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Dear Parents

HEADMASTER'S INTRODUCTION

Our Matrics have almost completed their trial examinations and the rest of the school has been busy with the test series. I trust that these have gone well. I am very proud of the seamless way that our examination system functions. Through meticulous planning and attention to detail, Mr Gavin Weber and his team run a very professional process and I thank them for this.

Next week is an important one in our school calendar, with amongst other things, the checking of scripts, photographs, Commemoration Day and some important assemblies which include the final one on Friday. Parents, please ensure that your son is present for all these events.

I wish you a great long weekend spent with your sons.

Congratulations to the following boys who have been selected for various Western Province Cricket Teams:

Hayden Byrne and Rihaz Fredericks (U19B)

Daniel Smith and Hlumani Msutu (U17A)

Kai Curran and Anda Dilima (U17B)

Michael Levitt, Kaden Solomons, La'eeq Cooper and Liyema Waqu (U15A)



On Sunday some of our Interact boys helped the patients at the Alexandra Mental Health Care Hospital's annual One-to-One event.

Our boys helped give the patients a tour of the stalls with puzzles and games. Such an occasion brings humility and a deeper understanding of one's privileges in life.

Many thanks to our boys who gave up their time during test week, as well as to Mr Barnard who accompanied them.



The last leg of the Spur Schools Series Mountain Bike Racing Series took place on Saturday 15 September at Paul Roos Gymnasium in Stellenbosch. It was great to see the enthusiasm of all our cyclists on a technical course. Notable results were Kai von During placing third in the YM 15, Luke Moir first in the YM 16 and James Paul thirty-second in the JM. Luke Moir won the Top Spur School Series Cyclist title (all age groups). He was the only cyclist to win all four races in all age categories. Kai von During placed fifth overall in the YM 15 and SACS placed fifth overall in the boys series for all four races. Scoring is determined on the results position, plus the number of finishing riders. We are looking forward to next year and would like to invite anyone who is keen to ride to join the SACS team for the races.



Our U15A and U14A Water Polo Teams are currently competing in local tournaments - U15As at the Ian Millier Water Polo Tournament at Wynberg Boys' High School and the U14As at the Rondebosch Boys' High School Water Polo Tournament. Our U17A Cricket Team is currently away on tour in Pretoria, whilst our Marching Band will be on camp this weekend.

I wish our sportsmen well for the weekend ahead and for their various tournaments, as well as our parents and boys for the long weekend ahead.

Yours sincerely

**B.J. GRANT
HEADMASTER**

Our oarsmen took part in the Somcol Regatta at Somerset College this past weekend. Congratulations to the following boys who rowed in the heats and then the finals, achieving the following results:

Khwezi Ancer (Grade 8) placed first in the U15 division, Jordan MacDougall (Grade 10) placed fourth in the Open division and Ethan Kampers (Grade 10) ninth.

It was a good start to the beginning of the season.