riceman	1996	A M Olsson
1903	G W R Lee	1941	F T Cooper	1969	E F W Hunwick	1997	A D C Walker
1904	P E Johnstone	1942	L S Walsh	1970	W M Johnson	1998	D J Blanch
1905–09	W R Bayly	1943	F E Piper	1971	M B McLachlan	1999	P A Crouch
1910–11	A C Catt	1944	H N Shepley	1972	E V Cox	2000	R J Hall
1912	J P Robertson	1945	C J Glover	1973	J G Bundey	2001	A J Brasher
1913–14	N A Webb	1946	G K Ryder	1974	B K Hobbs	2002	S Heylen
1915–16	W D Taylor	1947	M W Evans	1975	B J Potter	2003	A A Willcox
1917–18	A A L Rowley	1948	J F W Dunn	1976	D J Tucker	2004	F G Hamood
1919–21	W S Kelly	1949	G T Clarke	1977	R J Byrne	2005	P B Brooks
1922	R O Fox	1950	D A Clarkson	1978	R G Gerard	2006	S R Miller
1923	S G Lawrence	1951	R W Pearson	1979	G C Marshall	2007	R M Wilson
1924	H H Cowell	1952	L P A Lawrence	1980	B J Francis		
1925	M Erichsen	1953	R W M Johnson	1981	D C Hassell		
1926	D Waterhouse	1954	F H Chapman	1982	P O Buttery		
1927	T C Craven	1955	N A Walsh	1983	A M Olsson		
1928	H B Piper	1956	N Todd	1984	A G Gerard		
1929	J M Bath	1957	F C Hassell	1985	R W Hone		

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.

School List

Salvete in Italics

Valete in bold

Preparatory School

Pirie Room

Cotton

Barnsley Addison
Carolan Finn
Chapman Thomas
Ducker Benjamin
Hudson Tielens Willem
Lyons Claudia
Marks Rhys
Nind Henry
Palyaris John (Yianni)
Thrower William

Taylor

Bald Ethan
Egert Nikita
Facci Liam
Girardi Sebastian
Harris William
Hill Lachlan
Hislop Tara
Karydis Dionysios (Dion)
Marks Ralph
Motteram Cooper
Papageorgiou Vasili
Searles Thomas

Watsford

Antonas Jasper
Aretzis Nicholas
Black Adam
Budai Kyle
Finlay David
Groughan Conor
Lasscock Joshua (Josh)
Martin Lachlan
Mercorella Mick
Parisi Hugo
Unerkov Zak

Waterhouse

Albertini Thomas
Laparidis Bartholomew
Laparidis Christian
Lynch Aidan
Lynch Allistair
Manno Mark
Matthews Fergus
Pham Anthony
Slavotinek Michael
Swaffer Austin
Trim Jack
Van Gaans Matthew
Wheeler James

Flinders Room

Cotton

Huang Shi Sheng (Tony)
Nind Alexander
Shewell James
Thavarajah Preshaan
Whiteman Mitchell

Taylor

Cerchez Lincoln
Jenkin Samuel
Turale Fletcher

Watsford

Basheer James
Cook Oliver
Dalton Sebastian
Gasparin Christian
Gasparin Oliver
Knight Henry

Waterhouse

Manno Max
Ng Lachlan
Walsh Charles

Reception

Cotton

Benson Jasper
Brewerton Ethan
Chapman Maximillian
Corradini Luca
Davies William
Hayes Ethan
Martin Callum
Page Benson
Perks Joshua
Read Jack
Taddeo James
Tyson Edward
Uhrig Benjamin

Taylor

Casalbore Stefan
El-Youssef Abdullah
Gerard Tyler
Heard Finn
Hill Harrison
Hislop Lachlan
Kolaroff Andrew
Lesicar Joshua
McCann Thomas
Mills Charles
Murfett Jason
Pritchard Oliver
Raptis Elias
Saunders James
Sibly Nicholas

Watsford

Aretzis Konstantinos
Black Edmund
Cameron Charles
Cheesman Jack
Clark Jack
Duffield Matisse
Eliseo Oliver
Karassoulos George
Keeves Charles
Lovett Kai
Mercorella Luciano
Mercorella Rino
Szolga Luke
Tiwari Sparsh
Tremellen Marcus
Zadow Thomas

Waterhouse

Andrews Luke
Buggins Max
Cooke Dakota
Gratton Harry
Johnson Thomas
Maiello John
Parsons Max
Peppas Antony
Perera Seran
Sinclair Jack
Singleton Patrick
Stewart MacKenzie
Vaughan Jack
Venables Taine
Walsh Samuel

Year 1

Cotton

D'Ortenzio Luke
Kioussis Connor
Kirkby Max
Lidums Hugo
Lidums Martins
Ottanelli Stephen
Taddeo Matthew
Tidmarsh Harry
Ventrice James
Wigglesworth Timothy
Willmore David

Taylor

Cerchez Harrison
Chalk Angus
Dahm Jai
Hales Thomas
Heard Jack
Nalder Jacob
Oloruntoba Ayodimeji
Stirling Gian-Luca

Watsford

Antonas Basil
Crawford Lachlan
Kemp Joshua
Lesi Edmario
Marshall Angas
Perentes Yiani
Seo Jae Min
Sinclair Saxon
Steinhardt William
Zhang Ethan

Waterhouse

Bardy Luke
Dibiamaka Uzoma (Uzo)
Druce Samuel
Eriksson Sam
Henderson Brodie
Jury Henri
Ng Jordan
Oxlade Emerson
Singleton Tom

Year 2

Cotton

Andrews Thomas
Borrelli Kristian
Burchett-Knott Noah
Edmonds William
Gayen Patrick
Harkness Lachlan
Large Nathan
Lyons Xavier
The Michael
Willmore Michael

Taylor

Blanchard Christopher
Bosi Hugo
Fry Angus
Gerard Douglas
Klenk Harrison
Lesicar Jordan
Manhire Finn
Mills Jack
Mizgalski Zachary
Ren Zheng (Jerry)
Tsakalos Harry

Watsford

Cameron Joshua
Chapman James
Duffield Paris
Edwards Max
Eliseo Alexander
Farley Joel
Marschall Jarrod
Masri Karam
Mowat Angus
Tremellen Hugh

Waterhouse

Dibiamaka Uche
Gratton Jack
Mantovan Isaac
Meng Can (Tony)
Mourtzios Peter
Padbury William
Rositano Anthony
Schwalm Zac
Singh Pratyush
Teh Fergus

Year 3

Cotton

Benson Rupert
Bloomfield Jack
Crowley John (Fox)
Fletcher-Harriss Tyler
Iacopetta Thomas
Lidums Oskars
Miller Alexander
Stathy Jonathan
Terp Nicholas
Weigold Zachary

Taylor

Chalk James
Colton Maris
George Adam
Georgiadis Matthew
Linn David
Nalder Jess
O'Carroll Liam
O'Neil-Swain Ned
Sibly Timothy
Stam William (Bill)
Tabakov Tony
Young Cameron

Watsford

Cooke William
Crawford Harrison Raymond
Fahlbusch-Moore Hugo
George James
Giardini Matthew
Gilbert James
Liao Wei-Yeh (Merrick)
Reynolds Brandon
Robertson William

Waterhouse

Collison Edward
Day Alan
Fox Oliver
Greenslade Jack
Milic Henry
Skrembos Alexander
Towie Aedan
Tsantes Zachary
Upton Michael

Year 4

Cotton

Cushway James
Glynn Nicholas
Hannemann Edward
Heitmann Sidney
Hobbs Timothy
Lalic Andreja
Lyons Harrison
Mitolo Marco
Oakley-Conlon Andrew
Polychronopoulos Michael
Stefanopoulos Paris
Thomson Andrew

Taylor

Casalbore Jon-Luke
Guglielmo Liam
Hailstone James
Karalis Alexander
Lam Clayton
Liascos James
Meredith Sean
Nicholls Thomas (Tom)
Oloruntoba Ayooluwatomiwa (Ibukun)
Shahin Firas
Steicke Samuel
Tsakalos Nicholas

Watsford

Amos Cale
Cialini Luke
De Garis Lucas
Harris Stuart
Jackson Samuel
Lancione Thomas
Lindner Harrison
Mai Davin
Masri Majd
Rice Caleb
Seo Jae Hong (John)

Waterhouse

Delbridge Lachlan
Hewlett James
Hirayama Kodai
Hood Max
Kumar Ayush
MacDonald William
Moorthy Krishna
Namgung Sanghun
Nguyen Minh-Quang
Ross Corbin

Year 5

Cotton

Bataljin Lawrence
Demetriou Daniel
Dongas John
Eom Dong Sik (David)
Malladi Vedanth
McSweeney Joshua
Miller Thomas
Miller William
Mitolo Alexander
Nelson Thomas
Page Harrison
Papazaharoudakis Zachary
Rudd Isaac
Siebels Benjamin
Worrell Edward

Taylor

Borrelli Luca
Burgess Matthew
Casalbore Joseph
Colton Robert
De Palma Anthony
George Michael
Kolaroff William
McInnes Alan
Mubarak Adil
Oppedisano Christian
Sibly Samuel
Thomas Edward

Watsford

Branch Lachlan
Crameri Fraser
Doney Jack
Farley Samuel
Frost-Shepherdson Jack
Garcevic Vuk
Graham Lachlan
Gwinnett Aaron
Gwinnett Adam
Karykis Christos
Ma Chen Yu (Michael)
Marshall Charles
Mowat James
Sarah-Katnich Joshua (Josh)
Vadasz Hugo

Waterhouse

Athans Anastasios
Bowyer Vincent
Collison Oliver
Cox Alexander
Easling Jack
Martin Harry
Moss Darcy
Parish Thomas
Santin Timothy
Scheepers Cameron
Skrembos Chris
Van Dissel William
Vasileff Thomas
Vereker Richard
Walsh Trent
Waterhouse George
Willsmore Fergus

Year 6

Cotton

Adelson Trevor
Bean Alexander
Colombo Christian
Duthy Angus
Fahey-Sparks Simon
Glynn Lachlan
Johnston Samuel
Liu Liu (Leo)
O'Brien Matthew
Perrin Connor
Terp Jackson

Taylor

Gugliotta Jake
Hall Charles
Henry Christopher
Hunter Cy
Johns Samuel
Katsambis Michael
Mallia Alexander
May Andrew
Morelli Hamish
Russo Paul
Waters Ryan

Watsford

Elix Daniel
Eskander Benjamin
Gilbert Stig
Harris James
Kapitza Nathan
Liew Sean
Ly Hank
Melani James
Mondair Arjun
Parker Dylan
Venardis Yianni
Xydias Andrew

Waterhouse

Athans Nicholas
Janowski Luke
Lawrence Angus
Meng Sen
Park Jung Bin (Kurt)
Plant Thomas
Sharp Declan
Smith Alexander
Terrell Riley
Tu Li
Webber Marc
Whitehead James

Year 7

Cotton

Anderson Ross
Bean Simon
Broadbridge Nicholas
Burnett Cameron
Duffield Samuel
Faull Matthew
Gray Thomas
Hannemann Christopher
Heitmann Campbell
Kette Francis
Lee Young Hyun (Tony)
Leung Jason
Lyons Thomas
Mahadeva Logan
Milton Thomas
Parkinson Angus
Roney Lucas
Thomas Ned
Worrell Henry

Taylor

Athanasov Stefan
Bevan Maxim
Browne Thomas
Fitzgerald Nicholas
Goldsworthy Fraser
Karalis Nicholas
Krantz Nicholas
Lee Tsuen-Zern
Mansell Alex
McBride Albert
Meredith Gavin
Peciulis William
Subhani Muhammad (Rafae)
Teisseire Joshua
Tihema Angus
Tormay Christopher
Turner James
Wicks Mitchell

Watsford

Andary Benjamin
Anderson Blake
Brown Cameron
Burford George
Chambers Timothy
Clark Shea
Curyer William
Dorsch Carl
Grope Louis
Gwinnett (Andrew) Arata
Keeves James
Ngo Albert
Nicholl Oliver
Quirke Kristian
Specht David
Swale William
Watson Benedict

Waterhouse

Barnes Harry
Braund Nicholas
Burns Lachlan
Collison Harry
Cox Samuel
Crawford Angus
Fryer William
Hamood-Staines Stuart
Jury William
Lynch Sasha
McCappin David
Partington Isaac
Perks Hugh
Schiller Jordan
Skrembos Taxiarchis
Sullivan Jack
Vasileff Maxim
Waddington Thomas

Secondary School

Year 8

Cotton

Au Tony
Clarnette Jock
Cooper Nicholas (Nick)
Coventry Alexander
Duncanson Jacob
Gregg Josh
Hall John
Harvey Matthew
Hill James
Lee Kwok Hay (Calvin)
Manov Andrew
McPhee Jack
McPhee William
Morgan James
Norman Sam
Pearce Jeremy
Picone Nicholas
Seagle Carson
Short Thomas
Thoi Vinh Quang
White Forrest Niwili

Taylor

Altmann Kieran
Barry Morgan
Builder Josef
Campbell Lachlan (Locky)
Clements Drew
Cooper Alexander
Harris Alexander
Henry Matthew
Hu Minhao
Johns Thomas
Kolaroff James
Kwok Kent
McFarlane Shaun
Romano Andrew
Russo Carlo
Tainton Navar
Thomas Nicholas
Thompson Damon
Tidswell Jack
Wilkins Nicholas
Young Benjamin

Watsford

Amos Reid
Blake Mathieu
Carter Edward
Chang Cho Yiu (George)
Chapman Lachlan
Elix James
Eskander Marc
Feng Lei
Fleming Benjamin
Gardner Thomas
Panas Lexis
Price Morgan
Reynolds Brooke
Rowe Jack
Salagaras Elias
Stowe Benjamin
Wenzel Jake
Wibberley Brian
Wibberley Timothy
Wu Albert

Waterhouse

Admiraal Nicholas
Angove Fletcher
Buckby Alexander
Eddy Stuart
Fried Harry
Harmer William
Kitto Henry
Lau Alasdair
Le Kim
Ling Arran
MacIntyre Mitchell
Martin Hugo
Olsson Henry
Penfold Jack
Pollock Nicholas
Richards Michael
Saville Luke
Schipanski Jack
Siebel Nathan
Tudo Priestian
Vanmali Jaiden
Waters David
Wilton Nicholas

Year 9

Cotton

Brewerton Blaire
Bubner Hamish
Cuzzocrea Justin
Evans Christian
Fyfe Jesse
Gillespie Matthew
Goode Henry
Greeves Edward
Hanzalik Zachary
House James
Kirwan Patrick
Milton Anthony
Norman Jack
Norsworthy Callum
Oh Joseph
Paynter William
Pitts William
Riceman Michael
Risby James
Williams Rhys
Winter Justin
Woolford Thomas
Woolmore Nicholas
Yang Yi Hui (Kevin)

Taylor

Albanese Dominic
Altmann Matthew
Barnett Matthew
Bethune Richard
Crossman Alex
Fitzgerald Thomas
Gale Richard
Gugliotta Joshua
Hobbs Thomas
Hunter James
Katsambis Robert
Katsambis William
Lee Yong Hyun (Chris)
Li Wei (Daniel)
Molfetas Nathaniel (Nathan)
Morelli Jack
Murdoch Angus
Nguyen David
Russo Aaron
Smith Tim
Tatterson Luke
Thompson Michael
Townsend James
Yang Owen

Watsford

Brown Kim
Day Samuel
Gates Ross
Harford Philip
Holmwood Erik
Koennecke Felix
Lam Chun Man (Kelvin)
Latchford William
Le Christopher
Ly Yao
Park Hyeon Seung (Shaun)
Park Tony Sang Beom
Purdy Todd
Quirke Daniel
Riebolge Harrison
Riedig Roberto
Rohde Matthew
Russell Christopher
Soang Duncan
Tan Yiran
Warne Charles
Wilhelm Samuel
Wong Mosley

Waterhouse

Agnew Jeremy
Brown David
Brown Michael
Burton Nicholas
Cook Patrick
Cooper Iain
Dell Oliver
Hirayama Yudai
Hood John
Jin Aaron
Moss Jack
Piper David
Porter Joshua
Portsch Jordan
Savvas John-Ross
Scheepers Matthew
Shin Yoo Chul (Charlie)
Spano Jonathan
Thredgold William
Tonkin Jack
Van Dissel Jonathan
Wauchope Thomas
Young Edward
Zhou Benhan

Year 10

Cotton

Bettess Brendon
Butenko Alexander
Cordingley Travis
Dibden Andrew
Fuller Donald (Jack)
Gunning Sam
Hall Joshua
Hannemann Patrick
Hsieh Huan-Tsai
Hughes Timothy
Jackman Zack
Jankovic Srdjan
Law Hubert
McLaren Angus
Morrell Joshua
Nobbs Jeremy
Papandrea Ben
Park Sung-Hyeog
Paschburg Lars
Pascoe Mitchell
Pearce Benjamin
Pearce Timothy
Perks Jack
Polson Duncan
Pratt Rohan
Sanders Henry
Sanders Jordan
Siebels Karl
Simons Samuel
Sivam Akash
Sobels Samuel
Spasojevic Mihailo
Walsh Jordan

Taylor

Athanasov Atanas
Barnett Simon
Barry Myles
Bickley Wil
Boord Thomas
Chadwick Taylor
Dawson Alex
Easther Matthew
Elliss Scott
Galloway Jake
Heddle Thomas
Hunter Harrison
Kendall Jacob
Lau Chi Ho (Steven)
Lee Daniel
Lee Tsuen-Vern (Timothy)
Miliado Christopher
Montiadis Joshua
Moschou Terry
Nadolny Hayden
Pun Chi Hang (Desmond)
Pye Conor
Ramsey Jack
Tapscott Luke
Teague Thomas
Walendy Alexander
Wicks Thomas
Wilkins Stefan
Willson Henry
Wu Ho Lam (Calvin)
Young Alistair

Watsford

Acott James
Agutter Jordan
Amornkul Supavich (K)
Amos Joel
Barkla Jared
Brown Alexander James
Burford Max
Cocks Thomas
Dorsch Nicholas
Fischer Todd
Foo Jonathan

Kim Andy
Kwong Tiaeki (Jack)
Leung Kar Hang (Jimmy)
Li Jessher
Marshall Hugh Renford
McPhee Scott
Nguyen Tuan
Orken Benjamin
Pallotta Steven
Sanders Steven
Turner Jack
Verlato Alexander
Ware Thomas
Watson Matthew
Watson Thomas
Weston Ramesh
Wilson Thomas
Wolfe Beckett
Wong Cameron
Wu Hang Wo (Victor)
Zhou Alan
Zogopoulos William

Waterhouse

Buckley Jarrod
Chan Matthew
Davey James
Dutschke Jonathan (Jon)
El Achkar Firas
Eske Jonathan
Foster Jock
Fuller-Zhu Alexander
Gray Simon
Hilbig Thomas
Jeffrey Nicholas
Kelly Jack
Kerin Brandon
Kwon Jung-Jae (Alex)
Louch Sopheak
Lovell Lucas
Lukowicz Andrew
Mau Chung Lai (Grant)
McCole Patrick
Mitchell Stephen
Mumford James
Perks Lewis
Pitt Craig
Rogers Simon
Russell James
Sallis Matthew
Schiller Michael
Skrembos Theodore
Squires Jerome
Sullivan Max
Sykes Andrew
Trengove Jack
Tridente Philip
Welsby Thomas

Year 11

Cotton

Carlson Alfred
Chen Yiqi (Lancer)
Chu Siu-Fung (Lester)
Clarkson Samuel
Cooper Benjamin (Ben)
Coventry Cameron
Curtis Nicholas
Ellison William
Gillespie Andrew
Giourgas Vasili
Gleeson-Hammerton Thomas
Harkness Joshua
Ho Andrew
Kurup Ashwin
Le Andrew
Lecamwasam Hiran
Liu Man Chun (Johnny)
McKenzie Duncan
McLeod Alexander
Mobbs Samuel
Moore Joseph
Noblett William
Pakula Maks
Pederick Andrew
Phillis Justin
Schuler Samuel
Schultz Cameron
Stamatelopoulos Nicolas
Stranks Lachlan
Trinne Justin
Veitch William (Will)
Venning James
Vlassis George
Wasow Christopher
Wasow Elliot
Winter Cameron
Wood Llewellyn
Zhang Huan

Taylor

Ajak Daniel
Altschwager Clyde
Boord Joshua
Boorman Scott
Bray Jonathon
Claxton Matthew
Comerford Charles
Crawford Harrison Mark
Crawford Nicholas
Deegan Patrick
Du Rieu Joseph (Joe)
El-Youssef Ali
Gabb David
Gabrovsek Alexander
Gatley Lachlan
Hallion Dion
Heng Tseng Wen
Hillier Vijay
Kinnaird Matthew
Lee Hwa-Soo (Andrew)
Lloyd Haydn
Michael Ashley
Mugford Samuel
Murdoch Harrison
Murdoch James
Myers Edgar
Riggs Henry
Schell Jason
Silins Alexander
Stephens Jack
Stevens Daniel
Thompson Jace
Toh Peter
Tregeagle Hamish
Wang Yunze (Tony)
Warnecke Henry
Wood William
Wu Xing Xiang (Tom)
Yuen Pak Kei (Alex)

Watsford

Amos Michael
Bajcarz Adam
Bernhardt Cornelius
Bolzon Michael
Brecht Oliver (Ollie)
Brinsley Thomas
Broadbent Jeremy
Butler Marcus
Buxton Ian
Dickson Andrew
Gerard Joshua
Griggs James
Humphray Dean
Jacob Suraj
Kapitza Joshua
Khannabha Nonthasuth
Lambert William
Lee Young Chan
May Benjamin
McNeil Jock
Nicopoulos Alex
Pittman Sam
Potts Simon
Quirke Liam
Rowe Charles
Rowntree Angus
Roy Callum
Sandow Lachlan
Shroff Meherzad
Smith Miles
Spencer James
Stone Kane
Thwaites Ned
Tsang Daniel
Van Hoof James
Verlato Maximilian
Virgin William
White Alexander
Wu Wing Wo (Vincent)
Xiong Frank

Waterhouse

Allgeuer Philipp
Barnes Tom
Buller Reginald (Ross)
Cannizzaro Robert
Cox Zachary
Douglass Peter
Eddy James
Fahim Fady
Farminer William
Grace Colby
Hayton Jonas
Hewlett Steven
Hugo William
Jennison Fraser
Kabbani Oliver
Lau Trevor
Mazure-Johnstone Ian
Min Jeong Hwan
Mitropoulos Aleco (Alexander)
Moore Reece
Morgan Oliver
Moroney Sebastian
Olsson Charles
Opie Elliot
Pang Chau Tyn (Corey)
Papadopoulos Alexander
Rice Glynn
Roberts Wakeham Lewis
Robinson Nicholas
Sauerwald Peter
Seals Robert
Shaw (Duncan) Charles
Smith (William) Harry
Stevens Nicholas
Swiko-Cox David
Tschirn Zachary
Weiler Zasch
Whetstone Nicholas
Wilson Billy
Young William

Year 12

Cotton

Barker-Gale Jesse
Blanch Thomas
Brewerton Callum
Broadbridge Oliver
Chan Dak Son
Chui Chun Wah (Brian)
Clayfield Drew
Cuzzocrea Joseph
Fincher Stewart
Fyfe Josiah
George Alexander
Gray William
Hanzalik Samuel
Harry Christopher
Jin Cheng (Kane)
Kerrigan Daniel
Leak Jacob
Michell Alastair
Nielsen Christopher
Pearce Samuel
Perks Harry
Pitts Edward
Prest James
Schilg Henry
Simounds Daniel
Soares Monte
Thomas Oliver
Tirrell Nicholas
Wendt Edward

Taylor

Bailey Jack
Ball Liam
Campbell Lachlan
Carter James
Charatsis Jonathon
Cooney Luke
Courtidis Jonathon
Du Matthew
Farkas Matthew
Fitzgerald Samuel
Frisby Simon
Graham Lewis
Hayter Edward
Heaslip William
Kang In Mo
Kinnaird Nicholas
Lehman Samuel
Luu Winston
Murray Alastair
Noor Mark
Palios Andrew
Pugh Nicholas
Riddell Nicholas
Rotman Ashley
Sullivan Thomas
Warnecke Alfred
Xie Chao (Simon)
Zieleniecki Julius

Watsford

Brandwood Lachlan
Brazzale Nicholas
Brebner Christopher
Byers James
Cao Sheng (Nathan)
Chambers Benjamin
Clarke Maximillian
Cody Benjamin
Gillott Angus
Harford Jack
James Peter
Kim Soong Hyun
Kim Young
Lambert James
Lucas Edward
Monfries Elliott
Orken Joshua
Raslan Adam
Riebolge Jordan
Sandow Kieran
Selway Matthew
Selway William
Silverblade John
Thompson Kriston°
Turner William
Vasileff Jared
Watson Aaron

Waterhouse

Admiraal James
Burton Hugh
Cheung Vincent
Collins Adam
Daniel Nathan
Economos Alexander
Francis Benjamin
Franklin Andrew
Giulianetti Alexander
Harris Sam
Jeffrey George
Lau Archibald
Nihill Toby
Niu Tong
Noble Alexander
Noble William
Oates Ross
Parsons Cameron
Peng Zhen Ming
Ratcliff Harold
Richards Sebastian
Sharley Simon
Stoyanoff Justin
Vandepeer Douglas
Zacker Jack

Jonathan Charatsis Madonna and Child

Edward Hayter New York

Ashley Rotman Journey
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