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Dear Parents

ATKV SPELATHON

Bradley Virgin (Grade 9) and Lloyd Abraham (Grade 9) participated in the ATKV Spelathon, held at Wynberg Boys' High School on 11 August. Bradley came sixth overall. Congratulations to Bradley and Lloyd.



CROSS COUNTRY

Simon Bean (U14) (Grade 8) and Ryan Ball (U16) (Grade 10) have been selected for the Western Province Schools Cross Country Team. They will compete at the Western Cape Championships in George later this month. Congratulations.





The last home fixture for the Winter sporting season takes place on Saturday. We appeal to all parents to help with volunteering an hour of their time to assist the Percy Montgomery Foundation in the catering van and cool drink van. All money received through sales goes back to rugby and towards the gym. Please contact Nichole Harding (Nichole.harding@maitlandgroup.co.za) if you are able to help. Your help would be very much appreciated.

MOUNTAIN BIKING



The SACS cyclists attended the Spur Schools' Mountain Bike Competition in Worcester. They had some great results with Kai Von During (Grade 8) placing twelfth in his age group, while James Paul (Grade 10) and Kieran Horsford (Grade 10) taking eleventh and twelfth places respectively in their age group. SACS have managed to comfortably hold sixth place in the overall schools' category out of thirty-three schools.

Philp Dicey raced in the Trail Seeker Competition on the same weekend and placed seventh. He currently lies third in the Trail Seeker Series.

CANOEING



Uli Hart competed in the South African Canoe Championships, placing second in the U18 and first in the U16 K1 class. Uli and his partner, Luke, also placed third in the U18 K2 class. Congratulations to Uli on making the South African Canoeing Team.



SCHOLARSHIPS TRANSFORMATION PROGRAMME

SACS provides a number of scholarships for boys from disadvantaged backgrounds, as part of our programme of transformation. The funds are provided by private benefactors, certain family trusts, Old Boy class groups, the school itself, corporate donors, the SBF, the Spirit Foundation, the Percy Montgomery Foundation and the Hugo-Hamman Trust.

The Hugo-Hamman Trust is the most recent benefactor and the first pupil was enrolled in July 2017. This Trust will fund thirteen boys at SACS High and Junior School from Grade R to Grade 12.





THIS WEEKEND

This weekend we host our last home fixtures for the Winter season. Our rugby and hockey teams host Rondebosch Boys' High School this weekend. The First Hockey team play on Friday evening at 7:15pm (H) and the First Rugby Team on Saturday at 11:45am on the Memorial A Field (H). I wish all teams well for their fixtures.



Yours sincerely

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