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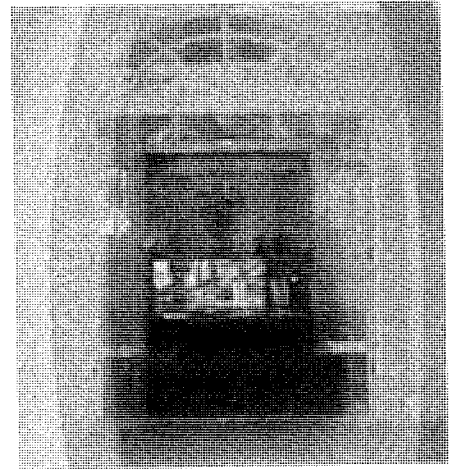
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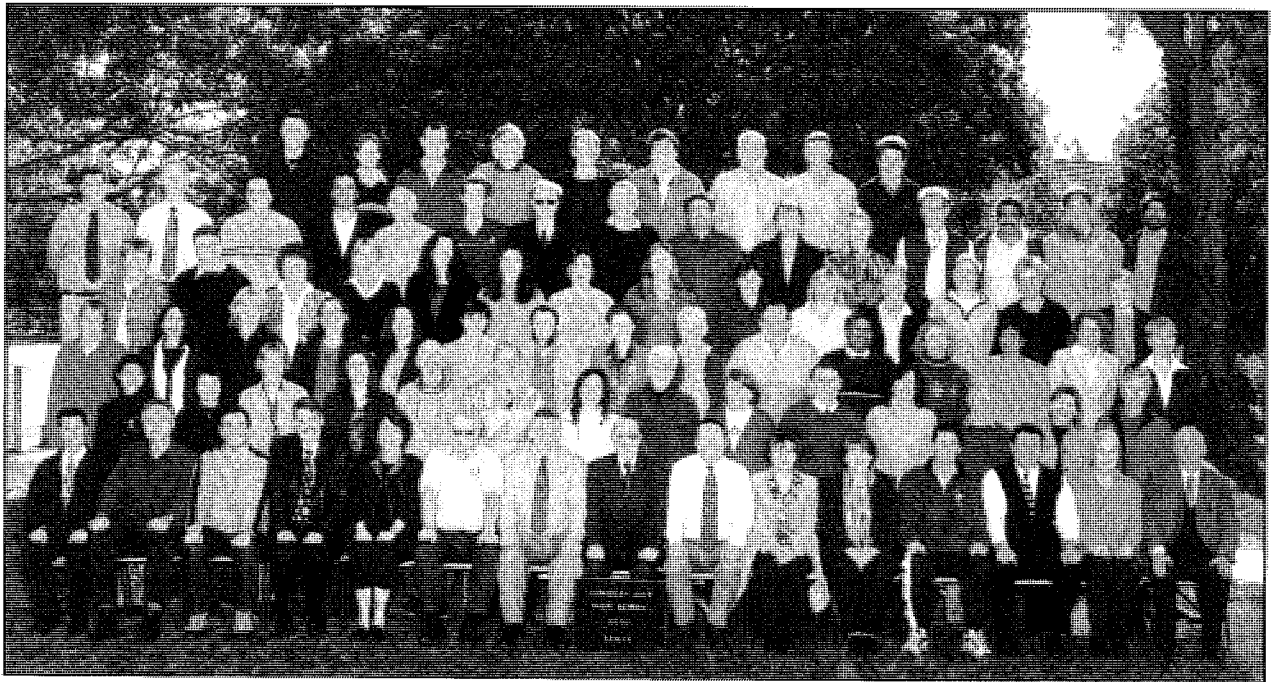
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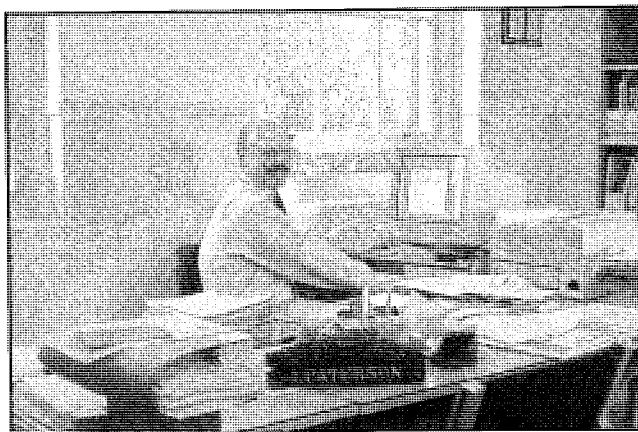
Homebush Boys' High School is always a place for enormous achievement and activity and as a result it is a considerable challenge to capture the essence of the work carried out by the students, staff and the general educational community. However once again, this magnificent 2003 edition of the School Magazine represents a lasting memory of the year which has featured so many outstanding achievements in all facets of school life.

The school prides itself on catering for the diverse needs of a large number of students from a variety of different backgrounds. The magazine contributions capture the essence of a number of the many opportunities which are available to all boys. Such activities as the Tournament of the Minds, public speaking and debating, special excursions, enrichment programs, mentoring, special workshops at universities and similar institutions. Involvement in the many subject-based competitions is a growing part of the extra-curricular events found on the school calendar and participation this year was significantly higher in most subject areas.

The 2003 HSC results were indeed very pleasing. Four students: Ketan Bhatt, Kevin Cheng, Philip Chu and Martin Feng received the coveted Premiers All Rounder Awards for excellence (top band) in 10 units. Martin actually attained a 100.00 UAI which places him amongst the top 21 students in NSW. A further 20 students received UAI's above 90.00 and another group achieved credible UAI ranks between 80-90.00. These boys will no doubt be able to follow their goals to attend University and study courses which are of interest to them. Comparing school course means with state means the following subjects recorded average marks above the state cohort: Ancient History, Biology, Chemistry, English (Standard), English (Advanced), English as a Second language, Industrial Technology and Maths Ext 2. Congratulations to all the 2003, Year 12 students and we trust your further learning will continue to be satisfying and bring enjoyment to you wherever you decide to continue your education.

Sport is an integral part of the Homebush Boys' curriculum and this year has proven to be one of the best ever in terms of participation and success with our grade teams competing in the NW Metropolitan Zone. The school were summer sports champions and second in the winter competition. As well the school won the zone athletics and swimming carnivals and came second in the cross-country events. Consequently the school was judged the 2003 Champion Sports School for the zone. Many of the successful moments are captured in the magazine.

The magazine represents the combined efforts of a number of staff and in particular I would like to recognise Ms Juska, Mr Hilliard and Mr Doenau for their outstanding editorial and publishing work, Mr Evans for the co-ordination of the sports reports and Mr Brawn for his excellent photographic skills which the students always appreciate. As this is the final edition which Mr Brawn is contributing to, I know I speak on behalf of all students and staff when I wish him a long and enjoyable retirement.



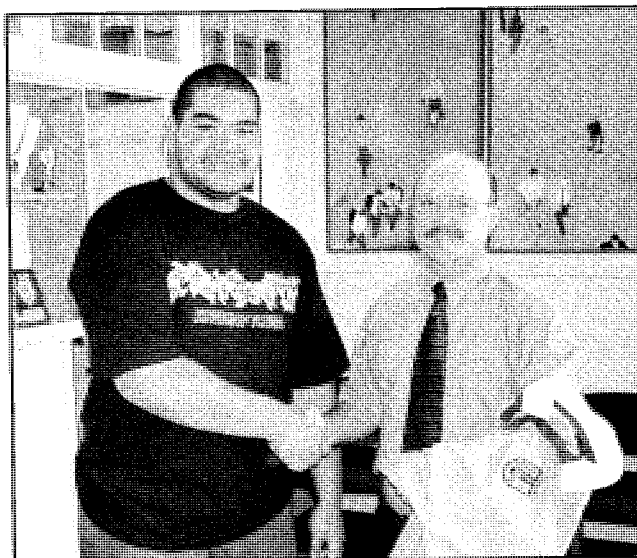
Dr Paterson hard at work.



Archival Banner of the Cadet Unit.



Dr Paterson, Dr Brendan Nelson, the Federal Minister for Education and Mr John Murphy, the local Federal member.



Rodney Blake gives his Australian Jersey to Dr Paterson.

Homebush becomes a Lighthouse School

For me the highlight of 2003 was the school's recognition for excellence and innovation in literacy when we were awarded a grant from the Federal government for Boys' Education Lighthouse projects. Our submission was developed by a subcommittee of the Literacy and Numeracy team and this committee was led by the talented and hardworking Ms Christine Wyness. Ms Wyness targeted "talking and listening" lessons for year 9 and all faculties were asked to design lessons to address these skills.

Maths designed a unit incorporating interview lessons; Geography and History did oral presentations; in Sport and Lifestyle students taught AFL skills and Visual Arts students engaged in game shows and quizzes. There were many other great ideas and faculties designed outstanding lessons. Staff and students were surveyed before and after the delivery of the lessons and responses indicated that the lessons highlighted that students enjoy hearing from other students during lessons. The ability to speak and listen effectively must be explicitly taught we feel sure that this program will encourage a move away from teacher centred lessons where appropriate.

The Federal Minister for Education, Dr Brendan Nelson, was so impressed with the Homebush submission that he chose Homebush as the site for the media launch of the Lighthouse program. He was accompanied on the day by Federal Member for Lowe, John Murphy and other dignitaries.

Coincidentally the "Big Arvo" television show had decided on the same day to film the "Teacher Challenge" segment of the show. Dr Brendan Nelson took the opportunity to meet the presenter of the show, the stunning Anna Choy.

The Big Arvo Teacher Challenge allowed a selection of talented Year 7 and 8 students who were entrants in the Harvey Norman Ozspell to pit their wits against the imposing intellect of History Head Teacher Mr Roger Doenau. All the best efforts of the students couldn't stump Mr "Dictionary" Doenau who was declared the winner by Anna Choy. It was a great experience for all concerned and a great surprise for me as Anna Choy had been one of my best Maths students at my former school.

Runners-up on our own turf! Oh so close in the Harvey Norman Ozspell competition 2003.

2003 was the second year of the Ozspell spelling competition and Homebush students have enthusiastically supported this literacy-based competition. Over 50 of the year 7, 8 and 9 students registered by purchasing the booklets containing over 3000 tricky words.

In Stage 1 on Tuesday 6 May students were required to complete a written task comprising of the spelling of 30 words including "melaleuca" and "Kabul". Students with 15 or more correct proceeded to the next stage.

Stage 2 was an oral competition on Monday 12 May. 18 competitors fought hard to be the school champion or one of the district finalists. In the end there can only be one champ - Jas Simran Singh narrowly defeated Danan Thilakanathan in a spell-off with Asef Islam making up the third member of the district team with all of the boys from year 8. So, on we went to the District final with this formidable team. I felt confident and so did the lads because this year the final was on our home turf. We were hosts to 10

other public and private schools.

The morning of the final, Thursday 22 May, was bright and clear and our team felt sharp. Success was very close but the fairy tale ending was not to be and our team. Asef fell to a very tough word in round 2 and proudly our depleted team battled on. Losing Jas in the next round left the diminutive Danan to carry the hopes of Homebush on his small but strong shoulders. It was only in round 7 that Danan fell victim to "kohl", the black powder so often used in make-up. Any other word would have been fine but the brave fellow took the loss manfully after all, it's not everyday you finish 2nd in this very talented field. It was a great day and Homebush won the teams event spelling more words correctly than any other team (9).

I wish to congratulate all entrants and I hope that they continue to be part of the competition in 2004. A large part of the success of the competition goes to the teachers who gave up their time to preparing and running the competition but special praise goes to Mr Neill Francis who did the very difficult job of pronouncer at the district final.

School Notice Board a Success

Mr Neill Francis has to be congratulated for taking the role of maintaining the school's impressive new notice board on the Bridge Rd boundary fence. The content of the board has attracted favourable comments from the community and is becoming a focal point for communication.

New Staff enhance Literacy at Homebush

2003 welcomed new staff to the school and Ms Edwards took up the important post of STLA - Support Teacher Learning Assistance. Ms Edwards is a highly acclaimed Macquarie University academic assisting students in literacy and numeracy support. Ms Edwards has been working extremely hard since she arrived testing students to ascertain their needs. Judith is an expert in the use of the revolutionary MultiLit program for assisting students in their reading. We are very happy to have her join our Literacy and Numeracy Support team and the Learning Support team. Ms Edwards also coordinates our very successful community volunteer reading program.

Another vital link in the literacy education is the new Head Teacher English, Mr Cheiban Elaro. Mr Elaro was welcomed by staff and students in term 2 and his skills in English will be most valued by all. Mr Elaro's knowledge and experience belies his youth.

Premier's Reading Challenge continues to grow

Thanks to the hard work of Ms Jenelle Horiatopoulos the number of students who were successful at the Premier's Reading Challenge grew to 40 in 2003. Ms Horiatopoulos used the home room groups to stimulate interest in the Challenge in which students are challenged to read 20 books from a list devised by Premier Bob Carr. We look forward to even more students completing the Challenge in 2004.

Homebush Students Graduate from TAFE

At a celebratory lunch on Monday October 20, 22 of our finest year 10 and year 11 students graduated from the "TAFE Literacy Volunteer tutoring program".

All students in the program were taught the skills required to assist year 7 and year 8 boys in home rooms 20, 23 and 32 with their reading. The tutors are all wonderful

young men and they combined their academic training with their personal leadership skills and generosity to put their time into assisting young people, the tutees, with their reading.

Meadowbank TAFE awarded graduation certificates to the boys for their successful completion of courses 9833A Theory and 6915B Fieldwork. Their teacher at TAFE was Ms Lorraine Holroyd and the Head Teacher Ms Jenny Horne. The following received certificates;

Year 10

- Solomon Donald
- Steven Gao
- Rabieh Gharibeh
- Abdul Jamal
- Paul Latu
- Sean Little
- Mousa Saeed
- Ujjwal Sharma
- Joseph Song
- Kareem Sourour
- Ronald Tran
- Matthew Petrucci
- Abhishek Sharma
- Mayouran Sriharan
- Kevin Truong
- Mina Wanis

Year 11

- Daniel Garan
- Marcus Harvey
- Gary Huynh
- Wilson Lam
- Peter Morkos
- Saad Qudrat
- Rajwinder Sandhu
- Sami Tahseen

The boys were presented with their certificates by Mr Derry Thomas, Director of Studies.

The program is indebted to the hard work of school teachers Ms Annette Legge, Ms Julie Uhlen, Ms Rani Pather and Mr Greg Taylor. The program is supervised by Mr Ian French.

Major Achievements in ICT

In 2003 Information and Communication technologies at Homebush grew in importance to the curriculum and in the size of the network. We were fortunate to be joined on staff by a qualified network administrator, Mr Ryan Chadwick. Mr Chadwick is a highly skilled and dedicated member of staff who also happens to be an ex-student. His work has enhanced the wonderful work of Mr Greg Lucas and Mr Greg Sheath.

Long awaited broadband internet access has finally been connected to the Homebush computer network. This fast access is part of the DET Computers in Schools Program (CISP) and has been provided by the company UECOMM.

This level access to the web enables on-line learning to be more successful and effective. Many staff and students frustrated by the excruciatingly slow access now find the 10 Mbps cable lightning fast. Administration will also be greatly facilitated by this installation as so much of today's communications and contacts are handled on-line.

New Computing Labs have been opened in the Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA) area. A major school

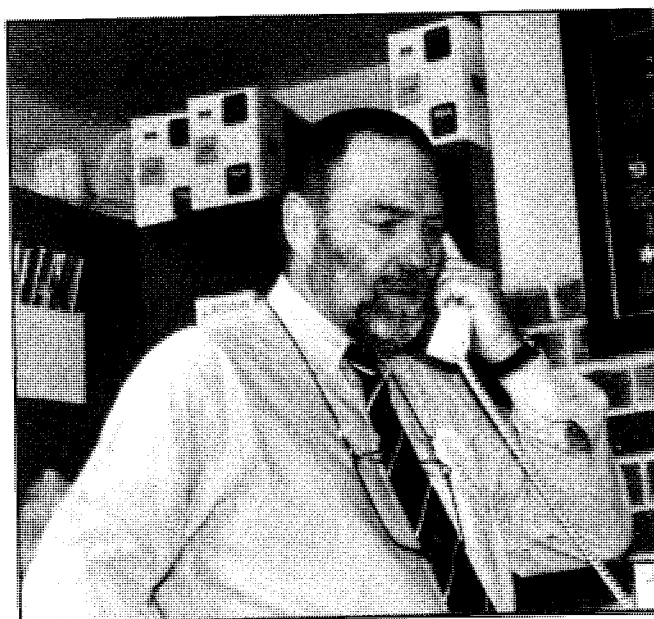
project has just been completed with two brand new computing labs :

- * Creative Arts - Room 42, 24 workstations
- * Music Kiosk - Room 45 vestibule consists of 5 computers running specialist music software

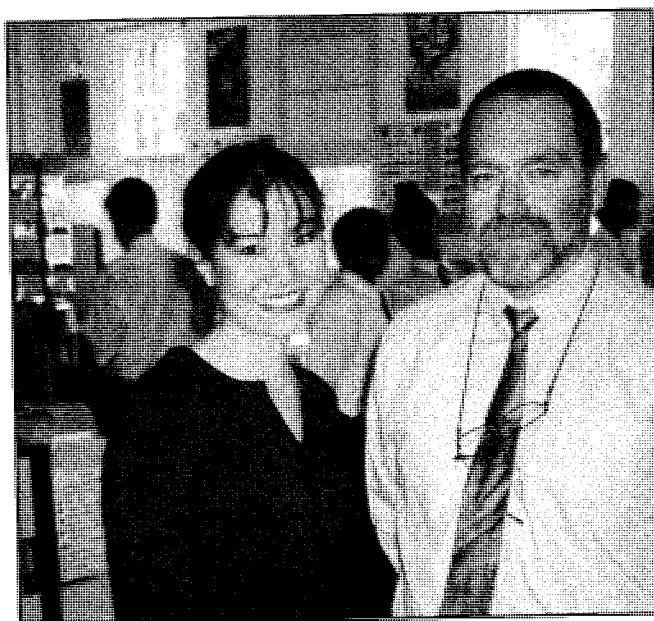
The cabling has been completed and the hardware has been delivered and all workstations are installed and locked down thanks to Mr Chadwick. This lab will be used to cater for the growing interest in photo-digital editing required in the visual arts and digital music production. The fact that the lab has been constructed in an Art room highlights the changes in student preferences and the growing need for the integration of technology.

The ICT team coordinated the Trial Computing Skills Assessment this year with 200 year 10 students sitting the exam on-line. This was only possible due to the high speed broadband internet connection that had been installed.

2004 is underway and Homebush continues to grow as a centre of excellence in the education of boys.



Mr Jurd is constantly on the go



Mr Jurd taught Anna Choy at his previous school

deputy development

Imagine you are Captain Smith on the bridge of the Titanic. In your ever vigilant search for danger you spy an iceberg. Like a colossus rising from the water, the iceberg is a thing of beauty. A myriad of colours reflect in the moonlight against a pure white backdrop. We all know what happens next! The Titanic sinks to the bottom of the Atlantic because of the simple fact that only 10% of the iceberg can be seen above the waterline while 90% of it, with its enormous mass and sharp edges, lie beneath the surface, a constant danger to the unaware.

Schools are a bit like that! As the community makes judgements about school don't just concentrate on the iceberg above the surface, but understand how the 90% below the waves supports the whole structure.

I would like to tell you about our "iceberg ..." the iceberg we call Homebush Boys High School, as it sits in the Atlantic Ocean of hundreds of State and Private schools. There is much to report on in relation to the 10% above the surface which becomes the public face of the school.

The pursuit of academic excellence is the core activity of every school. Our goal is for every student to reach his-potential. The Higher School Certificate results for 2003 were outstanding. School Dux, Martin Feng, received a University Admissions Index of 100.00. The result meant Martin was ranked at number one in New South Wales, along with twenty other students who also received a UAI of 100.00. Martin was placed 5th in English ESL in NSW and 9th in Mathematics Extension 2. He also received a "Premier's Award for All Round Merit". The "Premier's Award" is given to students who score above 90 in each of their ten units of study. Martin was joined by Ketan Bhatt, Kevin Cheng and Phillip Chu, who also qualified for a "Premier's Award". Ashwin Gore and Sourabh Jain narrowly missed a similar award after scoring above 90 in nine of their units of study. Several students were ranked in the top ten in NSW in specific subjects, with Kevin Cheng placed 6th in English ESL, Harry Karadimas placed 10th in Industrial Technology, Kevin Jiang placed 8th in Information Technology and Alfred Selladurai place 1st in Tamil. The class of 2003 recorded a record total of 104 entries on the "Distinguished Achievers Merit List" as published in the daily press. James Kipriditis was placed first in Year 12 based on internal school assessment. We can always do better and that is our goal. It would be remiss of me not to mention the achievements of Greg McCaull. A keen and hardworking student, Greg had 100% attendance over his six years of high school ... imagine never missing a day at school!

The results from the HSC, School Certificate, ELLA (Literacy) and SNAP (Mathematics) "System's Testing" saw our student cohorts score well above state averages, reflecting their effort and the instruction they receive. Anthony Solaese was a responsible School Captain who, along with, Phillip Havea, Sourabh Jain and Junji Tai, received Granville District Awards for "Excellence in Student Achievement".

Junji Tai can be well satisfied with his performance as a "Bushy Boy" ... Junji's contribution to his academic studies, his involvement in sport, student leadership and community service resulted in an impressive list of achievements A Granville District Award, a Commendation from the Order of Australia Association, and the Young Citizen of the Year for the Strathfield Municipality. Like Junji, the students who make the most of their school life are those who avail themselves of the endless opportunities which are presented through the infrastructure and support which exists at the "Bush".

Higher School Certificate success is the culmination of habits and patterns begun in the junior years. Many of the Year 7 students experienced academic success with Andrew Brimfield, Jeff Wang and David Choi leading the way. Oliver Pase, Tandeep Singh and Haydar Shkara were strong performers in Year 8, while Chris Pooley, Hai De Luo and James Yoon were dominant in Year 9. Year 10 saw Mohammed Zaoud, Abdul Jamal, David Mang and Daniel Habashy set the standard for the School Certificate. The Year 11 academic achievers were Mithan Sriganeshan, Chetan Punjabi, Henry Zhong and Bolin Li.

Natural ability is an ingredient in success but it is enhanced by participation and effort. I believe sport is an important ingredient in the high school experience. Sports Co-ordinator, Ron Tedford, has provided a structure for all levels of sporting participation. In 2003, Homebush was named the Metropolitan North West Zone Champion Sports School, ahead of Epping, Normanhurst, North Sydney, Asquith, Randwick, Ashfield and Macquarie Boys High Schools. We do have many fine athletes, but that is not the reason for success. Homebush won the title because we fielded competitors in every event at the Athletics Swimming and Cross Country Carnivals and participated in all Winter and Summer team competitions.

In summary the boys were placed first in Athletics, Swimming, Summer Sport and second in Cross Country and Winter Sport, earning the coveted Champion School Title. Phillip Havea was the Senior Sportsman of the Year, while Pascal Wallace and Lyle Taualai shared the Junior Sportsman of the Year Award. Noah Essagahir reached National Standard in Speed Skating and Adem Mumci in Tennis. The U/15's Waterpolo team reached the last sixteen in NSW, Shariful Islam was selected to represent NSW in cricket, and Phillip Havea won a silver medal in the Open Hurdles at the NSW Athletics Carnival. Xiao Wang represented the Combined High Schools in Table Tennis.

The tip of the iceberg is very impressive indeed. However, it would not rise like a sentinel for all to see, without the mass of ice beneath the surface which supports it. The supporting unseen mass of ice is reflected in the 5 - P's The people, practices, policies, parents and place which makes up Homebush Boys High School.

The culture of success and high expectations comes from this source. A study skills program is in place for each year. Students have the opportunity to attend overnight enrichment camps. Chess and Public Speaking Teams are entered into various competitions. Thousands of entries are co-ordinated in the various University of NSW Educational Testing Centre competitions. Literacy Strategies earned a "Boys' Lighthouse Education" grant from the Federal Minister for Education, the honourable Dr Brendan Nelson. The Drum Corps was dominant in the Sydney Anzac Day March. Gifted and Talented classes exist in each junior year and in the core subject areas. English and Science weeks expose the students to learning experience outside the classroom. Parent and Student Information Evenings provide feedback and the opportunity to hear relevant information from the Board of Studies.

Technology continues to march into every classroom. Twenty one rooms have been re-carpeted. All external and internal surfaces have been repainted in the last two years. The whole of the Western Grass Area has been re-surfaced, re-turfed and had a watering system installed. Teaching practices continue to improve to meet the challenges of new curriculum and the increasingly complex needs

of students. Twenty one staff received "National Excellence in Teaching Award" nominations from the boys. Our enrolments now approach 1200, a sure sign of parent and community satisfaction with the school..... all that ice under the surface certainly keeps us busy and makes the school a vibrant environment.

I have outlined a few of the high points for a small number of students. Many more contribute to the "Bushy ethos". I could talk about the effort and commitment of Daniel Kissick or Jibraan El-Ahmad. The VET contributions of Mitchell Kerr and Ronald Tran, the participation of Chris McCarney in the "Peer Reading Program" the boys involved in the opening ceremony of the Rugby World Cup, the 931 boys who entered the Mathematics Competition, Michael Kirby and his contributions to various performance evenings, the artists who were selected to exhibit in "Art-Express", the leadership of Bill Staines in the Drum Corps, the initiative and responsibility shown by Abdul Jamal and Mohammed Zaoud. the list is endless. The "Bushy Boys" of today are the citizens of tomorrow.

Most of the boys who attend Homebush Boys High School are decent young fellows who are supported by caring, responsible and motivated parents. The P & C and School Council are vehicles where that support can be translated into action to enhance the school. The support is invaluable, but comes from a relatively small base consider being one of the active parents.

Dr Paterson continues to be at the forefront of educational theory and practice. His strong emphasis on quality teaching and creating opportunities for all students to reach their potential has made the "Bush" an exemplar school in "Boys Education". His leadership is translated into action by the laconic, Deputy Jurd. Tim Jurd is underpaid and overworked as he leads various areas of technology, pedagogy, training and development and volleyball in the school. The senior executive provides leadership in all the areas which count and are ably supported by the remainder of the staff.

The outstanding ESL outcomes and the publication of the Bush Bulletin result from the efforts of Kerry Meucci, a fact which was recognised with a "Granville District Award for Excellence in Teaching". Ron Tedford received recognition after becoming the longest serving, and best, Sports Co-ordinator in the history of Homebush Boys.

Alan Brawn, one of the finest men and most professional head teachers I have worked with retired after 35 years teaching at Homebush Boys High School. He has been a "life model" for every student and teacher who has been associated with him over this period.

The School continues to grow, more staff, more students, more demountables. We have reached site capacity. The challenge is to maintain the culture and the personalised nature of learning at the "Bush". If we all believe "the best is yet to come" and work towards it, then that will be our future, ... I certainly believe it to be my future.



Mr Hilliard has a go at a didgeridoo



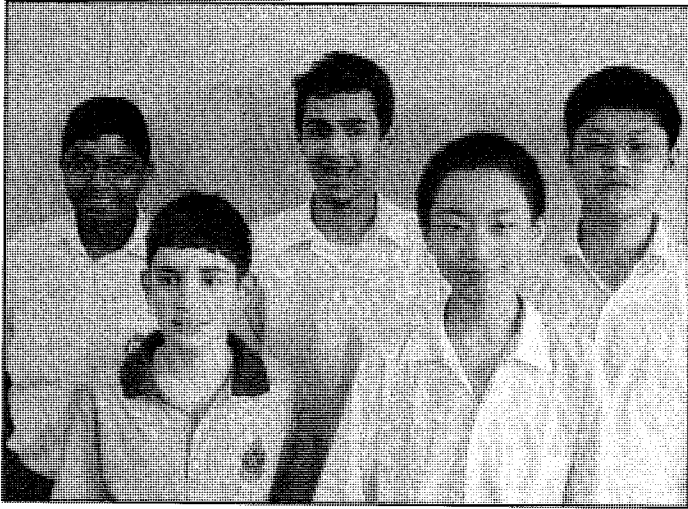
Mr Hilliard and District Superintendent, Barry Higgins.



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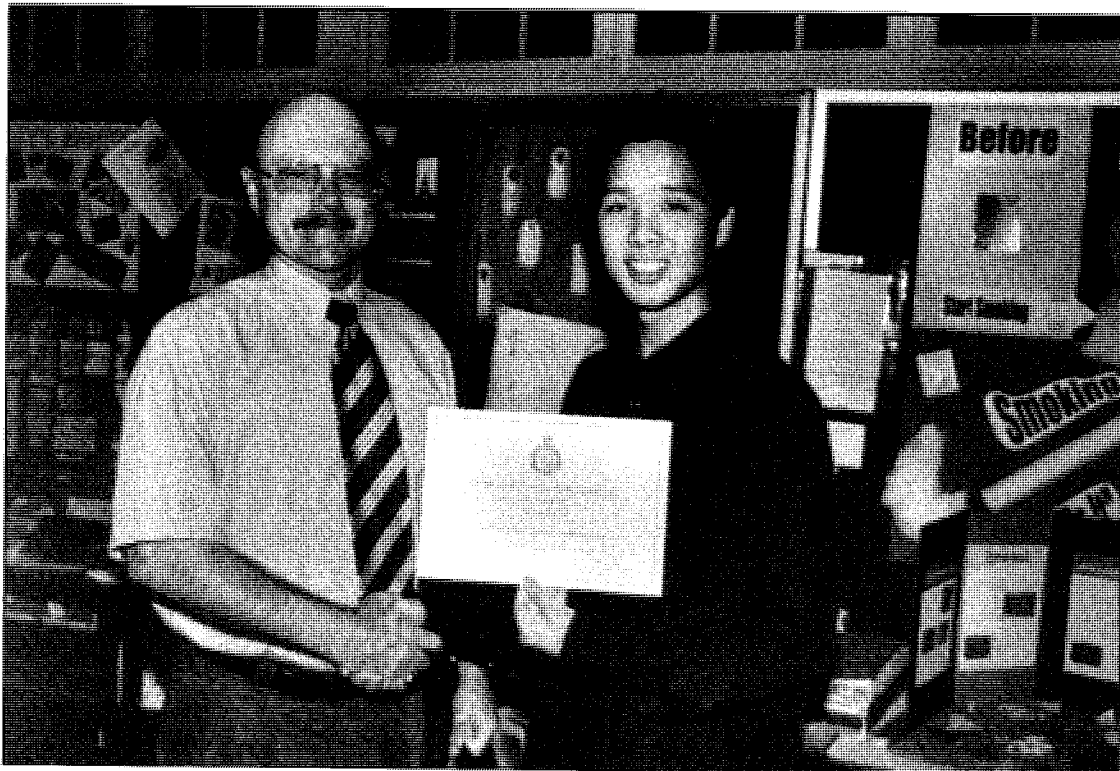
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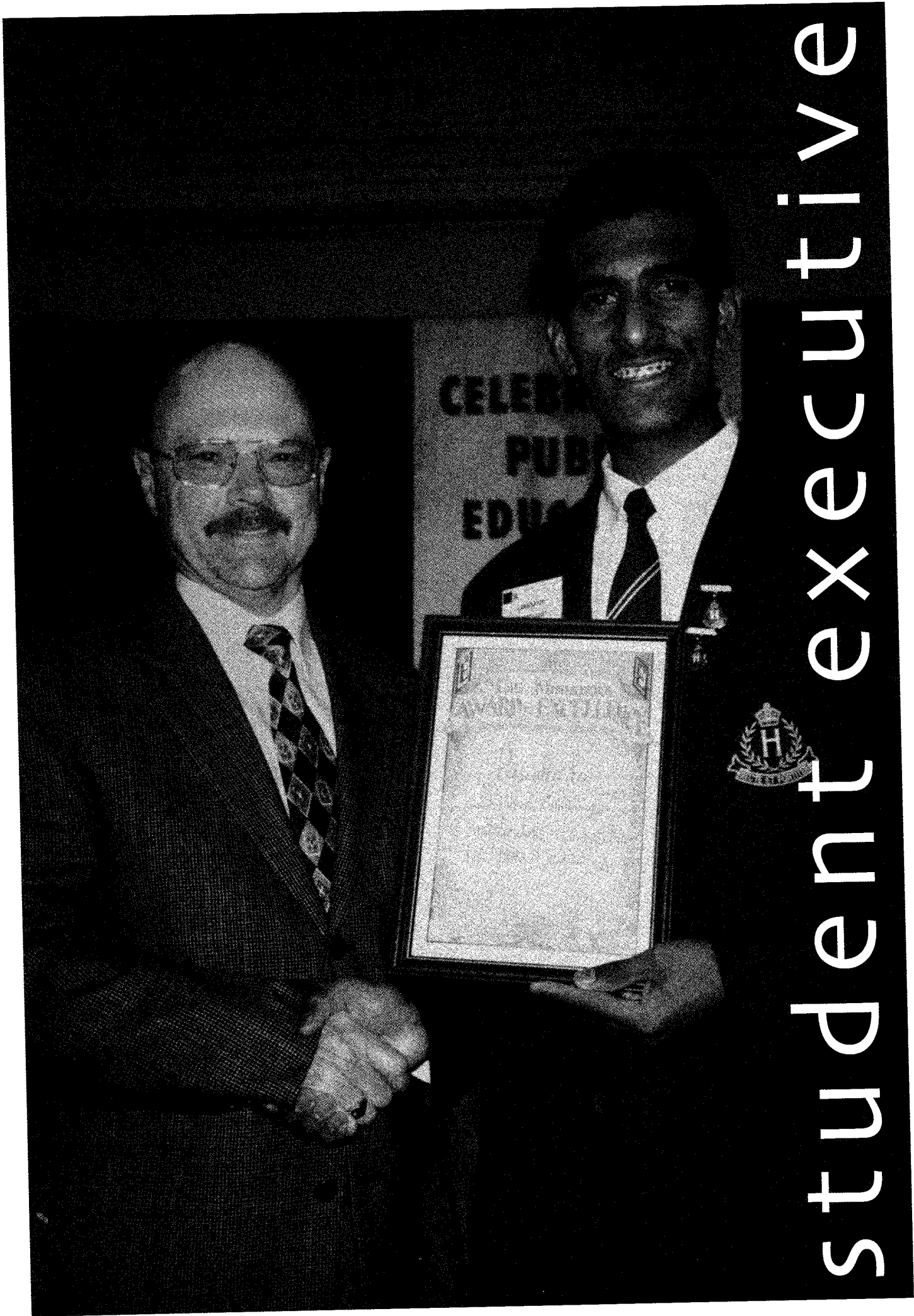
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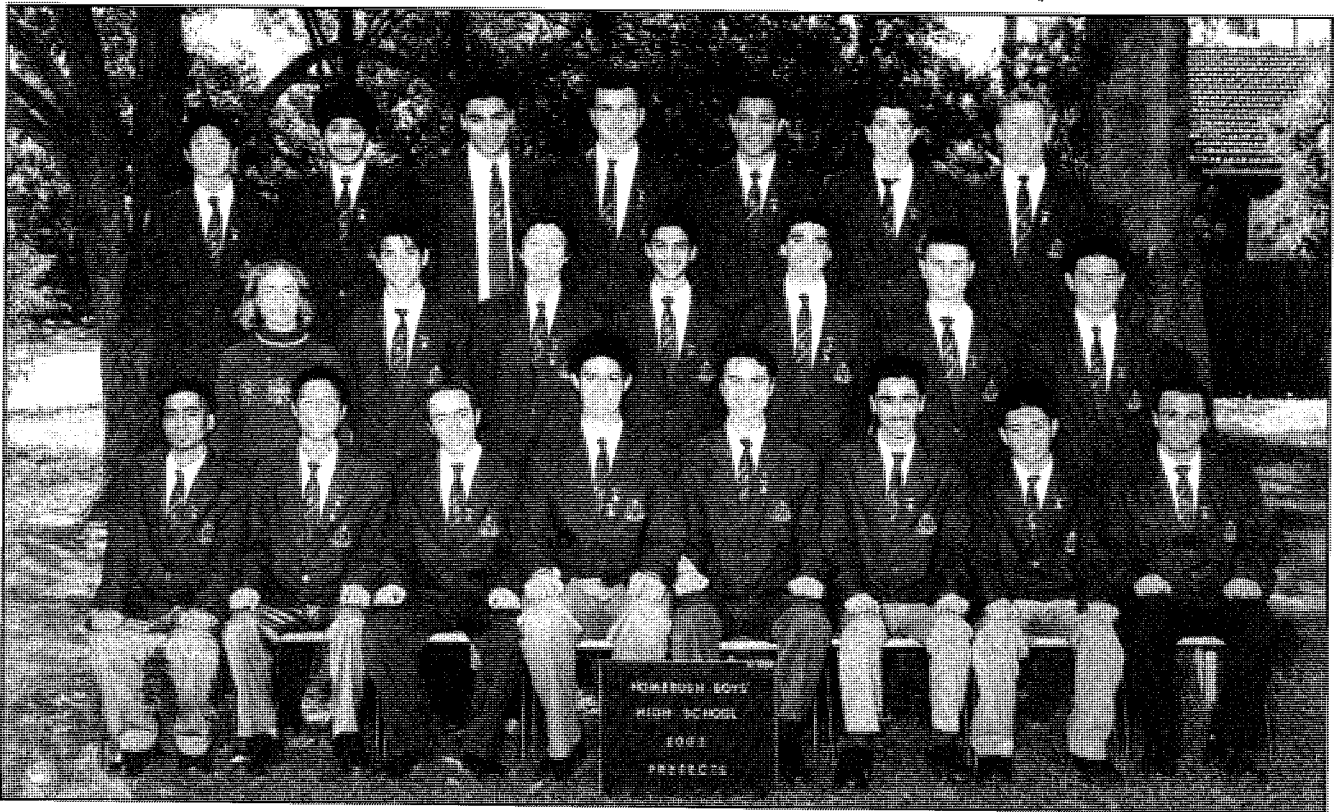
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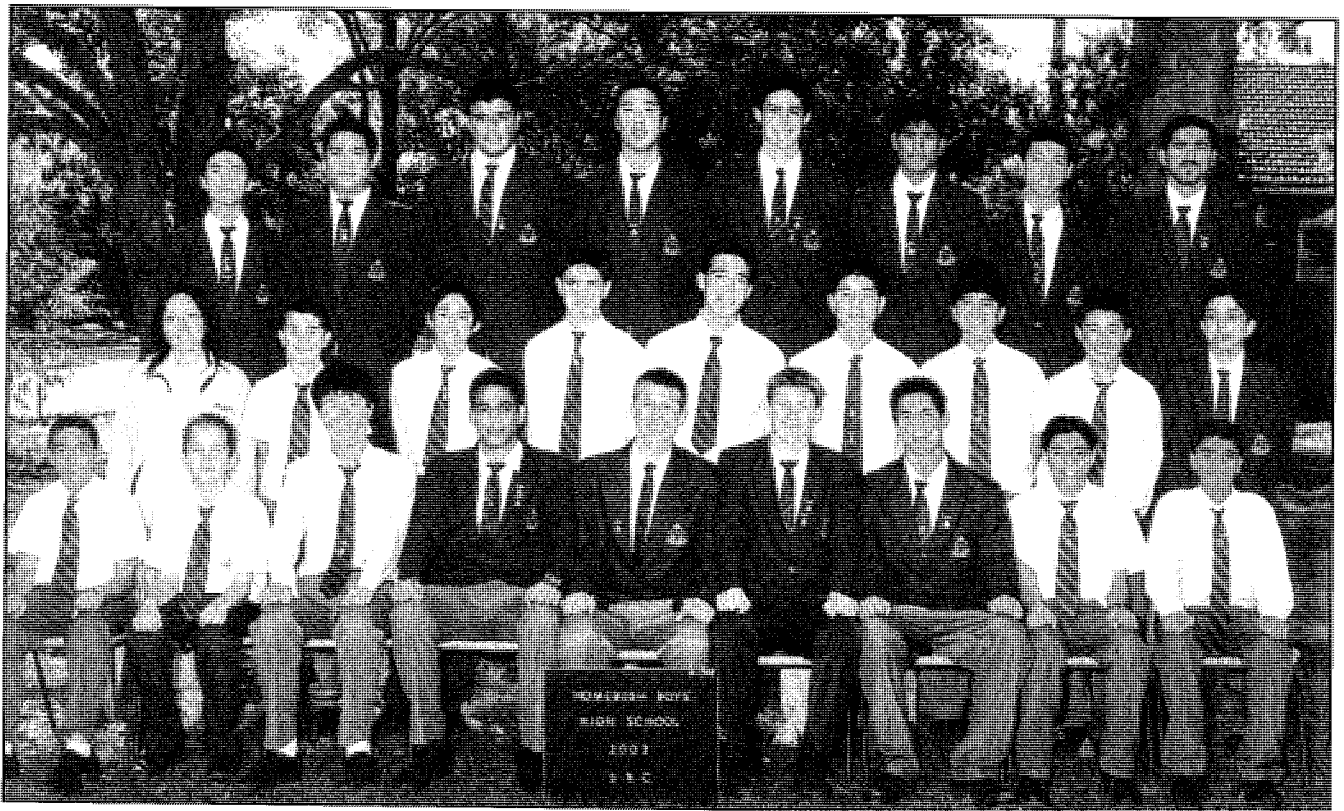
Junji Tai congratulated by Dr Paterson for his commendation from the Order of Australia Association.



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Middle Row: Ms Tsouloukidis, Mustafa Simsek, Michael Chen, Sourabh Jain, Harry Karadimas, Max Uren, Jeff Lim
Front Row: Ahmed Haider, Junji Tai, Frank D'Aspromonte, Anthony Solaese, Phillip Havea, Ashwin Gore, Christian Rodriguez, Shridhar Kapodistrias



Back Row: Jason Lu, Simon Lam, Abran Ahmad, Jason Alim, Anthony Solaese, Rajev Shanmugan, Jason Tran, Wassi Haider
Middle Row: Miss Chan, Chris Mustafa, Lawrence Ly, Stephen Speirs, Yas-Kaine Kasamatsu, Raymond Park, Jas Singh, Ron Chan, Mohammed Edelbi
Front Row: Ibrahim Kerem, Kenan Tarpis, Mark Han, Jahtin Naran, Andrew Little, Daniel Craig, Stephen Ly, Mehran Modasser, Abarb Ahmad.

The Homebush Boys' High School Student Representative Council (SRC) student body for 2003 had been elected at the end of Term 4 in 2002. Their peers elected the representatives from their year groups. The elections were held in an enthusiastic atmosphere for year-groups 8-12 for the New Year. The Year 7 representatives were elected in Term 1 of 2003.

The Council currently has one teacher as the co-ordinator, Ms Chan, who has been of great assistance to our early activities throughout the year. The representatives elected for each year group are as follows:

Year 7

Ibrahim Kerem, Lawrence Ly (School Council Representative), Mehran Modasser

Year 8

Arbab Ahmad (District SRC), Jas Simran Singh, Kenan Tarpis (Assistant Secretary)

Year 9

Mark Han, Christopher Mustafa , Stephen Speirs

Year 10

Abrar Ahmad (Environmental Committee), Ronald Chan (Assistant Treasurer), Yan Kaine Kasamatsu (Multicultural Committee), Raymond Park

Year 11

Jason Alim, Mohammad Edelbi (Multicultural Committee), Wassi Haider, Simon Lam (School Council Representative), Andrew Little (President), Rajevshanth Shanmugan

Year 12

Daniel Craig (Vice President), Jason Lu, Stephen Ly (Treasurer) , Jatin Naran (Secretary), Anthony Solaese, Jason Tran (Environmental Committee)

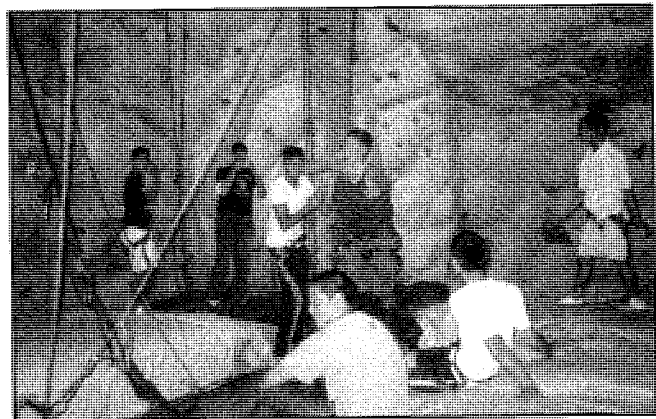
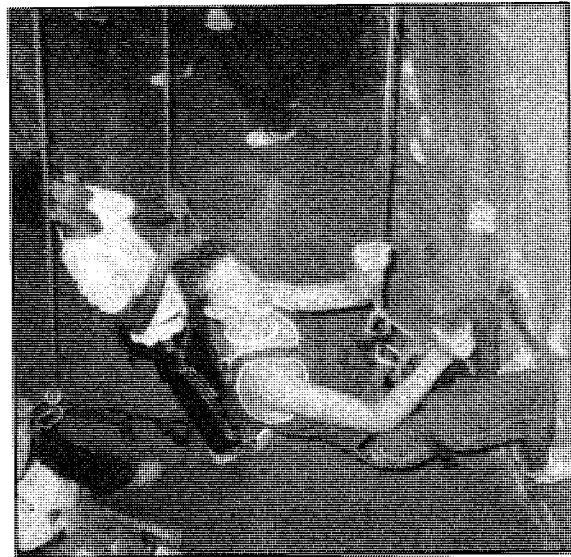
The Charities that the SRC has helped out with this year include,

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- Daffodil Day
- Bandage Bear Day
- Sight Day

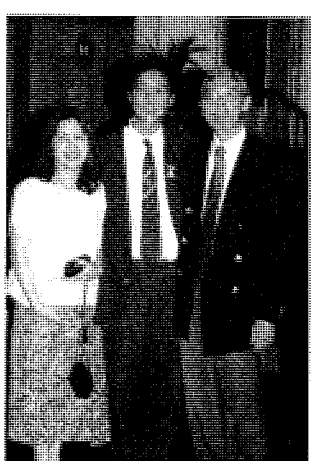
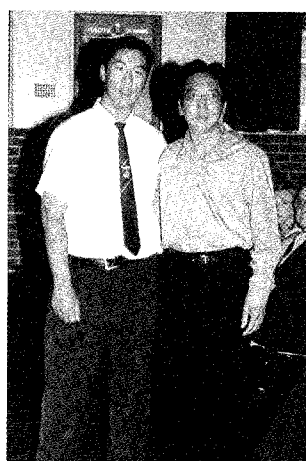
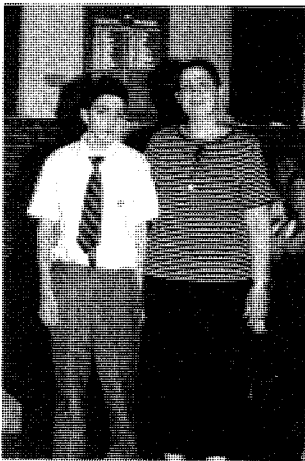
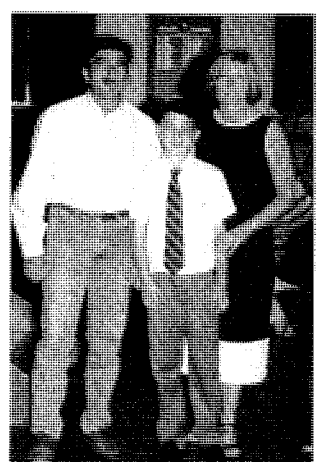
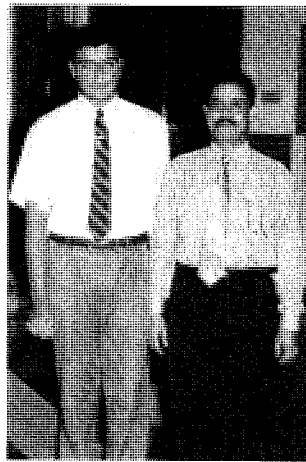
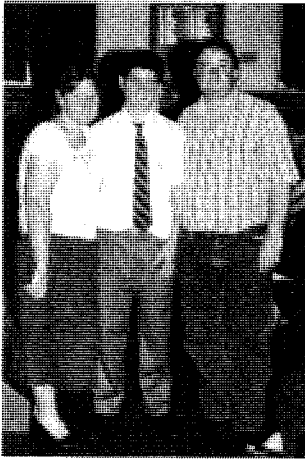
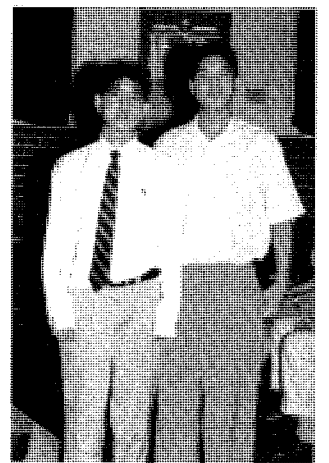
We raised a lot of money for these charities. One of the main things that has come out of SRC for 2003 was the introduction of Halal food into the canteen, which was lead by Wassi Haider and his fellow Year 11. We thank the canteen staff, school executive, staff and students' support in the introduction of Halal meat pies at our school.

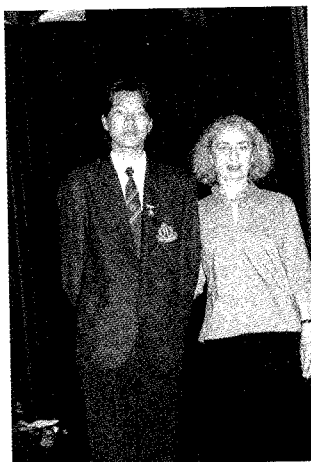
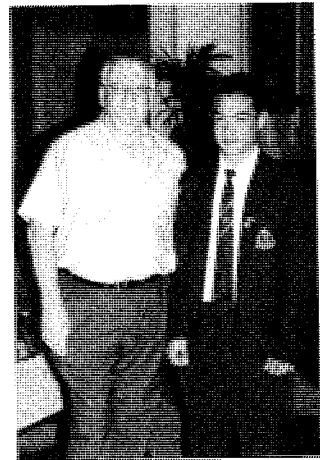
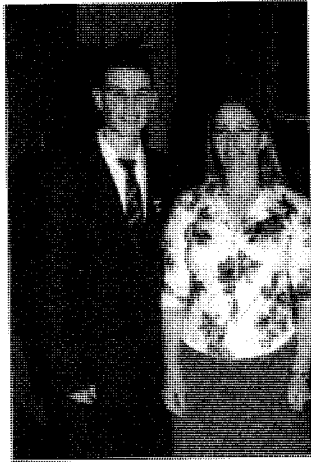
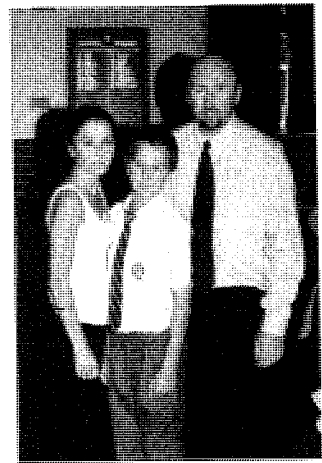
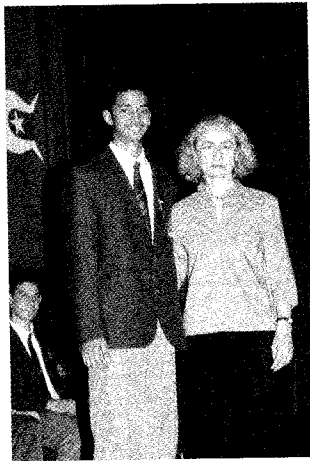
SRC was a lot of fun this year and a special congratulations to Abrar Ahmad for being voted as 2004's President and for Rajevshanth Shanmugan for gaining the role of School Captain.

Andrew Little
2003 SRC President



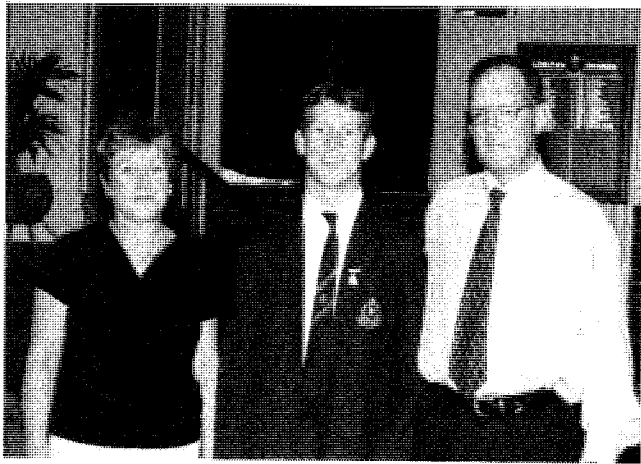
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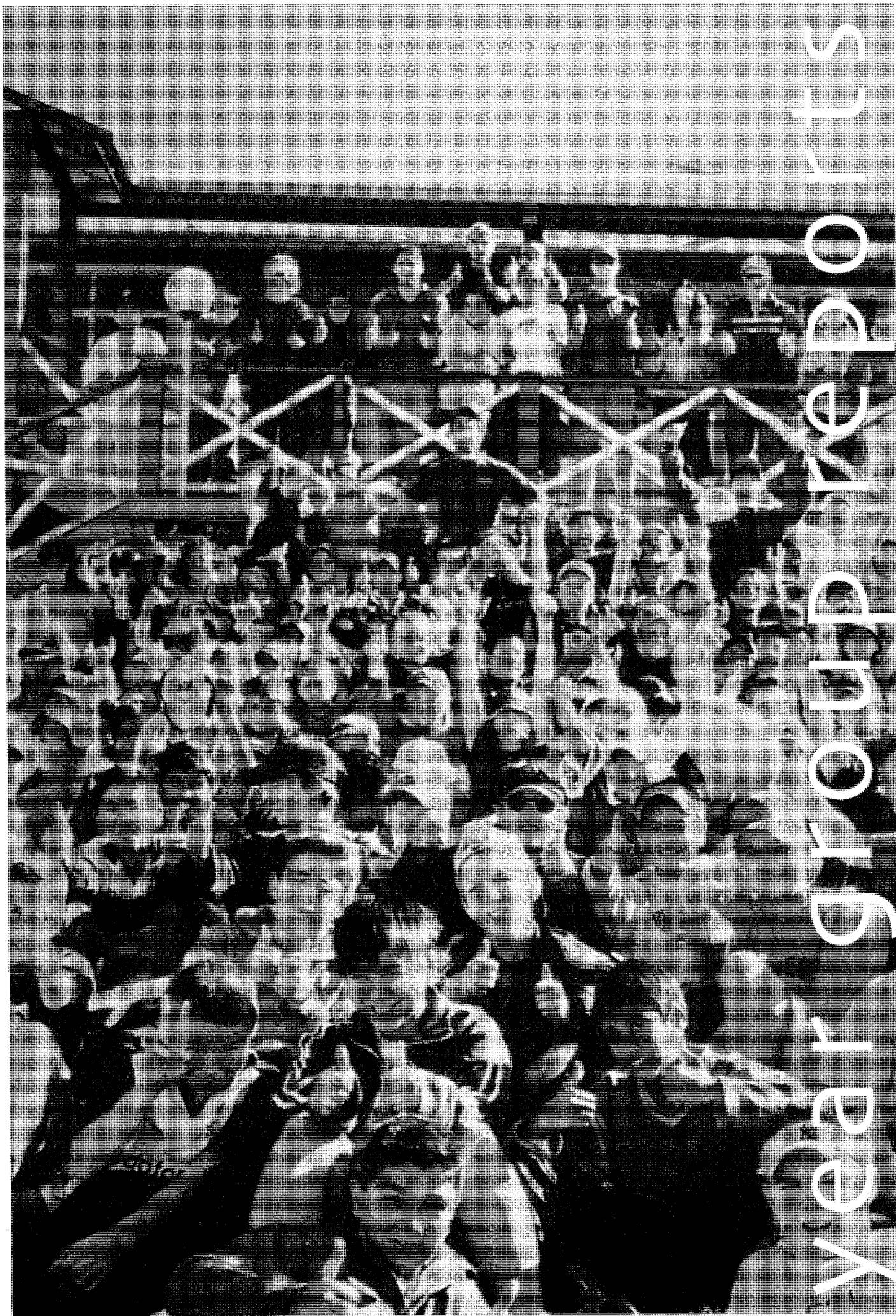




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year group reports



A sea of excited, yet nervous, faces greeted me when I stood at the front of the first assembly for the year 7 cohort for 2003.

Having studied the Primary School records of these boys I knew that the year held great promise in terms of achievement both inside and outside of the classroom.

Four terms later and the list of academic and extra curricular successes are numerous and varied. Some outstanding results in both the ELLA and SNAP tests were combined with significant achievement in the vast number of subjects provided at the school.

Sporting prowess was demonstrated in grade sport and throughout the various carnivals. One outstanding student in the sporting arena is Adem Mumcu who is already displaying great talent at a national level in tennis. We may

have a future Australian Open winner within our school.

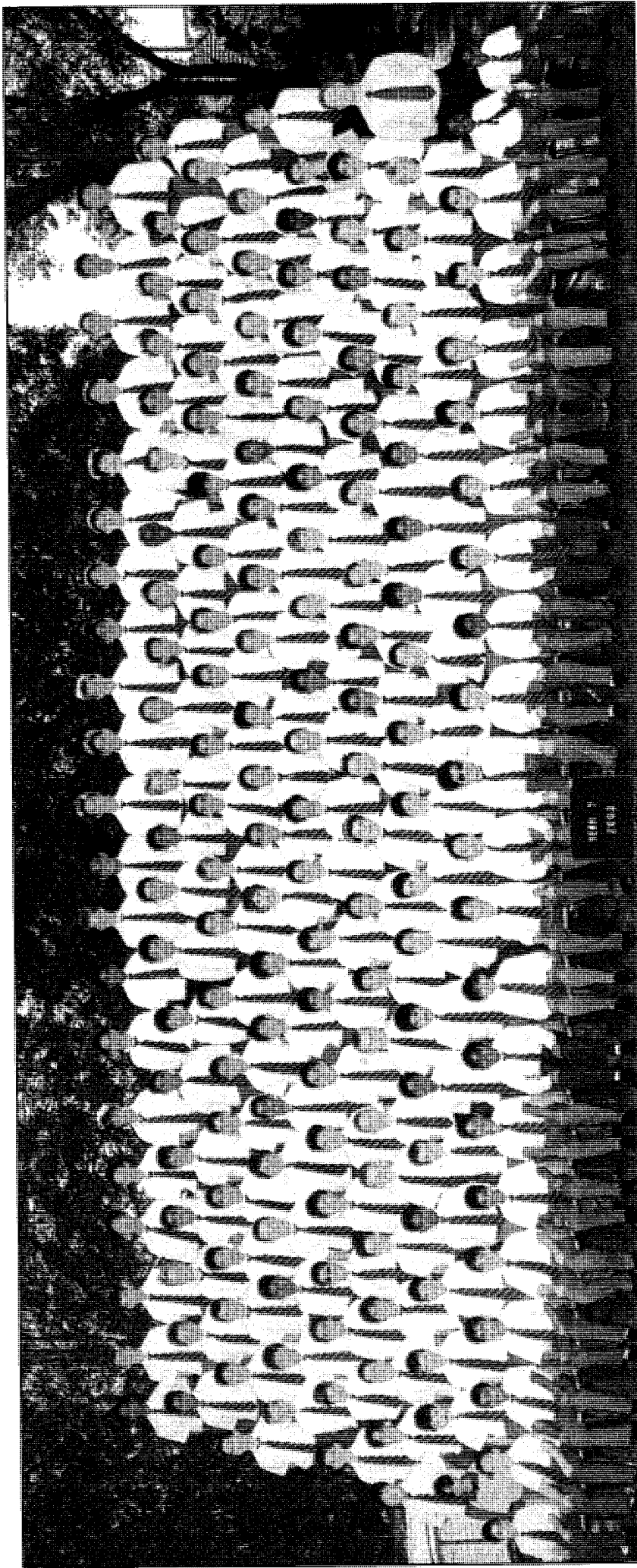
Musical talent was also regularly on display and further emphasised the enormous opportunities provided by the school to excel in a range of fields.

One of the highlights of the year was the three day camp at The Collaroy Centre. Team building and anti-bullying sessions were combined with challenging and exciting physical activities. I am not sure who enjoyed it more, the students or the teachers.

Finally, I would like to thank the parents, staff and students for helping to make this such an enjoyable year. I look forward to continuing in the role, as these boys transform into the fine young men I know they will be.

James Kozlowski





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- Row 6:** Emirhan Ozyigit, Jeff Yook, Daniel Lincoln, Eric Tran, Musa Ozkan, Nicholas Siomos, Noah Essaghir, Jamie Kritharas, Miladin Lekanic, Adem Mumcu, Androu Beshara, Emre Mehet, Sobhi Lakmas, Kaan Sozen, Dean Atchan, James Ha, Johnathan Ngamu, Philip Truong, Anthony Randali, Daniel Choi, Eren Ozyigit.
- Row 5:** Piers Elliott, Donald Chung, Mahendrarajah Sinnarasa, Kenny Lloyd, David Bischof, Kumaran Balaraju, Hee-Jo Choi, Eric Au, Matthew Robson, Ibrahim Kerem, Lawrence Ly, Ronald Pai, Scott Tonkin, David Lam, Joshua Ho, Kavi Nakkeeran, Ali Zara, Matthew Martin-Williams, Jason Vuong, Joshua Lott, Chris Choi.
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- Front:** Emir Elayoubi, Ian Chan, Suthan Sriharan, Prakash Nagaratnarajah, James Filippoy, Afnan Fazli, Sujjan Sathiasseelan, Hareeshan Elankovan, Monty Sinha, Paul Kim, Vandat Mai, Jibraan El-Ahmad, Hao Ni, William Shanthikumar, Ryan McCrea, Jordan Potts, Daniel Song, Injae Kwak, Daniel Kissick, Christopher Parkee, Vashantha Buvanentharan, Harichandra Rajaji.
- Principal:** Dr I Paterson
- Year Adviser:** Mr J Kozlowski

The enthusiasm of Year 8 towards all aspects of their schooling was best represented by their contribution to Presentation Evening. The following boys performed in the band, Jake, Oliver, Adrian, Michael C, Sudhagar, Garth, Daniel N, Nelson and Peter B and a large number of boys received academic, sporting and citizenship awards. It was rewarding to see so many boys striving for success in such a variety of contexts.

With the experience of Year 7, the boys moved confidently toward the challenges of Year 8. Ella and Snap (the statewide literacy and numeracy assessments) were on the agenda early on, with our results well above state average. Study skills were built upon via a one day workshop. The boys also attended crime prevention seminars to assist them in developing a healthy respect for the police, the law and the consequences of committing offences. Lessons best learnt in the classroom and not in the courtroom.

The boys had plenty of time to enjoy themselves via excursions and events such as viewing "Soldier Boy", a play used in their English work, a Science trip to Manly aquarium and Fairlight beach, a Medieval Day for History and a visit from a DJ with numerous musical effects and mini performances. Kos was the Homebush Idol with his beat boxing efforts.

Year 8 had representatives in the Drum Corps who marched in the City on Anzac Day and also on an excursion to Canberra. Well done Ethan, Oliver, Sudhagar, Matthew C and Derek. Peer mentoring participants included Jake, Josh T, Ethan, Sudhager, Raymond H, Oner, Clifford, Adrian, Peter B and Patrick. These boys attended a workshop at Strathfield Girls High where amongst other things they were introduced to the importance of confidentiality and understanding when dealing with mentees.

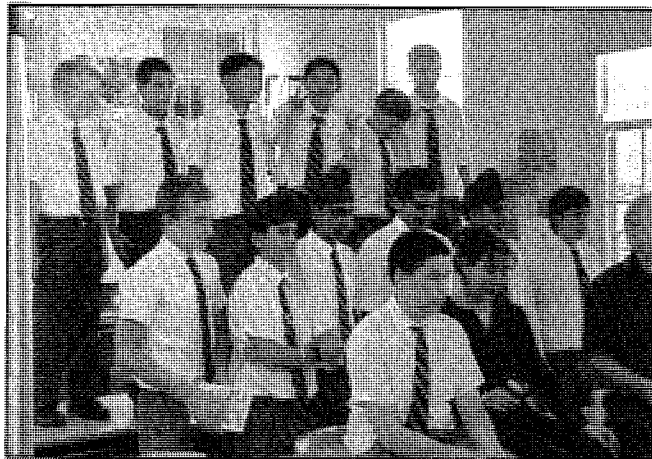
Public Speaking and Debating also had strong representation, with the debating team reaching the Semi Finals in the Granville District. Oliver, Peter B and Sudhagar were involved in both. Congratulations to Patrick, Krishna and Mahesh for public speaking and to Jas, Tandeep and Arbab for debating. Year 8's Student representatives Jas, Kenan and Arbab did themselves proud via their hard work and dedication in helping to organize and implement numerous fundraising activities and in representing their year with distinction. Congratulations to the 2004 representatives, Arbab, John and Gus who were much deserved of their selection.

Homebush took honours in 2003, for the first time in 8 years, and joined Epping as the only two schools on the Zone Sport Champion School Trophy. Year 8 played a vital role, with strong representation in grade winning teams and high levels of participation in school and zone carnivals. Josh and Michael C dominated the Swimming with notable performances from Peter B and James. Jamie, Brandon, Shaun, Adam and Josh led the way in Athletics and Jamie reached the State Cross Country. Such results ensured the collection of valuable points at the Zone Carnivals.

Finally, thanks to Ethan, Oliver and Oner for their work in helping Ms Juska compile this magazine.

I look forward to continued good times in 2004.

Mr B Wilson



Students all ready for "Big Arvo" with Anna Choy



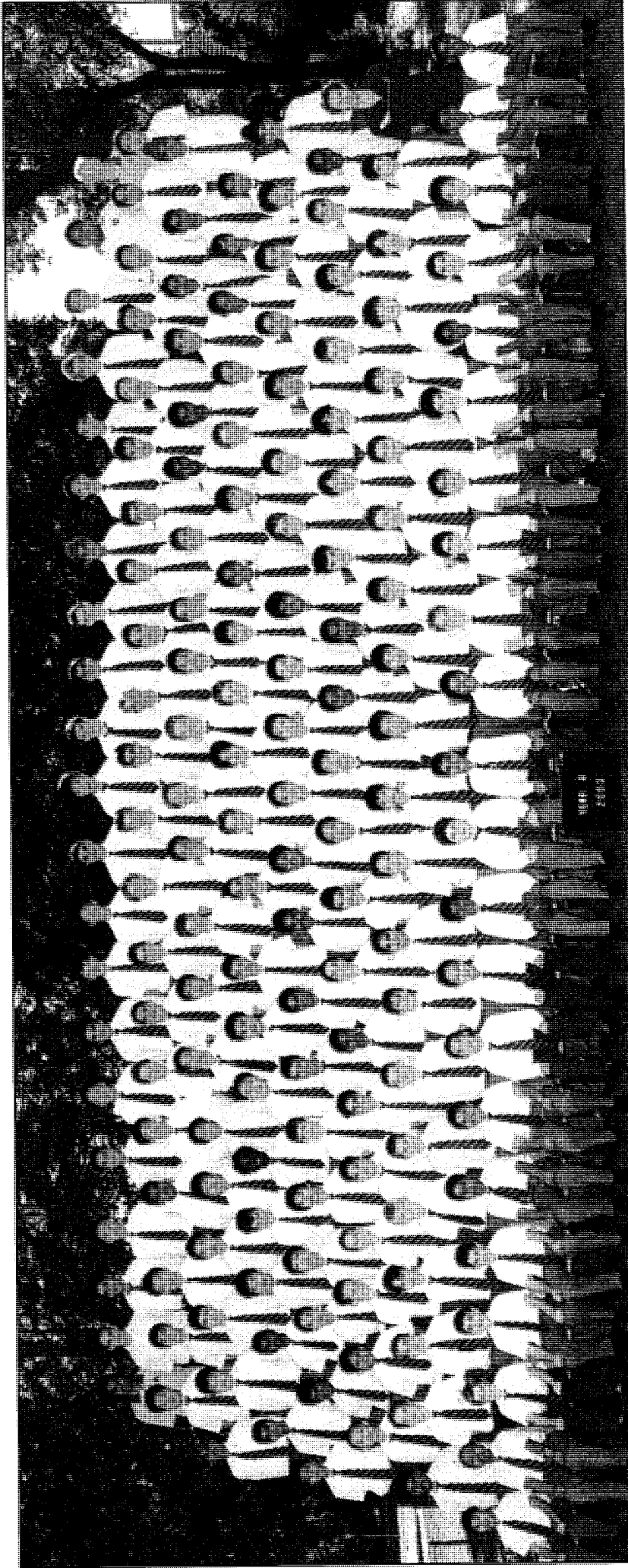
Bush Tucker intrigues students



Clean Up Australia



Pride in our school grounds



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'A wise man once said, the best way to destroy an enemy is to make a friend of him. By the year 2010, I hope that the warring nations of the world will put aside their differences and that old enemies will set aside their weapons and extend the hand of friendship to each other.'*

What a noble sentiment. These are not my words, but the words of a Year 9 student, writing in response to the current global political climate about his hopes for the future. It has been a challenging year in many ways (on both a local and world-wide scale), yet I have been impressed many times over, with the maturity and sensitivity of our Year nines in a wide variety of situations. One of the most memorable occasions, for me, is the supportive environment evident in a classroom I visited during the year, where the more able students were warmly encouraging some of the less able students in a very challenging task. There is great hope for the future when this current generation are so tolerant of each other's differences.

Already, we are at the half way mark - the completion of Year 9 is the mid-point of high school for the vast majority of students. Study pressures begin to mount, and relationships transform. Decisions about future directions now are taking more of a priority. Of course, Year 9 were still able to find ways to enjoy themselves and get the most out of the opportunities offered to them ... theatre performances, music performances, a farm visit, study skills, the Sport Science camp. Many thanks to Mr Bill Gavathas for showing the video performance of Ross Bryant-Payne's dramatic face-plant at one of our year assemblies - abseiling has never seemed so much fun! Another special thanks goes to Mr Smith and the fantastic Computers in Music students who have kept us very well entertained sonically and visually this year. Xiaotian Ma and Matt Lott have also entertained us with their musical talents.

The chess club, our interschool / regional athletes, debaters and our excellent public speakers have once again done a sterling effort representing our school. In particular, Stephen Speirs and Chris Pooley came first and second respectively in the regional public speaking competition - but then we've known for some time that they both have the gift of the gab. Indeed, this year a focal learning activity centred on talking and listening skills, as part of the Literacy Lighthouse Project. Each subject area required students to perform an oral task and designed special listening activities.

This year we have made a committed contribution to school citizenship and leadership. Mark Han, Chris Mustafa and Stephen Speirs have been very involved in representing students on the Student Council in 2003. We now have five SRC members for Year 10: Congratulations to Adrian Alim, David Gonzalez, Chris Mustafa, Stephen Speirs and Omar Youssef on their election. A special thanks to Mark Han who has given up his time and effort to represent his peers for three years - best wishes for the future, Mark. Also a number of enthusiastic, hard working students were involved in the Environmental Action group which cleaned up our school environment. Well done! A number of students have also chaired our assemblies - a daunting task, but always competently performed. Thanks to Rizwan Amir-Khan and Mubbashar Satti (term 4, 2002); Waqas Qudrat, Ram Karthik, David Gonzalez and Omar Youssef.

Year 9 are also indebted to Mr Peter Tryon, our school counsellor, who has been very involved with running special group programs, as well as giving individual support. Ms Nadine Faust has also been invaluable in her 'behind the scenes' work, and I greatly appreciate it!

To the many parents and guardians who so actively support your sons - what a wonderful job you're doing! One day, they might even appreciate it!

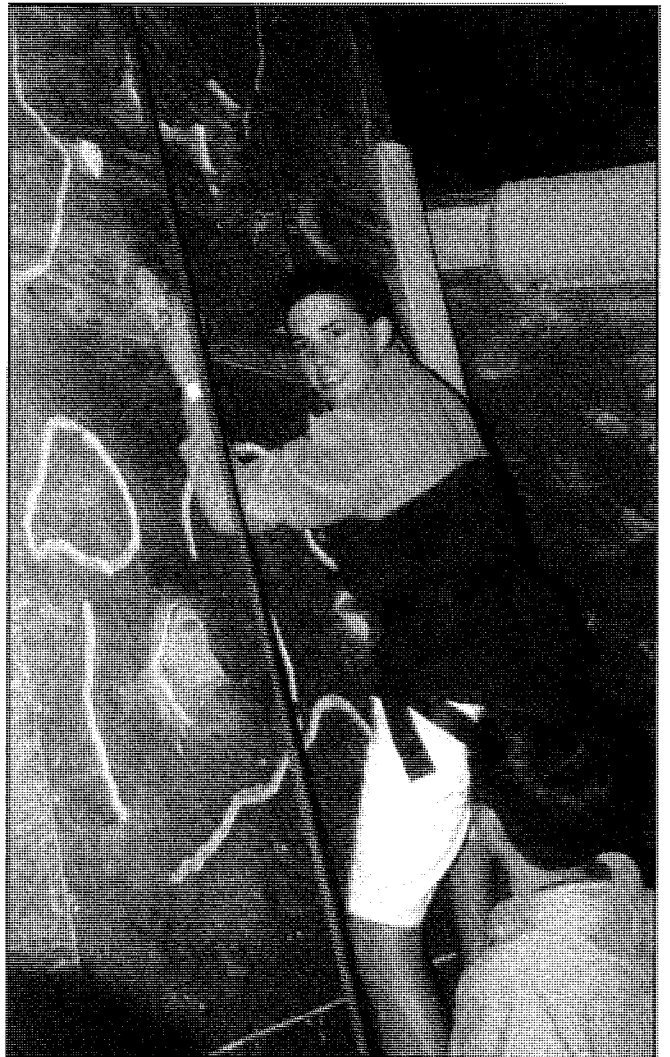
Next year is a particularly important year, scholastically. I hope that these young men continue to develop their tolerance and maturity alongside their study routines.

Caitlin Dwyer
Year 9 Adviser

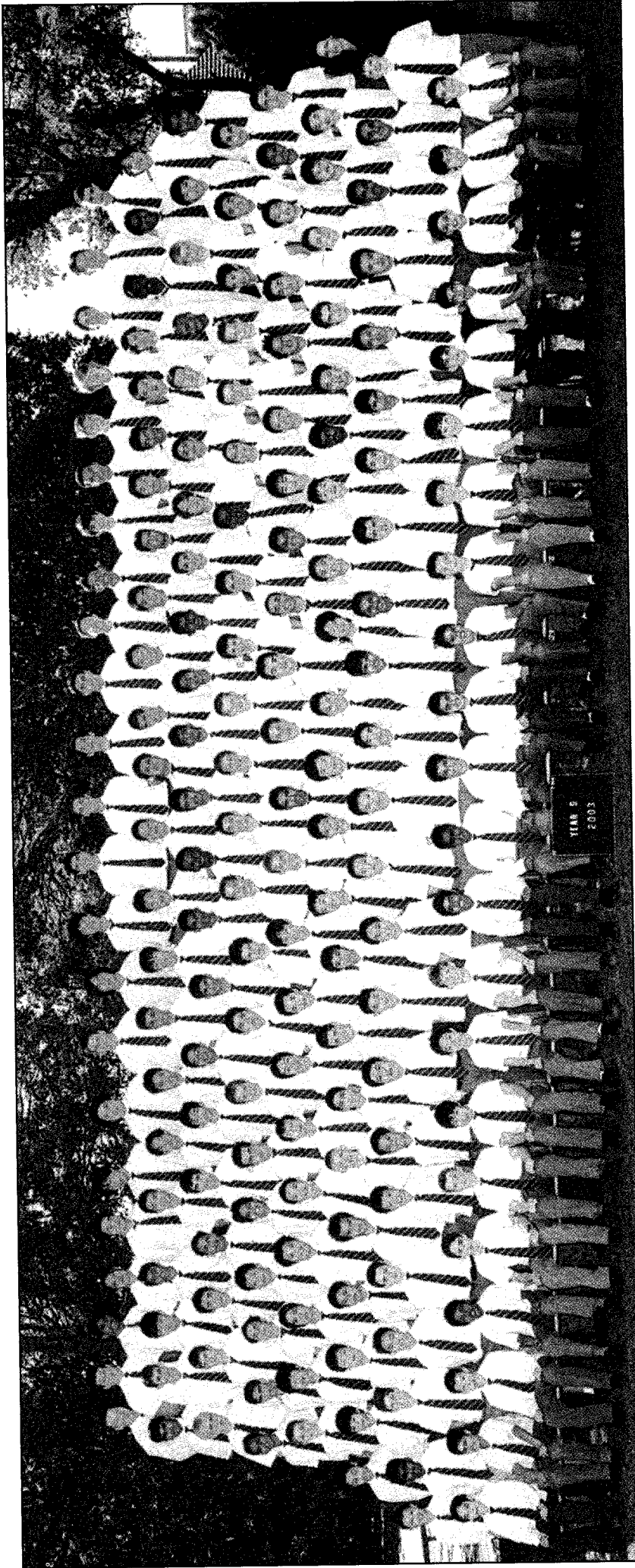
*Thanks, Matt.



Ms Dwyer in the thick of it



Sam Everett climbs walls



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It is an oft echoed statement by Year Advisers, but nonetheless true - it is hard to believe that the group of young men who completed Year 10 this year are the same young boys who began Year 7 back in 2000!

Back then they were filled with excitement, uncertainty, and a certain amount of trepidation at the mysteries which High School would reveal to them. We'd like to think that the uncertainty and trepidation have been exorcised, but that the excitement remains the same. Certainly the achievements of the students in Year 10, 2003, would seem to indicate that this is the case.

The boys have done remarkably well - in so many areas- that it is hard to pinpoint any particular highlights. Both individually and collectively they have excelled and shown that real "Bushie" spirit for which the school is traditionally known. Their efforts have ranged across the broad spectrum of opportunities offered by our school encompassing the diversity of talents and interests our boys possess.

As usual, our boys have done well academically - a credit not just to their teachers but to their own diligence and application. So many of them have matured into fine senior students that it augurs very well for their too rapidly approaching HSC.

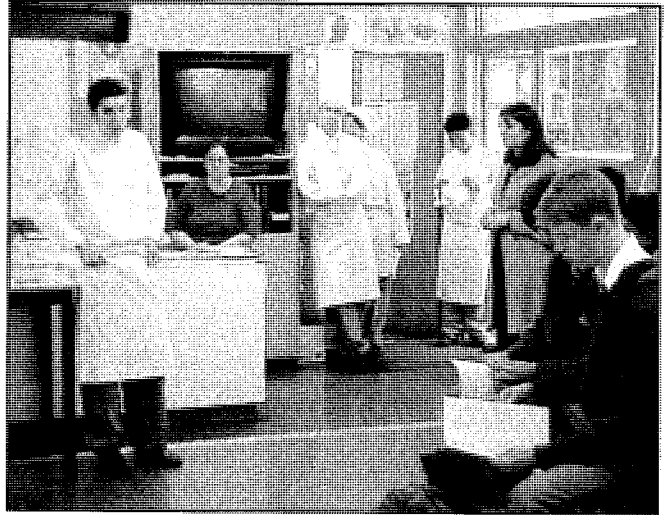
In the sporting area the highlights have been numerous. From Paul Latu, Lyle Taulai and Pascal Wallace's fine performances in 1st Grade Rugby, Simon Watson's 1st Grade Cricket achievements on to Edward Parry's State Swimming, the boys have shown that same spirit of enthusiasm coupled with an outstanding sense of sportsmanship.

Debating teams, Rabieh Gharibeh's win in the All Boys Speaking Competition and Year 10's prominent role in the School Variety Evening exemplify the various creative abilities and interests of the boys. Involvement in the SRC, the Peer Tutoring Programme, and charitable events such as the Red Shield Appeal, also show a fine sense of community spirit and a willingness to help where help is needed.

It must be acknowledged that so many of these achievements could not have occurred without the support and involvement by parents in the educational partnership - that nexus between school and home. We thank parents for the interest and assistance they have provided throughout the year.

It has been my pleasure to continue as the boys Year Adviser this year, and I look forward to another year of continuing excellence from them in 2004 and on into their HSC year in 2005.

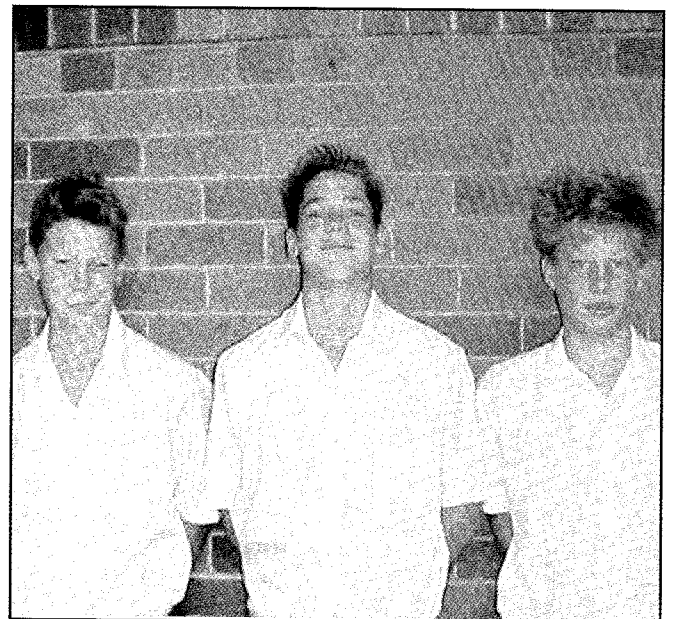
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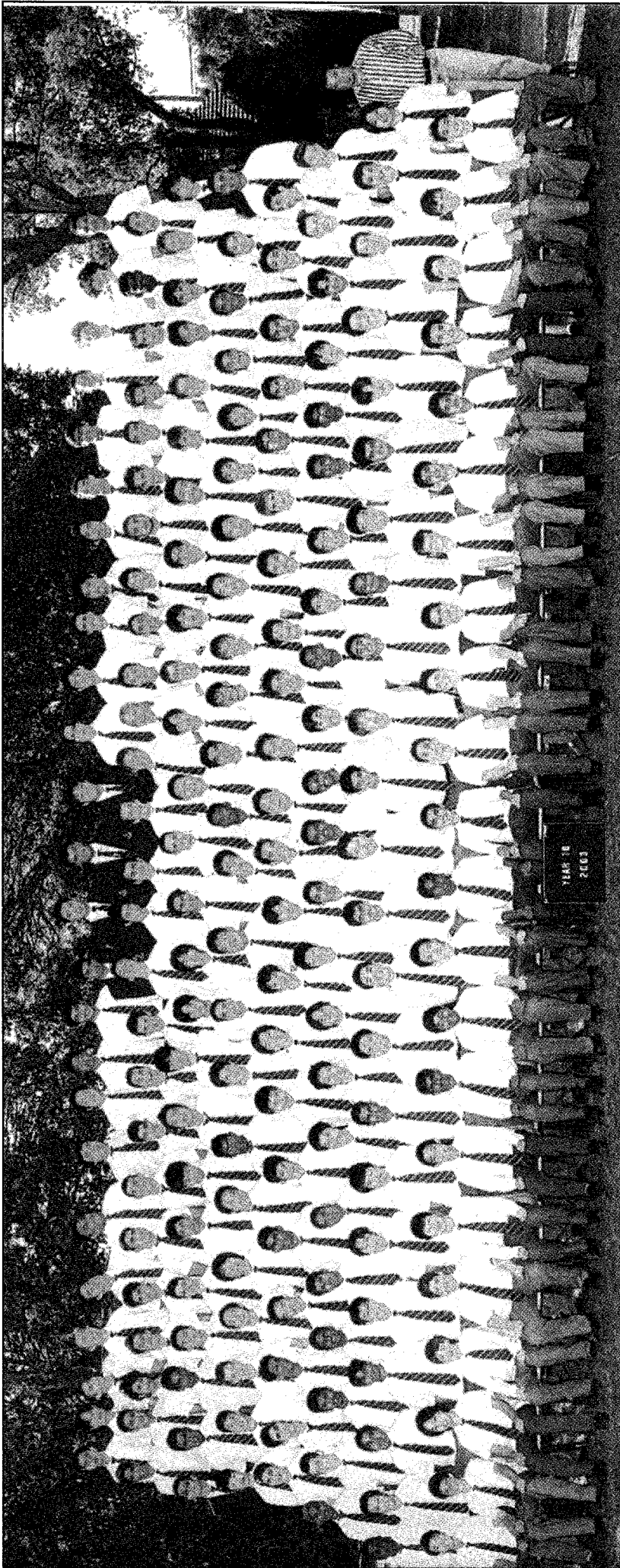
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Yr 10 students looking at student work.



Yr 10 SRC Representatives



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- Principal:** Dr I. Patterson
- Year Advisor:** Mr P Koff

Year 11, one minute finding your way around the senior yard, the next you are starting your Higher School Certificate. As with so much of life, the time passes quickly, yet the young men of Year 11 have been able to put so much into their four terms it is hard to believe.

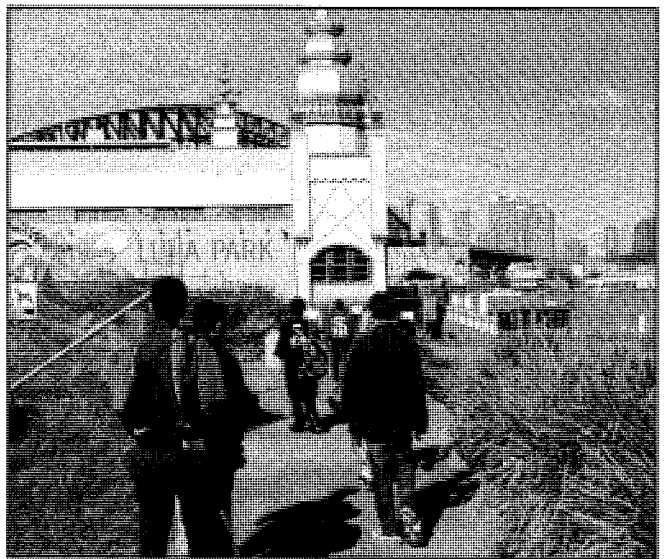
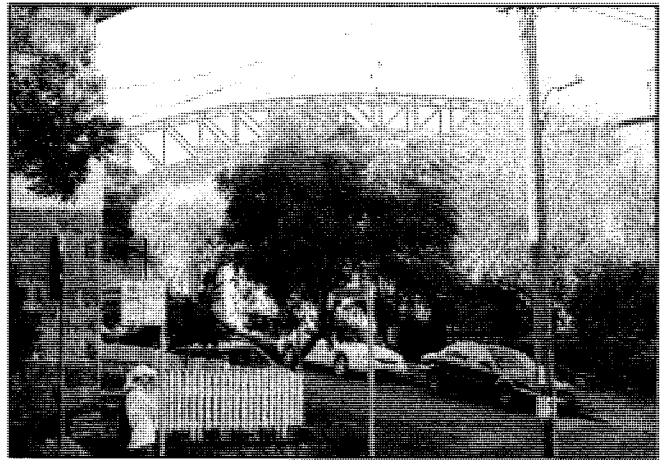
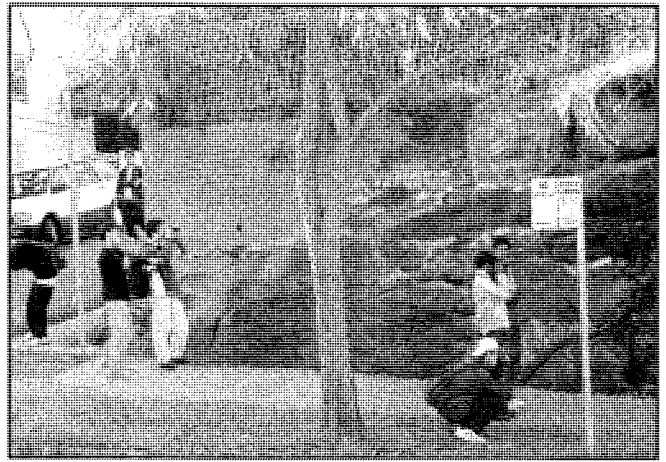
Term 1 saw so many keen and bright-eyed young men whose eyes were quickly dulled once they saw their assessment schedules. The decision to continue into senior studies is a serious one, which means two years of continuous hard work. Some boys quickly realised that alternative arrangements had to be made. The beginning of the year started with the regular study skills day, which was more important than ever as the demands of most courses required the boys to re-evaluate their commitments to other activities to allow homework / assignments to be completed on time, thus the time management section was of great significance.

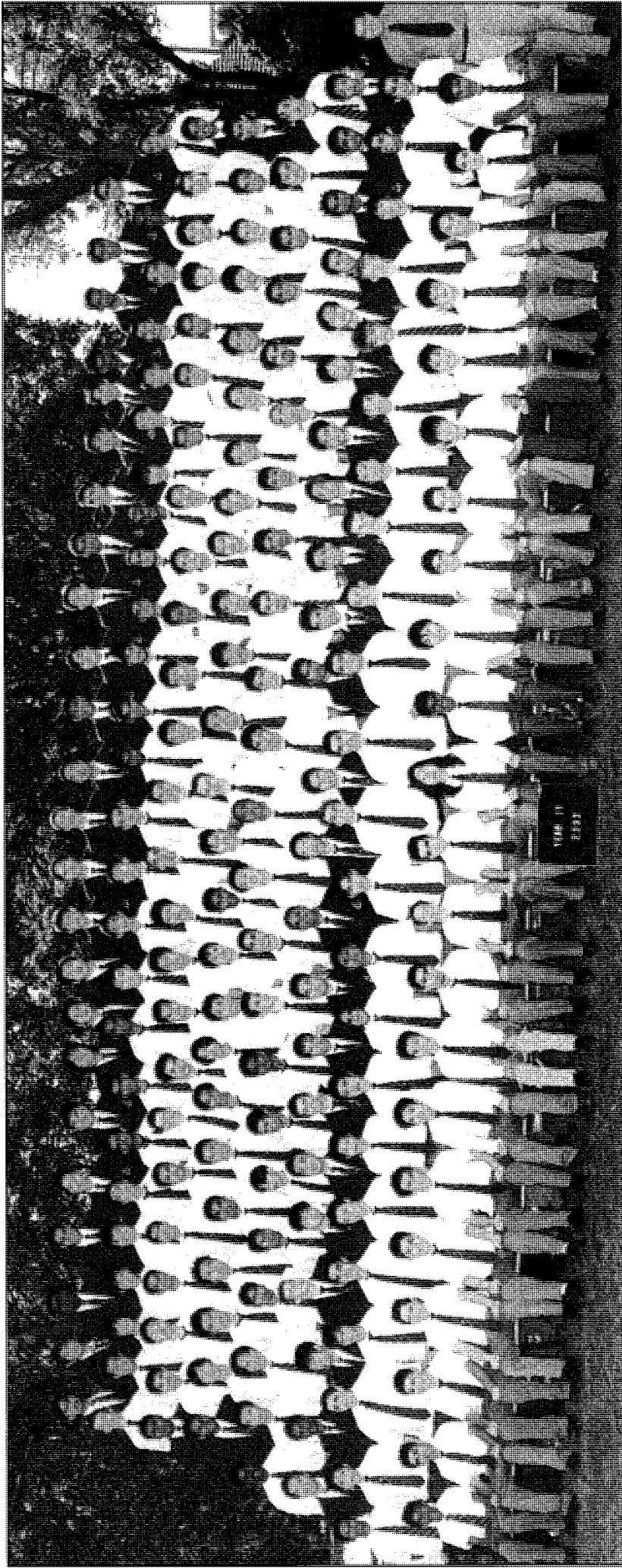
The beginning of 2004 will start with a session in the hall discussing what the successful year 12 boys of 2003 have done to achieve their very good results. 2003 was also very important for our year group as we now play a larger role on the student executive with a number of boys being elected as School Prefects who will now play a crucial role in many school based activities in the coming year. The boys were awarded with their badges late in term Four at the prefect investiture. Congratulations to these boys. A special mention should be made to our elected School Captain Rajev Shanmugan, our Vice Captain Matthew Helou and our senior Prefect Jason Alim, all of whom will play a critical role in the organization of the school next year.

Term Two saw Peter Morkos attend the Australian Business Week Program. Peter brought back to school many of his newly learnt skills selling a range of perfumes and leather jackets as well as anything else he could get his hands on, a real entrepreneur. Early in Term 4 I had organised a motivation speaker for Yr 11 in the gym. Former Australian Survivor contestant and third place getter, Joel Betts, spoke about what it takes to succeed and gave the boys strategies they can use to improve their attitudes and skills when it comes to study. Late in Term 4 half of Yr 11 attended Australia's Wonderland for a physics excursion. An enjoyable time was had by all as well as climbing a steep learning curve. Overall we have had a successful and rewarding 2003, and I look forward to my sixth and final year with these boys and I am sure there will be some great HSC results from the Class of 2004.

And finally remember, "Use well these present moments as they fly".

Mr James Richardson
Yr 11 Advisor





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Row 5: Rishiv Rathore, Ryan Marks, Nhan Do, Tony Lin, Janahan Jayadevan, Hiep Tran, Andre Jayde, Andrew Chau, Gary Huynh, Evan Tran, Joy Thiraviarajah, Danny Tsai, Andre Piper, Peter Li, Ronald Tran, William Tran, Jason He, William Dao, Patrick La, Robert Chan, Simon Lam, Jason Chung, Wilson Lam, Fawzul Ahmed, Ajit Khanna.

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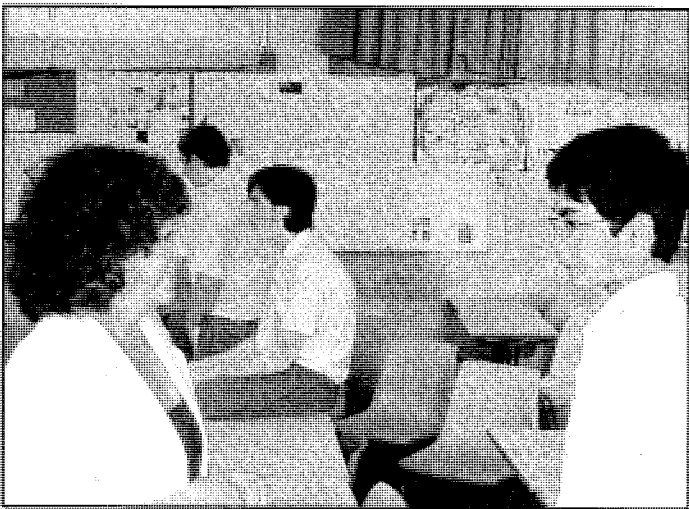
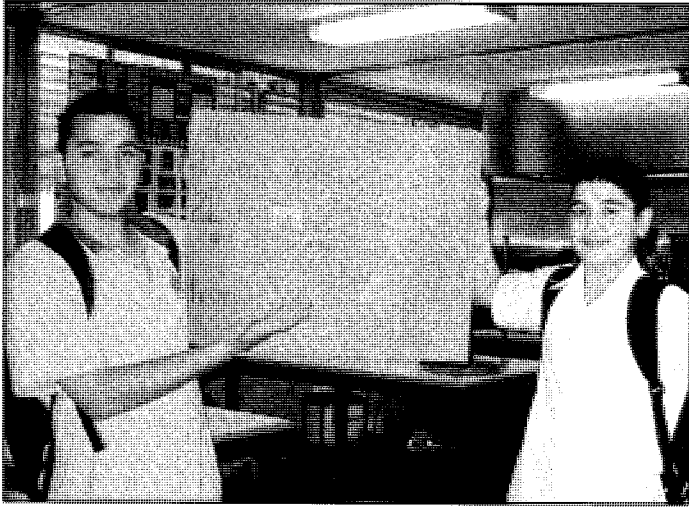
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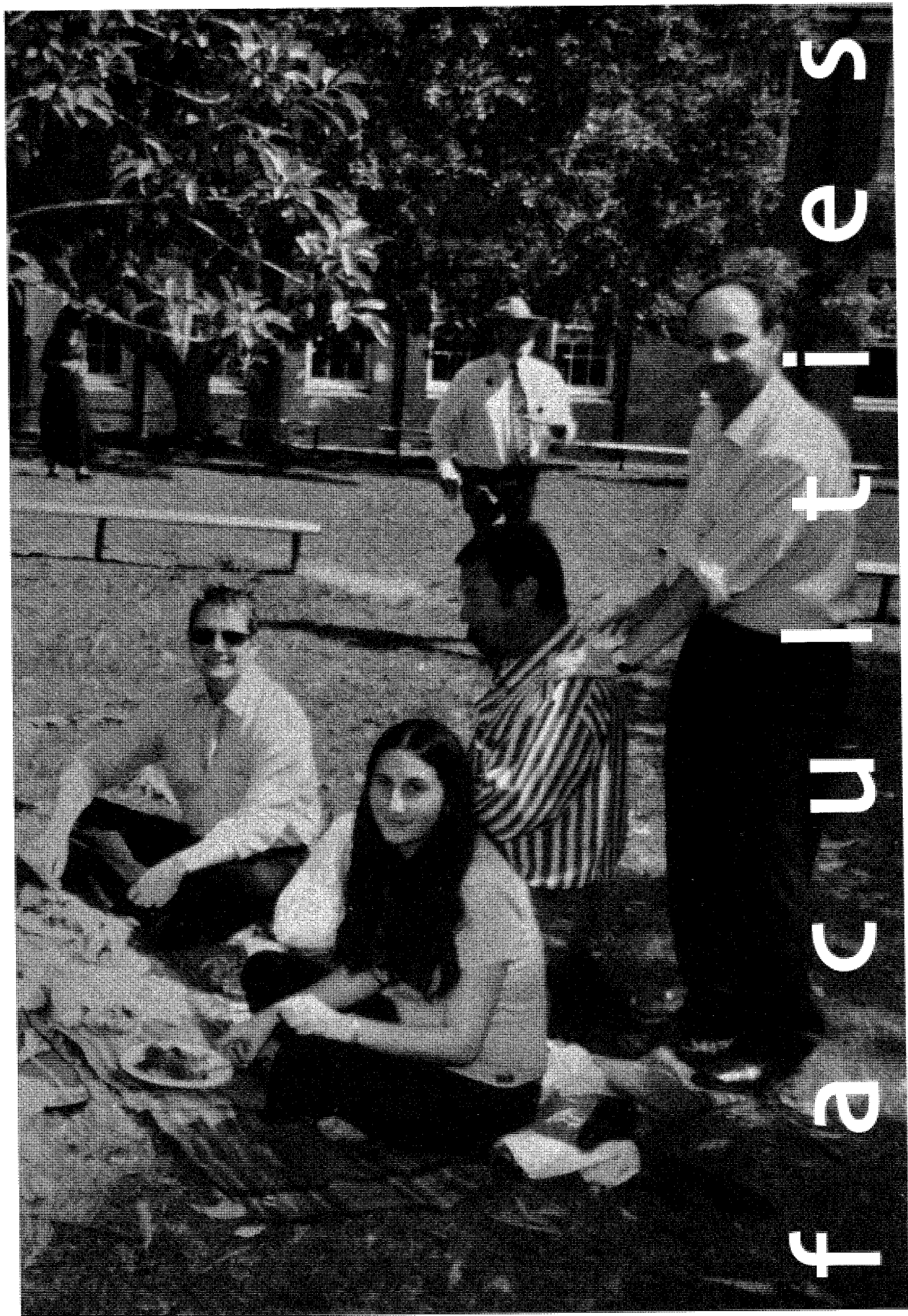
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Drum Corps





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English Faculty

I feel very fortunate in many ways being the English Head at Homebush Boys High School. The English staff are all outstanding classroom practitioners and dedicated professionals who care about the students. The students are positive individuals who want to learn and excel and the school is held in high esteem in the community.

I am also fortunate to be leading an English faculty at an exciting time of change and challenges. The second 'generation' of changes in the English curriculum is about to take effect with the new Stage 4 syllabus to be implemented in Years 7 and 8 in 2004. This closely follows the new HSC that was first implemented into the preliminary course in 2000. The times, they are a changin' (apologies to Bob Dylan). So it is either an exciting time or a time of much trepidation.

So with much hard work and dedication the staff have produced some innovative and detailed programmes which we are eagerly waiting to teach in the new year. The programmes will explicitly engage the students in new multimedia texts and the more traditional written texts in order to provide students with the best opportunities to develop their communication and critical literacy skills.

Reflecting on the past 3 terms, I have to thank the English staff for their support and acknowledge their outstanding contributions in the classroom and within the faculty. Their dedication to the boys' education is exemplary. Everyone has contributed to the development of the Stage 4 programmes. We are all eternally grateful to Sam Hague and his technical wizardry with the computers. Also, his work with the public speaking students and competitions he has initiated have demonstrated his dedication and his hard work. Gin Tauber's hard work and organisational skills made English Week a runaway success and promoted the importance of literacy and English to the boys. Our school entered the Australasian English and Writing competitions with excellent results. Over 35% of the boys achieved Credit or Distinctions in both competitions. These competitions were well organised by Sharon Burns. Rob Wills' expertise in Gifted and Talented was utilised well with his work with targeted students from Years 8 to 10. The boys constantly produced work of the highest calibre. Kerri Morey's work with the debating teams and her time relieving as Head of Department were excellent contributions to the faculty. Cassie McGuinness' work with the Years 7 and 8 debating team was crucial in the boys' development as debaters and they progressed well into the competition. Rhonda Roberts' and Michael Klein's wisdom and experiences were vital in their work with debaters, Extension English and grading for the School Certificate. Judith Edwards and Paul Koff's work with students with needs helped cater for the boys' welfare and educational developments. I look forward to supporting and working with all the staff in 2004.

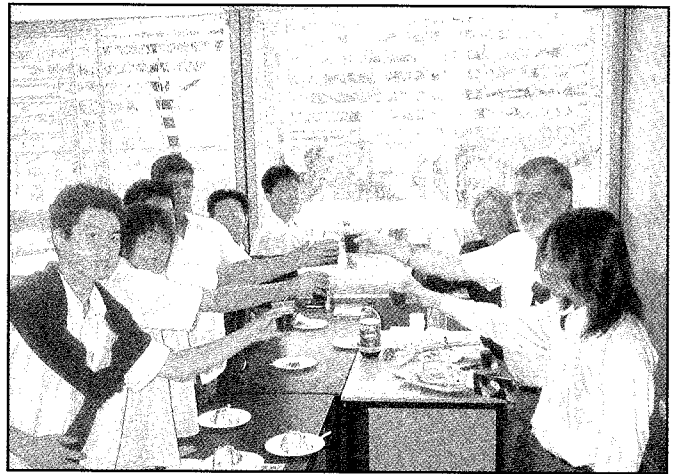
There were significant improvements in the School Certificate results after the disappointments of 2002. Whilst no student achieved a band 6 (the state trend was a decrease in band 6 by about 30%), over 56% of the students attained a band 5 and 4 - the state average. This is a very pleasing trend that I hope we can improve on in 2004. The Higher School Certificate results were even better. 75% of the students attained in the top 2 bands in the Extension I course. Over 52% of the Advanced English students achieved results in the top 2 bands. In the Standard English course, over 50% of the students were in the top 2 bands, again, well above the state average. The ESL course also had students performing very well, with 2 boys achieving top 10 results - an outstanding set of results. At the risk of sounding like a scratched CD, these

excellent results and outcomes are further indication of the dedication and persistence of the English and ESL staff.

The excitement will continue in 2004 with the planning and development of new programmes to be implemented in Year 9 in 2005. As well, there is the need to further consolidate the changes of some modules and texts in the HSC courses. These are some of the reasons teachers feel fortunate. We are constantly faced with challenges and opportunities to develop as educators. Rarely do we not take up these challenges and opportunities.

I look forward to 2004.

Cheiban Elaro



English Week-So big it went for a fortnight!

Congratulations to all of the English staff who joined together to create a fantastic English Week.

The week began with an all-school literature quiz, which asked such challenging questions as "What character turns into an ass in 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'?" and "Who wrote 'The man from Snowy River'?" The quiz had an unprecedented number of entries making it difficult to choose a winner.

Each morning the students listened to a variety of teachers reading extracts from their favourite novels. The students were enthralled with the readings.

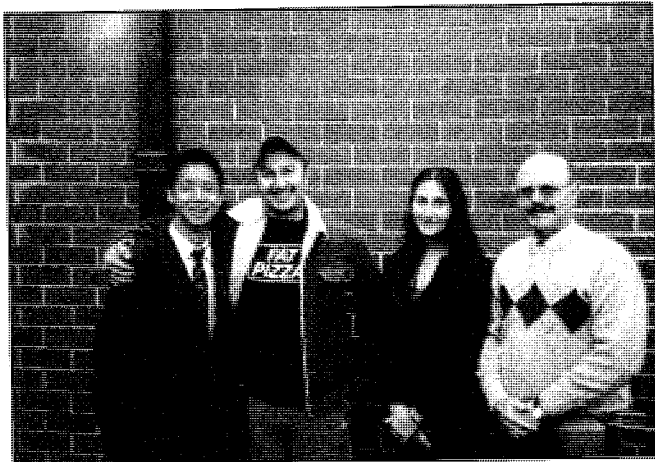
During the course of English week each year was invited to view a theatre production. Ms. Morey, acting head of department, riffled through a myriad of offers so as to ensure that the students would be viewing quality and entertaining productions.

'Soldier Boy' was particularly enjoyable for both Year eight and their teachers as the production was performed in the Metro theatre in the city.

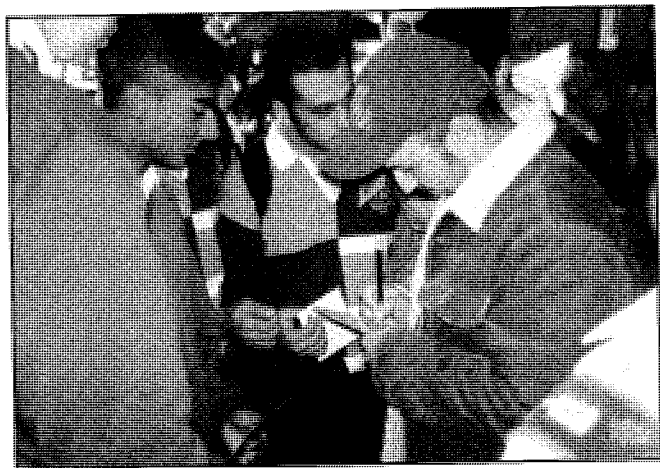
The school buzzed with excitement as this year's guest literary speaker, Tahir Bilgic, from the well-known television show 'Fat Pizza,' addressed the boys on the merits of studying and enjoying English. The quadrangle erupted with laughter as Tahir performed as his character 'Habib'. The boys valued the autographs that Tahir graciously gave them. Thankyou to Mr. Elaro for asking Tahir to speak at our assembly.

I would like to give a big thank-you to all the teachers throughout the school who helped English week become such a great success.

Ginette Tauber
English Week co-coordinator.



Fat Pizza's Habib was the celebrity guest during English Week.



Year 11 Debating

This year's Year 11 debating team had an enjoyable and challenging year. The team developed well and should be more experienced for the Year 12 competition.

The team consisted of Abhishek Sharma (first speaker), Chanakya Sandilya (second speaker) and Timothy Bates as the third speaker. The team was ably supported by Rishiv Rathore and Mithun Sriganeshan as alternating team advisers. Mr Michael Klein was the coach. The rules stipulated that there be an hour preparation for each debate once the topic was chosen. Each speaker had ten minutes to do their best.

Our first round debate was against Auburn Girls' at their school. The team had a solid victory. The adjudicator highlighted some of our flaws and we identified a couple of areas we needed to improve.

The second round was at home against Macarthur Girls. We were narrowly defeated, but our teamwork and style were improving rapidly. But this was not good enough against a well drilled opposition.

The final debate was against Holsworthy High School, again at home. We had a narrow victory due to the technicality of the opposition setting a yard stick, which they couldn't achieve. Thus we won the debate.

As a team, we improved with every debate and I would like to congratulate the team on winning two of the

debates. I would also like to thank Mr Klein for his time and dedication in preparing and transporting us to matches. Such extra curricular activities couldn't happen without teachers putting in the extra time and effort.

Timothy Bates, Year 11

Year 7/8 Debating Report

At the start of the year Homebush held the annual Year 7 and 8 Gala Day Debating Competition. On this day we had three other schools to compete against. They were Birrong Boys, Auburn Girls and Wiley Park Girls' High Schools. We had three debates, one with every school. Our whole team consisted of 12 members, 4 members in each debate. We were successful in winning 2 of our 3 debates and came second. The winners were Wiley Park.

We qualified for the second round of the Junior Debating Competition and here had to face Girraween. We also had to choose a team of four and the team consisted of First Speaker Jas Singh, Second Speaker Peter Bijjani, Third Speaker Tandeep Singh and Team Adviser Arbab Ahmad. We were successful against Girraween in a tough debate.

In the third round we were up against Greystanes. We kept the same team. Once again we were successful.

In the fourth round Baulkham Hills were our opposition. We changed our second speaker to Oliver Pase and Peter went to Team Adviser. It was a real challenging debate with Homebush receiving the more difficult side of the topic. Unfortunately, we were narrowly beaten, but it still was a great effort. It had been a great year for us reaching a high stage in the competition. A big thanks to Ms Cassie McGuinness who helped us along the way with our preparation and also for driving us to the venues.

Jas Simran Singh
Year 8

Year Seven discovers diversity

Aboriginal studies is an important part of the stage 4 curriculum. 7A have had the opportunity to be introduced to an aspect of Aboriginal culture through the study of three dreamtime stories. Students were required to take notes whilst listening to the stories and then create colourful images inspired by these spiritual tales.

Students used a variety of materials in unique and exciting ways. The results have been both insightful and aesthetically pleasing.

Students were then asked to deconstruct their images in an explanatory essay. The focus of the essay was to look at the colours and specific symbols the students used to create their images and explain why they chose to incorporate them into their artwork.

Ms. Tauber
Year 7A English Teacher

ESL Report

The ESL Department signed off for 2002 with some great news: our Year 12 boys achieved some excellent

results in their English (ESL) HSC examination. Pratheepan Rajendran won the Minister's Award for achievement in all subjects and we had three boys in Band 6 (7%) and nineteen boys in Band 5. All of the ESL students performed very well in the paper, with no student scoring below Band 3. In total, for 79% of the students who sat for the exam, an average mark of 82% was achieved. At the time of writing we are still awaiting the results of this year's HSC.

This year we welcomed a new teacher to the fold: Ms Jill MacDonald. So, it was with a bigger team that we started the year, full of enthusiasm, optimism and good ideas for making a difference in ESL education. Late last year Mrs Lacek was presented a Granville District Award for Excellence in Teaching in recognition of her dedication and hard work, especially with the Year 7 wide-reading program. This year Ms Meucci received the same award for her work in ESL education and especially for her editing and publishing of the Bush Bulletin. Last year, Ms Sahyoun was also awarded a certificate for the support she has given to the Public Speakers. And this year Ms Horiatopoulos was awarded a nomination for Excellence in Teaching.

We have students and teachers from many different language backgrounds at Homebush Boys and we are proud of the harmonious relationship that exists here. The one important thing that the boys have in common is their desire to make the most of their years at school. We encourage them to participate in sporting, community and extra-curricular events as well as to achieve their potential in academic pursuits. The ESL department plays a crucial role in ensuring students are given encouragement, practical support, pastoral care and appropriate and explicit instruction in the ways of achieving their 'personal best'. As a department, we have a responsibility to maintain our expertise in providing the most relevant and appropriate teaching and learning programs.

ESL teachers value communication with parents and care-givers and we welcome any enquiries concerning our programs and teaching practices. We are available on Parent and Teacher nights and are happy to accept phone calls or to make appointments regarding student progress at other times.

Despite some devastating world events, we believe that 2003 has been a good year for Homebush Boys High School. We hope that next year is peaceful and productive for us all.

Kerry Meucci
Head Teacher Learning Support

Year 8 English/ESL Excursion to Goulburn

On Thursday 11th December, 8E English with some students from 8G English and five boys from Year 9 Studies in Society went to Goulburn for the day with Mr French and Mrs MacDonald.

We left the school at the early time of 7.30am, and after almost two and a half hours of travelling, arrived at our first destination - Mulwaree High School. This agricultural high school is located on the outskirts of Goulburn and has 650 students. It is huge and has its own farm with cows, chicken, sheep and alpacas. It is a co-ed school and of course all the Homebush Boys liked the stopover, especially the opportunity to meet some country girls. One of the boys was heard to say that they could almost overlook the ubiquitous cow pats and the swarming flies for such an opportunity to repeat itself.

Our next stopover was 'MacDonald's farm' where we had a BBQ lunch prepared by Ms MacDonald, Mr French and the bus driver. We did our best to see that there were no leftovers to litter the area, eating every last morsel of food. After lunch we had some free time to explore the farm but the idea of snakes, wombat holes and getting lost kept most of us close to Mrs MacDonald and Mr French.

Our next stop was the Police Driver Training School where we were able to watch the skidpan in operation and climb on the police pursuit and trail bikes. We were amazed to see a familiar face there - one of the police officers who used to give sessions at our school on Police education.

Our next stop was the town itself. We had half an hour there stocking up on refreshments and seeing the locals before going to the War Memorial on the hill. This was really interesting and it gave Mr French an opportunity to see something of historical significance.

We finally left Goulburn at 4.30pm and headed off for home. We stopped at McDonalds at Sally's Corner on the way home and once again enjoyed more food and drinks. By 7pm we were back at school in time for Deniz and Lawrence to play at Performance Night. It was a busy day but very enjoyable as well.

Some comments:

Jeffrey the school was very big and very different to our school. It was quite interesting with animals ... heaps of land and space.

James J the fun things were the police training, the BBQ and the last best thing was 'Macas'. The negative thing was there were millions of flies.

James Y I was really tired.

Danny I hated the flies. It was an interesting day. The country is hot and doesn't have many shops. There is a lot of land instead of houses. I liked sitting outside to eat. It was a long day.

Mohymin it was fun, too many flies.

Surya The high school was different, especially because we can say it is an agricultural school.

Likes: Mulwaree High, BBQ, Memorial site, 'Macas'

Dislikes: Cow pats, flies and more flies, hot weather

PDHPE

The PDHPE faculty had a very full and varied program of activities over the past twelve months. 2003 became a year of great innovation and progress through technology. The faculty activated its HomePage, linked to the school's web site during the year. Staff and students were encouraged to visit the site as assessment tasks, HSC study guides and photos were posted. Earlier in the year, the entire faculty along with a number of other Granville District PDHPE teachers received hands on instruction on a host of software programs and digital hardware components. Many of these advancements have been embraced and incorporated into the learning & teaching aspects.

Congratulations to Mr Ron Tedford, who received a District Award for Excellence in Teaching. It is of special note that three PDHPE teachers from this faculty have received a District Award since 2000. We hope that this trend continues in this progressive and demanding area.

Congratulations to Phillip Antunes (PDHPE dux of Year 12), Haran Nadarajah and Anthony Solaese who all scored band 5 in the 2003 HSC in PDHPE.

Road Safety Consultants met with the faculty staff in December to plan for 2004 and beyond.

Year 9 and 10 Sport Science completed their 4 week golf unit and were presented with Jack Newton Golf Foundation certificates and 9SS attended a recreational camp at Collaroy. Both activities were videoed, edited and shown in an abbreviated version at school assemblies.

The faculty also activated its Lighthouse Project targeting the "talking and speaking" concepts focusing on the coaching points of Australian Football. Visuals with the aid of AFL balls were also used to highlight skills such as drop punts, hand passing and marking. The edited footage was screened at Granville District Office for staff, parents and community to view during their open day.

Sydney Rowing Testing Day A number of Year 10 students were recently tested by members of the Sydney Rowing Club in an attempt to identify possible hidden talent. Congratulations to Jimmy Yook, Kareem Sourour, David Gonzalez and Ibrahim Yassine. They have all received letters of interest from SRC. The ball is now in their court.

Finally, I would like to thank my staff - Mr Mitchell, Mr Wilson, Mr Tedford and Miss Chapman for their commitment to PDHPE, the boys and the school.

Bill Gavathas
Head PDHPE

SOCIAL SCIENCE



2003 may not have been the best of years but it was also not the worst of years. Curriculum developments continue apace and developments in the school's reporting system have consumed a great deal of time and effort in developing appropriate assessment experiences and result compilation. Systemic requirements of reporting, welfare, accountability and pedagogy, added to increasingly frequent syllabus change, have combined to increase the expectations placed on teachers yet further.

Ms Allan returned from leave and shared her teach-

ing with Ms Wilson, who has decided to take a different pathway next year. We thank her for the care and attention she gave all students in her classes and for the genuine concern she showed for the welfare of all boys in her care. Ms Uhlen replaced Ms Gardener and has been a wonderful asset to the department.

Outcomes based reporting became the practice for Stage 6 courses, making it the universal school reporting method. Consequently, a great deal of administrative effort is now consumed in the design of assessment instruments, the marking, recording and processing of results and in entering the achieved outcomes on the final reports. It is to be hoped that such detailed pupil profiling is meaningful and valuable to all stakeholders.

The 2002 HSC saw the second cohort of senior students attempting the revamped HSC, with its standards based marking system. Modified assessment rubrics did not appear to radically alter the achievements of our students, although some anomalies in the state-wide proportion of Band 6 awards in individual subjects still appears to be occurring. The intellectual demands of some subjects is beyond the capacity of their natural clientele. Our candidates performed broadly in line with their anticipated results, with capable students who worked consistently showing the way. While this is hardly a revelation, it is always gratifying to see effort rewarded.

By far the most exciting results were achieved by students in our first ever class presenting Studies of Religion, 1 Unit. Our 7 candidates achieved 2 band 6 and 3 band 5 results - 71% of candidates compared to the 41% achieved statewide. Congratulations to Mr Francis and the SOR boys on setting the stage for this subject having a long-term place in the school's HSC curriculum. In Economics, the results were generally pleasing: our 35 candidates achieved 3 band 6 and 12 band 5 results, with the mean mark very close to state average. A small Geography class, most of whom had significant literacy needs, found the going difficult but managed a band 5 and a band 4. Geography was one of the better results for most candidates. Legal Studies scored 6 band 4 and 5 band 3 results from 13 candidates, while Business Studies' 56 candidates gained 2 band 6 and 11 band 5 awards. This was a little disappointing when compared to the heights of the previous HSC but several of the band fives were just below the band 6 cut-off and Business Studies was the best or equal best result for a majority of candidates.

Despite a much broader senior curriculum, but one whose structure allows candidates to concentrate their studies into a narrower range of disciplines, a healthy proportion of students are opting for Social Sciences subjects. However, a less academically gifted clientele is becoming evident in some subjects and an increasing number of the most able students are narrowing their HSC course selections into maths and sciences rather than tackle the heavy literacy demands of the humanities. The 2003 HSC year comprises three Business Studies classes, two each of Economics and Studies of Religion and one Legal Studies. Preliminary course acceptance is even a little stronger, with three classes in both Business Studies and Economics, one in Legal Studies and two in Studies of Religion. Geography appears to have succumbed to a combination of wider curriculum choices, a perception that other subjects offer more rewarding career options and the legacy of Stage 4 and 5 syllabuses.

In the junior school, concerns were expressed in last year's report about school and indeed statewide results in Geography-Civics. The structure of this paper highlights the

emphasis of literacy in all current school syllabuses: good readers and writers have a distinct advantage; students with language difficulties are at a disadvantage, to a large degree attributable to somewhat arcane wording in certain questions. We have worked very hard on a number of strategies to improve results achieved in 2002 (only 1% band 6, compared to 5% state - in itself a very low proportion) and look forward to a much better showing in this year's School Certificate. Commerce continues to be a popular elective subject for junior school students, with four classes in both Years 9 and 10. The quality of work produced by students in all years is quite remarkable. It is evident in tests, but is most obvious when students are given more open-ended tasks, where they have a much freer rein in task design and content. Some of the assignment work so produced is exceptional. Unfortunately, highly structured tasks are becoming more prominent in assignment work as part of the strategy to improve School Certificate results.

Classroom excellence has been enhanced by a number of field studies and enrichment activities of various types. Some of the main field studies were the

- * Year 7 viewing a feature film on Antarctica at the IMAX Theatre, illustrating the fragile ecosystem of this extreme continent

- * Year 8 Geography study of the Sydney water supply system to Warragamba Dam

- * Year 9 Geography study of the impact of farming practices on land, soil and water resources and environmentally sustainable management at Fairfield City Farm

- * Year 10 Geography students' study of coastal processes and management at Longreef and Collaroy Beaches

- * Year 10 Commerce experience of the interactive exhibits on sport and its importance to the Australian tourism industry and the ecology exhibit at the Powerhouse Museum, supplemented by "Sydney, Story of a City" at the IMAX.

Reports of several of these field studies appear in this year book.

Other highlights for 2003 include:

- * 102 students entered the Australian Geography Competition. They achieved 8 High Distinction and 13 Distinction awards.

- * 31 syndicates entered the ASX Sharemarket Game. Most syndicates experienced the harsh realities of a bear market but Chetan Punjabi, Mohit Bhanabhai and Abhishek Sharma, trading as Laxmi Investors turned such a good profit as to run sixth in the state. (They were third up to the day before the competition ended.) They received their awards at a ceremony whose invited guests included Dr Refshauge, David Koch and Nick Farr-Jones.

- * In the Australian Business Studies Competition, 44 Homebush students entered for 2 High Distinctions (top 5%) and 4 Distinctions.

- * Similarly, 38 students entered the Australian Economics Competition for 5 Distinction awards.

- * Peter Morkos of Year 11 had enormous success in enrichment experiences related to his school work in Business Studies. Peter participated in a highly successful Young Achievers company "Empiya". He went on, through a series of written tests and oral presentations, to the final series of the Young Business Person of the Year awards. Peter was also selected to participate in the Australian Business Week, where each group of participants runs a computer-simulated company, making all business decisions in an attempt to maximize business value but also being responsible for writing an annual report and producing a video presentation. Peter's company was one of three runners-up. His third foray was into the World Skills Australia Retail Competition, where Peter placed 3rd in the state after a series of examinations and presentations to a judging panel over 2 days and 3 nights. Peter's initiative and enthusiasm thoroughly deserve

the rewards, contacts and experiences he has gained. Congratulations to all students who took advantage of the many enrichment opportunities made available to them.

In my final magazine report, I would like to take the opportunity of recording my thanks to the many wonderful people, both staff and students, parents and community members, with whom my years at Homebush have brought me in contact. Your many and varied qualities have certainly enriched my life experiences and made my years at the Bush pass all too quickly. I would particularly wish to record my appreciation of the loyalty and dedication of the social scientists who have given me such unselfish and wholehearted support over the years. Recte et fortiter.



Former Wallaby Captain, Nick Farr-Jones with our students at the Australian Stock Exchange Schools Sharemarket Presentation.

— Alan Brawn

YEAR 8 FIELD STUDY, WARRAGAMBA DAM

On the 24th of September, the Year 8 Geography classes of the second semester went on an excursion to Warragamba Dam.

We all met on the senior lawn at 9:10am, marked the roll and went on the bus. It was a very long ride and pretty soon we all got restless and tired.

Once we got there, the good news was that we all had our recess and a drink. The bad news was that the kiosk in that area was closed, so most people were terribly upset.

Once we finished eating, we were separated into two groups and went with our instructors. My group's instructor's name was Nikki and she told us a lot about the Warragamba Dam. We first went to the Visitors Centre where we saw a model of the Dam. Most of us were amazed at the model and a lot of people wanted to go on the bridge which workers used to cross the river. Nikki told us about the Warragamba Dam and what the workers' jobs were to keep the dam running.

We then went on the bus to the dam. From there we observed upstream and downstream from the dam and were asked to draw it and name things. Nikki then told us about the advantages and disadvantages of building a dam.

Once we finished writing down the notes we got on the bus and headed for the Students Centre, where we watched a powerpoint of the Warragamba Dam showing us

how big it is and other information. We all listened politely to the instructor and wrote down notes.

Then we went back to the picnic area and had our lunch. After we had our lunch, we went out and had some fun and played.

At around 1:45pm we left Warragamba Dam and headed for school. But this time the trip wasn't boring since we had lots to talk about the Warragamba Dam. We arrived at school at about 3:00pm and got off the bus and headed for home.

The whole day was fun and I think everyone enjoyed the excursion and learned a lot about Warragamba Dam.

— Ahilan Satchidanandam

Coastal Management - Year 10 Geography Field Study



Collaroy and Narrabeen beaches together form a beach 3.6km in length. Together Fishermans - Collaroy - Narrabeen beaches have the most intense shoreline development in Warringah Shire.

The purpose of the excursion on the 19th of May, was to identify important elements of a coastal environment, examine the impact of natural disasters and human development on coastal sand dunes, and investigate strategies in coastal land management.

Investigations were conducted in several groups to discover the dune profile, processes, landforms, impacts, and management strategies of the beach. Equipment such as clinometers were used to measure dune elevation and anemometers to check wind speed to understand dune profiles and the significance of vegetation in protecting dunes from erosion. The comparison of human development over the past 50 years, such as the building of "the Flight Deck," and strategies used to protect the beach from erosion show that the natural dune cycle has been interrupted in this stretch of beach.

In conclusion, the excursion was educational and raised awareness that this is not a short term problem. Long-term strategies must be put forward to protect the beach and also human development on the primary dune which are at risk.

Vishnu Sapeshkar
10 Geography A

CITIZENSHIP
- letters to the government-
10 Geography

Task: Write a formal letter to the Federal Environment Minister which presents a reasoned view on the proposed tourist development at Cardwell in north Queensland.

Letter 1

Senator R Hill
Federal environment Minister
Parliament House
Canberra
ACT

1 Citizen Avenue
Citizen City
NSW 200
9 May 2003

Dear Senator Hill

I am writing on behalf of the Australian public in regards to the proposed development at Cardwell in northern Queensland. Even though I do not directly support the development I would like to share some points about the proposal.

The tourist proposal is a plan with its share of advantages and disadvantages. On one side, Cardwell could be another Cairns or Port Douglas for Australia, a place of great tourism and economic opportunity. Unlike many other tourist developments in Australia, Cardwell could be one of the biggest, with 1 500 proposed beds! The developer's plan to turn the place from its impoverished state to a place of great tourism, an opportunity that will perhaps give the area the economic boost it so dearly needs.

But on the other hand, Cardwell could turn out to be a major mistake. Conservationists argue that it will destroy the nearby heritage-listed Great Barrier Reef and Hinchinbrook Island. The pollution, visitation and proposed 250 metre marina could not only have an effect on locals but also on the environment itself. Biodiversity could be greatly affected and the pristine environment could be turned into a place of gloom. Development along foreshores could cause great damage to buildings as well, with possible coastal erosion.

For me, the latter argument is the way to go. Minister, I do advise you to reconsider. You have already breached the very deed of agreement that you, yourself, set: to not harm the environment and to protect heritage listed sites. You have already done a lot of damage to the Australian public. Please do not do any damage to Cardwell.

Yours sincerely

Gaven Lin
10 Geography A

Letter 2

Senator R Hill
Federal Environment Minister
Parliament House
Canberra
ACT

1 Citizen Avenue
Citizen City
NSW 200
9 May 2003

Dear Senator Hill

I believe that the construction of the resort should not go ahead without proper planning and effort to ensure that the surrounding environment is not disturbed. We have all seen what has happened to the Gold Coast where over-development has destroyed the coastal environment. Coastal environments are one of the most diverse environments in the world. They are where land, water and air all interact. We must not endanger the existence of these species. You must stop this project unless it is radically modified.

This project will bring big revenue and create more jobs for Cardwell residents. But at what price? The world has seen great devastation of forests and beaches. Short term economic gains are not worth the long term damage. If this project is to go ahead, it must make sure that there is minimal environmental damage. By taking care of the environment, this project can be a great success. It can lead the way for sustainable management in other parts of the world. I believe that an environmental impact statement must be made, to see what harm this project will bring to the environment and then how this harm can be minimised. The environment cannot be destroyed.

We Australians prize our coast. Most of us live on it. But we cannot take the coast for granted. Coastal environments all over Australia are being destroyed. This project will destroy another coastal environment. This project must be modified to protect the coastal environments. There is no other way.

Yours sincerely

Abhinav Khanna
10 Geography A

Senator R Hill
Federal environment Minister
Parliament House
Canberra
ACT

1 Citizen Avenue
Citizen City
NSW 200

9 May 2003

Dear Senator Hill

I am one of the many visitors that enjoy the lovely views of the Hinchinbrook Island, so building a resort development on it is an outrage. This could destroy the many animals' habitats and cause more destruction of the land and beach at Cardwell.

Building this development of a 1 500 bed resort is not a good idea as it could destroy the many animal habitats that that live in the Hinchinbrook area. Animals such as the dugong are the main marine animal in the Port Hinchinbrook area. Although tourism may give an economic boost to Cardwell, the dugong population will suffer from the resort development. Increased pollution and sedimentation may block the sunlight going through the water to the seagrass. Dugongs depend on seagrass to live, so blocking the sunlight will force the dugongs to move to another area in search of food.

Another point is that this development may cause erosion due to the clearing of trees for this resort. Soil runoff after heavy rains and a lack of vegetation can also make the land unstable.

So please, think twice before giving the go ahead on the development of the resort. Think of the environmental issues that may be affected by the tourist development.

Yours sincerely

Ken Wong
10 Geography A

HBHS PRODUCES FINANCIAL WIZARDS

In recent years the Social Science faculty has entered senior students in the Australian Stock Exchange Schools Sharemarket Game. The game simulates real sharemarket conditions and students form syndicates to buy and sell shares with their hypothetical \$50,000. There are 2 games annually, with Game 2 this year attracting over 36,000 entries from approximately 1100 metropolitan and regional secondary schools across Australia.

Several syndicates were entered from HBHS and many improved upon the value of the capital they originally invested. One in particular achieved remarkable success. This syndicate containing Chetan Punjabi, Mohit Bhanabhai, and Abhishek Sharma from Year 11 finished 6th in NSW.

Such was their achievement, that the boys were invited to a presentation day held at ASX Exchange Square in the city. MC for the occasion was David Koch, the financial guru and Seven Sunrise presenter, who enjoyed quizzing the boys on the key to their investment success. Also present was the Director General of Education in NSW Jan McClelland, and the guest speaker, former World Rugby Cup - winning Wallaby captain Nick Farr-Jones.

All HBHS participants in the competition would like to thank Mr Brawn for his flawless coordination of the competition at the school level.

ACTIVITY BASED ON 10 GEOGRAPHY FIELDWORK

Imagine you are on the Coastal Management Committee of Warringah Council. You have been asked to present an effective strategy that will protect the beach from further erosion. Make a recommendation as to which strategy or strategies will minimize storm impacts in the most cost efficient manner.

Repurchasing private land by the council is an effective strategy. The council can remove houses built on the primary dune and then revegetate the dunes so that when there

is a storm, the beach and dunes would have the 'normal' cycle rather than having houses dragged out in to the sea. Repurchasing will be expensive, very expensive in fact, but it's a long term management strategy so there will not be a need to have sand nourishment programs or building sea walls to lessen the impact of the destructive storm waves.

Bentley Yip
10 Geography A

As a member of the council, I would suggest the relocation process where properties at risk of damage by coastal processes are relocated away from the active zone. Replenishing the beach with sand nourishment will replace any sand lost and make it lush. Also I would put forward a future development strategy, which limits the building of property near the seaward boundary.

Vishnu Sapeskar
10 Geography A

I believe that development setback and repurchase are the only two options that, in the long run, will minimize storm impacts. All the land on the primary and secondary dunes must be bought, and development must be limited. Then all the dunes must be rehabilitated and revegetated. This will hold the sand together and thus help prevent erosion. Also this makes the beaches look more beautiful. The presence of primary dunes reduces storm wave impact. Although these management strategies are very expensive in the short term, since there are losses of revenue by disallowing more development, and buying properties is very expensive, these options are the only options that will work in the long term. All other options are ongoing processes, which is why you have to keep on spending money. They also destroy the beaches and the ecosystems that depend on the beach. That itself is too big of a loss for us to cope with and in reality those other options aren't really long term management strategies.

Abhinav Khanna
10 Geography A

Letter from Antarctica

Dear The-best-parents-in-the world

Hi! I'm having the time of my life. There is so much to do here. It's amazing! While I eat my hot dinner inside the scientific base the outside temperature is -50°C . Although my work mates and I are on the harshest and most hostile continent on Earth, we're happy and comfortable.

My job is to research the wildlife in Antarctica. My favourite animals are the penguins. I like them because of their endurance during winter. They all huddle together in massive numbers and occasionally switch their position so the penguins on the outside can move in to 'warm-up'.

My best friend, who is an Antarctic history researcher, told me once as we were sitting on the sofa, that Ernest Shackleton was his favourite explorer. He talked about him for hours until dinner time. I learned a lot about brave Shackleton. That night when I was eating dinner, I constantly thought about what would have happened if the pack-ice had not crushed his boat. Still, his bravery amazed me and taught me not to give up easily.

I saw this guy with frostbite on his right leg. It was horrible. It was bluish-black and all blistered. I still remember that blood-curdling shriek that pierced through me like a jagged piece of glass. A man close by who must have seen my gaze, took me away and explained that the frost-bitten man is a hero and someone who is to be reckoned with in the history of Antarctica's exploration. He continued by informing me of this man's discovery of a skeleton of a previous explorer. He moved on to his misfortune, which included his gear being stolen by an albatross which thought that it would be a good meal for its chick. He was found by the rescue team just in time, and brought back to life by a complex manoeuvre.

At the centre of the base, there is a memorial statue dedicated to the brave lives which were ended by a treacherous crevasse. One of them was on the staff of Captain Scott. The huge dome, which is the home of my other friends, shouldn't be called a dome because it is more of a huge insulation bubble. It protects them from the cruel winds, which can drive the life out of the hardiest of animals. You can't trust the temperature on the screen because of the windchill. If you read the wrong temperature, you could freeze to death due to dressing inadequately.

Oh and mum, I nearly died the other day. I forgot to wear my sunnies and BANG...I was blinded.

I couldn't see for a couple of minutes, which seemed like hours and I felt myself getting dragged. When my eyesight was recovered out of the grasp of the blindness, my friend told me that I was snow blinded in the middle of a raging blizzard. I thanked him for a while and became more cautious after that incident. I'll write again soon.

Bye! From your son Injae

Injae Kwak 7 Geography B

TAS MULTIMEDIA

Back in 2001 the TAS department had a great idea. Lets run a multimedia course. We have the interest from the students, we have the hardware, and we have the expertise (sort of). So, lets buy some programs and go for it. So began our steep learning curve. Two years on and things have started to level out just a little bit. Our first Year Twelves have graduated and some of the work has been absolutely stunning, with one of the major projects being selected for the prestigious 2003 Intech exhibition for outstanding Industrial technology student work. More about that later.

Multimedia. What exactly is multimedia? It's a good question and one that was on the minds of some of our students when they began in year 11. They knew it involved computers and they hoped it was going to be fun and exciting but apart from that they weren't altogether sure. Here's lesson 1: Multimedia is "the combined use of text, graphics, video, animation and sound created and presented in a digital format" i.e.; lets use computers and lets have some fun and, of course, lets work really hard.

In year 11 the boys completed three projects and it was time to get serious with the software we had purchased. "Flash", "Fireworks", "Dreamweaver" and "Director" were the main ones. Big, powerful professional programs. BIG. Did somebody say computers were fun? Sure, if you like wandering through a virtual maze of networks and Help menus to find that you're back where you started. Teachers and students alike agreed that it was an "interesting" learning experience to spend three months leaning how to do something, only to find that it can be done in fifteen minutes with the new version of the software.

All things said and done, things have gone pretty well. Early on it was great to see that some students brought with them a set of highly developed skills, because they had been playing with this stuff for years. The Multimedia course was a chance for them to structure those skills and their knowledge and really make something great.

By HSC the students are required to undertake a major project. Given the broad parameters of the course, pretty much anything goes in terms of subject matter. Some of the topics that were turned into exciting multimedia packages were "The Solar System", "A Sony products guide for young people", "Kendo"(a Korean martial art), "How engines



James Kipritidis and the 3D environment that he created as part of his Year 12 multimedia project

work”, and the list goes on.

James Kipritidis (selected for the 2003 Intech exhibition) chose to create a multimedia project that combined his love of history with his multimedia skills to create an educational learning resource aimed at Year 5 students. It's about Christopher Columbus and the finished product is enough to excite the most reticent of learners. It comes complete with 3D environments, virtual reality views of old galleons, games and quizzes. Sound good? You should see it! Keep up the good work everyone.

S McFarlane
TAS Department

Science ASMV

I participated in ASMV 2004, it stands for Australian Students Minerals Venture, it's like a camp about the Australian mining sector and the Geology relating to it (and science of course).

I was informed about the ASMV from Mr. Everett, the head teacher of science in our school, during the regular Friday assembly. I had little or no interest in the mining industry but Mr. Everett told us (myself and few of my friends) that Lakshanth Shanmugan, our school's old captain, absolutely loved it and he thought it was the most fantastic experience in his school life. That was convincing enough to give me some motivation to participate in the camp. (We called it the Rock Camp)

So I packed my bag with the stuff I would need for the next two weeks. I was very excited that I was selected as one of 40 students from all over NSW. Students from Sydney met at Central Station and the supervisors took us to Wollongong, where we spent our first 5 memorable nights. Then we stayed at University House in Canberra, then the Bathurst Goldfields Conference Centre, then the Kurri Kurri Centre. It was so much fun than I had expected. I made heaps of new friends, as well as getting fattened up by all the food that was available for us. (Never hungry never whinge about food) mmm foood... EAT EAT EAT EAT Well that might have been just me. Anyway, we went to various sites, including a steel factory, the biggest in Australia, coal mines, underground gold mines, an ancient lake, flying over the Wollemi national park, a mines rescue centre, Geo science Australia, Wollongong Uni and the National University in Canberra, and so much more. It was so interesting to visit these sites, and mining thingy was interesting after all!! It was so much high tech in devices they use and made me think all

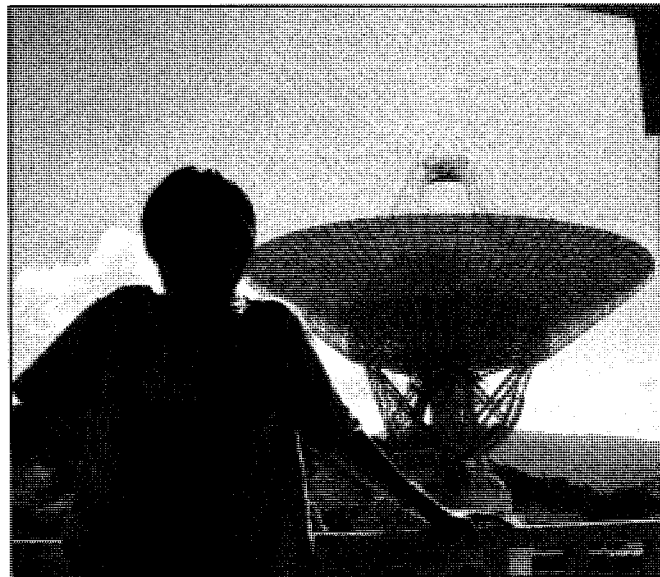
again about Mining and Geology in Australia.

Other than education, the ASMV was a fun venture. We went to the beach every afternoon whilst at Wollongong because there was a beach nearby, there was no curfew whatsoever for bedtime which was great. Some nights we had BBQ at the park. Playing ball, talking with friends and supervising mentors, playing all night, pool and hanging out with new friends were such an excellent experience. The supervisors were great, they were so humorous and were open and energetic people we kept company with (and enjoying the company with them) for two weeks.

Nobody slept on the very last night. We talked, talked, talked, signed each others shirts, helmets, took photos and other things... I am very confident to say that the ASMV is one priceless experience that I am so happy that I was in it, I had heaps of fun, I learnt so much and it changed the way I view Australia's most important industry.

Its just fantastic, once again, it will be better than what you would ever expect from it, physically(the weight), psychologically(the new knowledge), mentally(new friends and the fun), chemically(... skip!) and environmentally(the mines~!).

Joseph Song



Joseph Song visited the mines in Wollongong



Fellow students at the Mining Camp



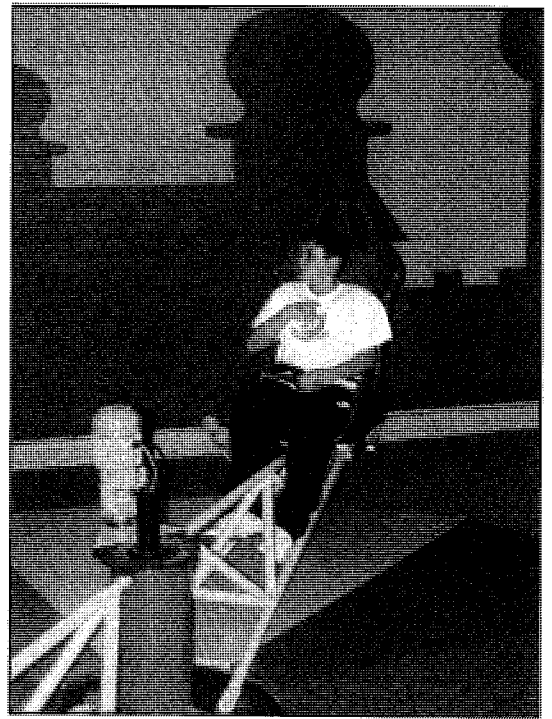
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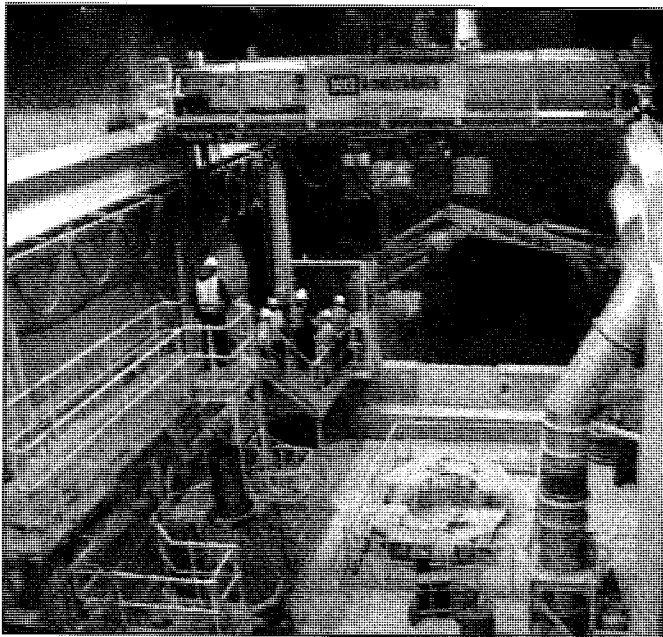
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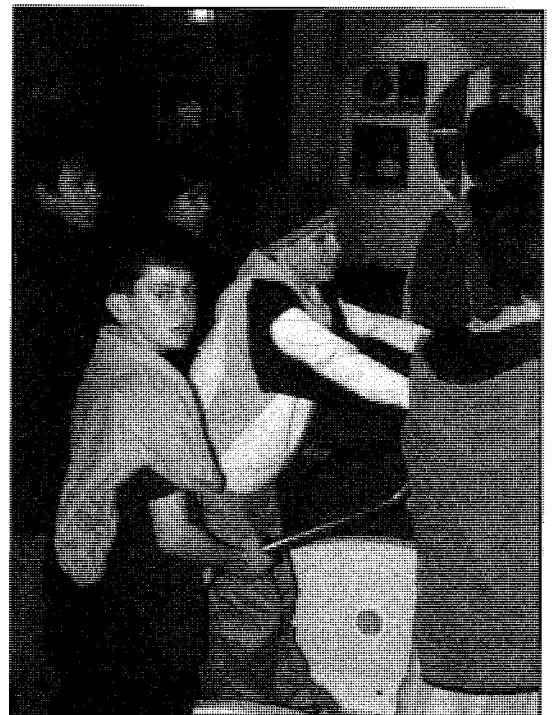
I want to be a big wheel when I grow up



Just Hanging around



Underground operations



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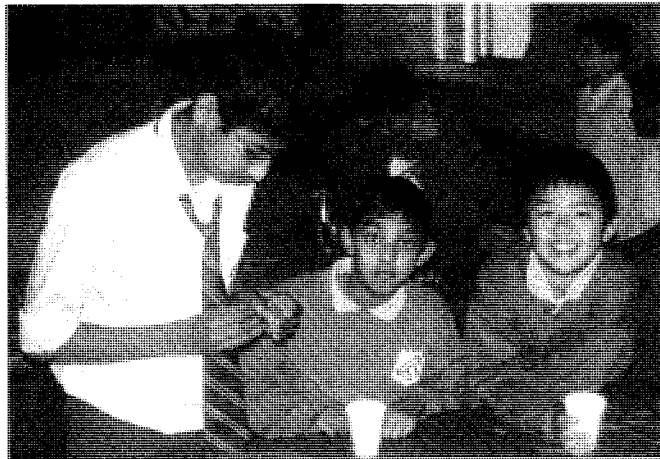
Student instructors assisted students from Year 5



A bed of nails for Year 9



Homebush and Homebush West students were our guests



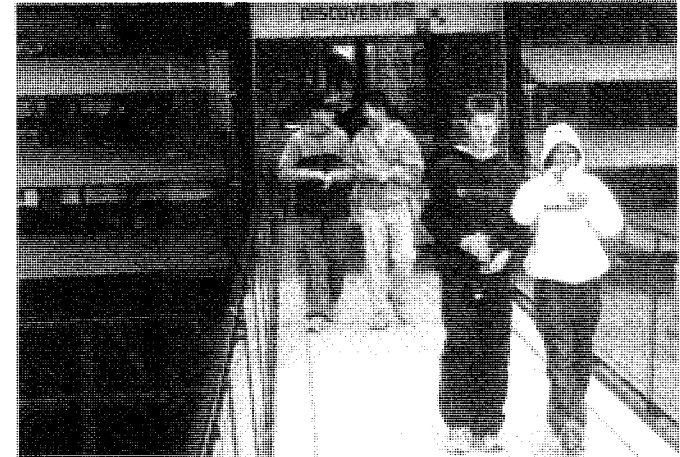
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Balan in Canberra

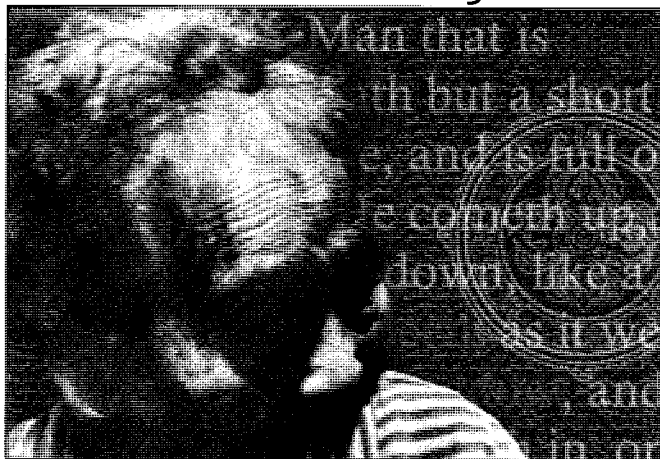


Practical Science



Discovering science in the ACT

Creative & Performing Arts



It has proved to be an exciting year for the Faculty with excellent HSC results, fabulous new facilities, student participation in events across Sydney and, of course, our annual Performance and Recital Night concerts.

Congratulations must be given to our Year 12 candidates and their hardworking teachers, Ms Juska and Mr Smith, for their outstanding performances. In Visual Arts five students made preselection for Art Express; Christian Rodriguez, Gregg McCaul, Raj Singh, Daniel Kim and Michael Richardson, placing their creative efforts as some of the best in the state. Profuse compliments were given to all the boys in the class with their exhibition of work on Performance Night so all should be well pleased with their efforts. In the Music arena James Kipritidis ventured into computer composition testing out our new facilities and grabbing a Band 5 result for his efforts.

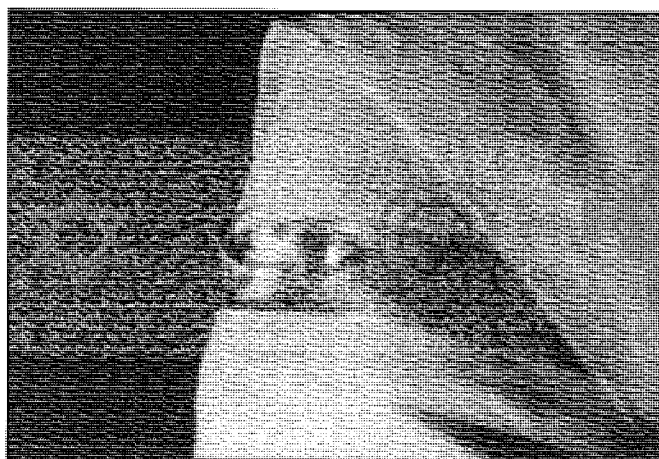
Our new digital facilities have enhanced student learning. We now have a functioning Digital Lab giving a class access to industry standard software in graphic arts, a range of music composition software packages to suit all ages and video editing software. Both PC and MAC platforms are available within the Faculty and the installation of a small PC kiosk outside the Music rooms gives students access every lesson to digital technology. Future plans include the installation of a data projector and surround sound system to provide a complete sensory experience.

Year 10 Visual Arts were most fortunate to be selected to participate in the Rouse Hill Project. Rouse Hill House is the oldest continuously occupied family residence in Australia and the project involves the design of sculptures inspired by the site or the family story to be constructed and installed on site for the duration of the annual woodworking festival. The boys found the visit to the site a valuable insight into the lives of a once prosperous family and a starting point for the development of their ideas. Once complete each of the works was installed but sadly torrential rain not only closed the festival but damaged the work. Nevertheless each of the students worked to develop their design, gained valuable new skills and worked with new materials and a focus on public safety to complete work by the deadline. Congratulations to all who participated.

Six students represented the school at a gifted and talented Art Camp at Campbelltown City Art Gallery. Matt Small, Gaven Lin, James Man, Cameron West, Max Mason and Vishnu Sarpeshkar enjoyed not only the opportunity to work with artists but the very great pleasure of seeing their work exhibited in the gallery. All the boys were a credit to the school with their courteous behaviour and excellent participation.

As always Performance and Recital Nights displayed the wonderful musical and performance abilities of our students. Mr Smith as always organised a fabulous evening of diverse, entertaining items while this years Recital Night bid farewell to Ms Ilea as she takes a well earned rest next year to enjoy some travelling. Our band under Ms Ilea's leadership has grown and provided entertainment on a number of occasions. All its members, Mr Albertson and Ms Gobel included, must be congratulated for both their efforts and enthusiasm. While Mr Albertson has worked with us in a temporary capacity for the last couple of years he will enjoy his role as Ms Ilea's replacement in the coming year.

The following images are part of Christian Rodriguez's Body of Work for Visual Arts 2 Unit. He was one of five students whose artworks were in the first round of selection for ArtExpress.



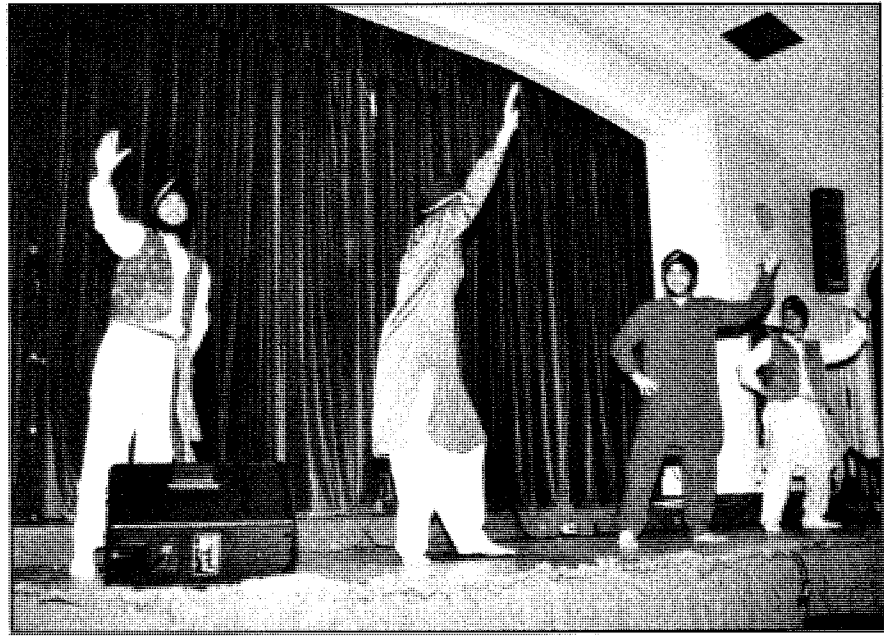
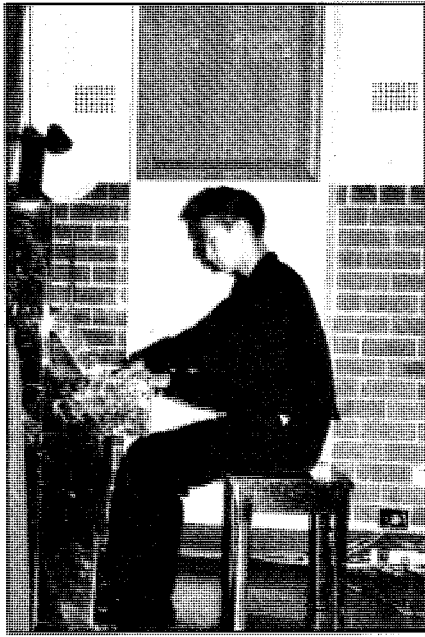
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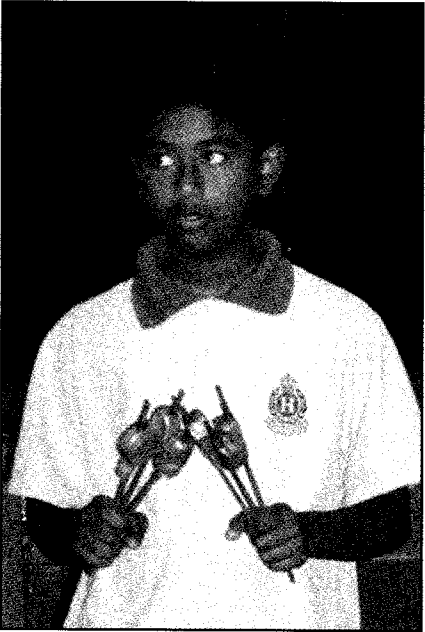
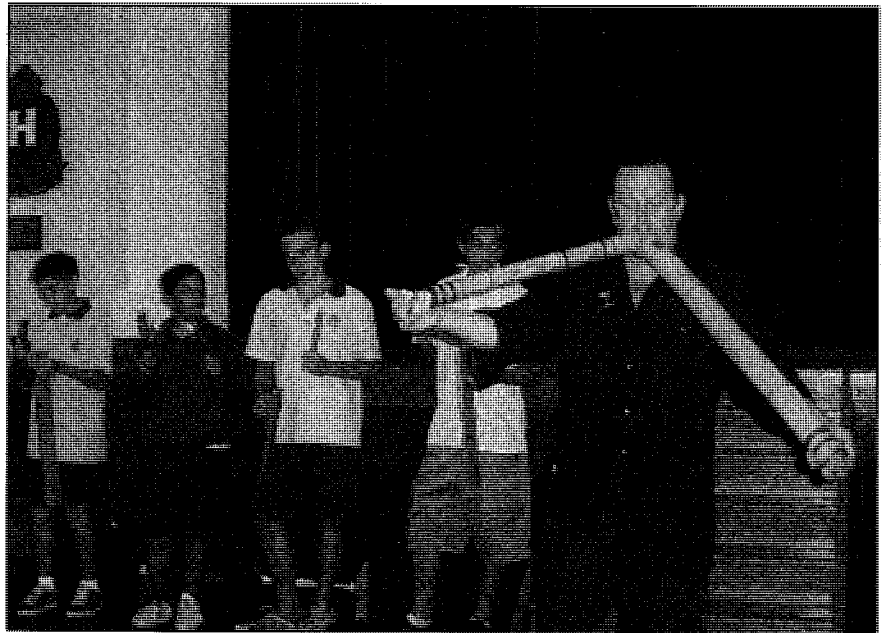


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Jason Vuong



The School Band



Roy Hui



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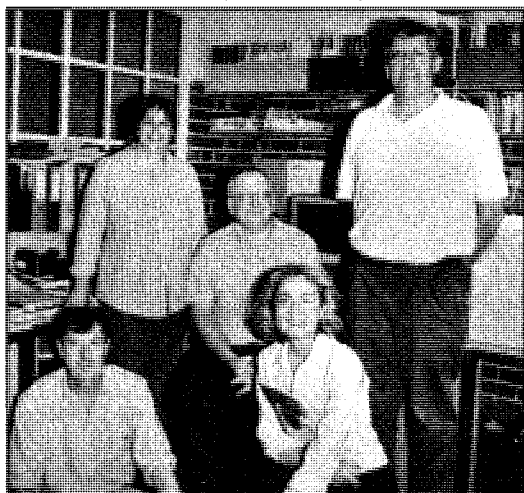
Andrew Brimfield



Ethan Rizos, Ms Ilea and Joshua Hilliard

creative & performing recital night

History Faculty



2003 was an excellent year as History went from strength to strength at HBHS with ever increasing numbers of students choosing to study History in the Senior School.

Stage 5 (Years 9 and 10) was tested for the second time at the School Certificate with outstanding results. The 2003 HSC was the third of the New HSC and results were again creditable.

All teachers of History at Homebush continue to distinguish themselves with their love of the beauty and relevance of History and their willingness to share their knowledge and enthusiasm with their students. I must pay tribute to Mrs Degney, Mr French, Mr Klein, Mr Koff, Ms McGuinness, Mrs Pather, Mr Taylor and Miss Tsouloukidis for their dedication to education and their students.

My congratulations to all students of History and especially to those who have deservedly done so well:

Year 7: Abdul Shanjari, Andrew Brimfield, Adrian Nugent, Suthan Sriharan, Daniel Choi, Hao, Ni, Mehran Modasser, Joseph Giannone, Elison Furneaux-Bates, Lawrence Pene, Emre Yanar, Vasili Koungoulos, Alex Burjan, Alexander Hazelbrook, Sujana Sathiseelan and Afnan Fazli

Year 8: Hayder Shkara, River Cheung, Evan James, Khoder El-Ahmad, Sudhagar Sivabalan, Garth Andrews, Ethan Rizon, Aayush Sharma, Oliver Pase, Jacob Chandrakumar, Harsatnam Singh, Simran Singh, Joshua Tarrant-Windt, Martin Gabor and Ankit Sharma

Year 9: Samater Ali, Jack Atkins, Mark Han, Blair Hardaker, Matthew Lott, Hai De Luo, Chris Pooley, Stephen Speirs, Pawalpreet Sran, Min Hyo Stone, Eddie Wu, Rafik Yassa and James Yoon

Year 10: Gaven Lin, Abhinav Khanna, Pascal Wallace, Jason Li, Max Mason, Stephen Li, Bosco Ryan, Vishnu Sarpeshkar, Asfand Khan, Harry Chan, Mark Li, Ujjwal Sharma, Louis Tran, Scott Andrews, Peter Hong, Ken Wong, Cameron West, Matt Small, Siddarth Bhardwaj, Saul Han, Peter Chen, Amlan Sharma, Erol Tanner and Tommy Tang.

Year 11:

Ancient History: Henry Zhong, Tim Bates, Peter Li, George Siomos and Isaac Kapodistrias,

Modern History: Isaac Kapodistrias, George Siomos, Hassan Kadous, Marcus Harvey, Rahul Chaudri, Wassi Haider, Tanveer Kamaruzzaman, Ben Pooley and Arthur Liong

Year 12:

Ancient History: Daniel Craig, Baris Eroksuz, Lindsay Gray, Nelson Guo, Mitchell Kerr, James Kipritidis, Michael Kirby, Andreas Langadinos, Carl Nygryn, Grish Purswani and Christian Rodriguez

Modern History: Tauseef Ahmed, Phillip Antunes, Edmond Chu, Daniel Craig, Lindsay Gray, Phillip Havea, Dharan Jeyanandarajah, Harry Karadimas, Mitchell Kerr, Michael Kirby, Stephen Ly, Matthew Ng, Carl Nygryn, Luke Pracy, Anthony Solaese and Ken Wang Dong.

History Extension: Phillip Antunes, Harry Karadimas, Michael Kirby, Andreas Langadinos, Stephen Ly, Carl Nygryn and Anthony Solaese

Year 7 again enjoyed the spectacle of James Adams and his Ancient show and the opportunity to take a hands on approach to History. Year 8 similarly enjoyed the Medieval version of Mr Adams' show.

Students enjoy History as is evidenced by the numbers flocking to it in the Senior School and the formation of an elective class in Year 9 2004. If only the lessons learned in History could be transferred to those in higher places - perhaps a little too ambitious.

Roger Doenau

History Debating



This year the Year 10 History Debaters proved themselves to be mature, reliable and strong debaters. With the competition being stronger than ever the team wasn't able to win any of their three debates even though their input was nothing short of spectacular.

The team consisted of Abdul Jamal (1st speaker), Rabieh Gharibeh (2nd speaker), Mohammed Zaoud (3rd speaker) and Ujjwal Sharma (team adviser). All members have many great years of debating ahead of them and will become spectacular legal careers.

The topics for 2003 were:

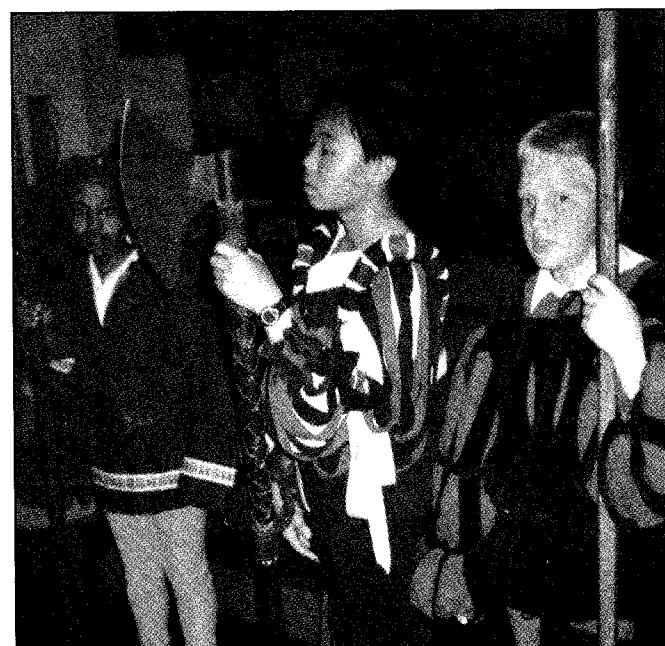
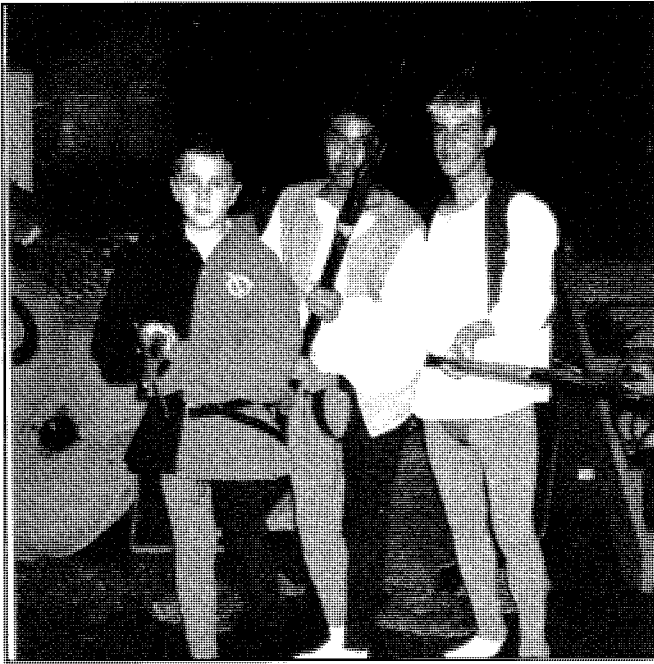
1. "That Australia came of age at Gallipoli"
2. "That Gough Whitlam deserved to be dismissed"
3. "That Australia has always been an egalitarian society"

In all debates we were the affirmative, which was a huge challenge. After every debate, team coordinator, Mr Ian French, or one of the audience had the same overview that was usually to the effect of "I thought you guys had won, I really, truly did".

Whether we deserved to lose every debate remains a mystery. Nevertheless, History debating was a competitive, worthwhile and fun activity.

Mohammed Zaoud

Medieval Day



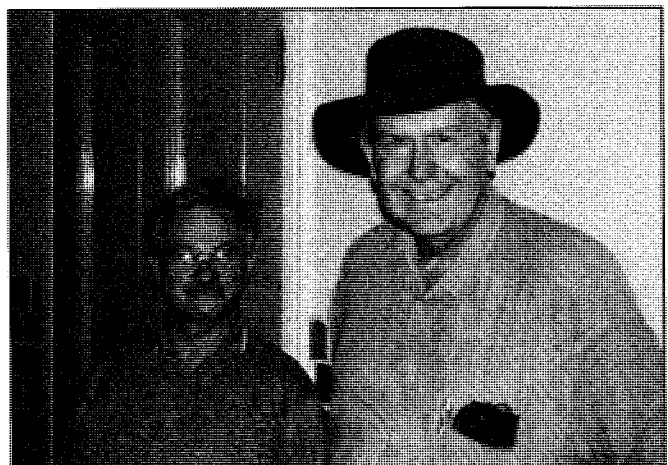
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General Assistants



history/admin/stld/general assist report

MATHEMATICS

A number of staff changes occurred during 2003. At the end of 2002 we farewelled to Mr.Dale, Mr.Rapson and Ms.Oliver.

We welcomed Mr.Betts and Mr.Aboud who are also involved with Computing Studies. Also, Ms.Dare and Mrs.Shadwick returned from leave.

During 2003 the Mathematics Faculty continued with a number of activities including Mathematics Challenge, Mathematics Competitions and devoted a lot of time to preparing for the implementation of a new Mathematics Syllabus for Years 7 & 8 in 2004.

HSC Results 2003

Our Mathematics results were once again outstanding. Eleven boys were placed in the top band of the Extension 2 course, 30 boys were in the Extension 1 top band and ten boys were placed in the top band of the Mathematics paper. The names of these students who scored 90 marks in a course were published in the List of HSC Distinguished Achievers in the newspapers. These 51 names on the Mathematics list placed our school fifth in the state for comprehensive high schools.

When expressed as a percentage of candidates, our 52 mentions from a total of 279 papers sat meant that 19% of papers sat by our boys were on the list - the same percentage as 2002.

The eleven Extension 2 boys in order were: on 97 - Martin Feng; on 96 - Kevin Cheng; on 94 - Philip Chu & Jacky Liu; on 93 - David Habashy, Dharan Jeyanandarajah & Victor Ling; on 92 - Hui Jin & David Nguyen; on 91 - Bongsik Kim and on 90 - Alan Tang.

The thirty Extension 1 boys in order were: on 98 - Kevin Cheng, Martin Zi Cai Feng & David Habashy; on 97 - Philip Chu; on 96 - Sourabh Jain, Victor Ling & David Nguyen; on 95 - David Huynh Tran; on 94 - Ketan Bhatt, Ashwin Gore, Dharan Jeyanandarajah, Hui Jin, Zheng Xian Jacky Liu & Obeidullah Shaheed; 93 - Jason C.Cheung, Bongsik Kim, William Ngo, Matthew Seif, Junji Tai, Alan Tang & Guo Xin Ye; on 92 - Nazih El-Hussein, Shayanthan Ganeshan; 91 - Richard Guan, Kevin Wong & Si Yuan Yan and on 90 - George Brawley, Nelson Zhisong Huang, Ken Jiang & Marcin Wierzbicki.

The ten boys from the Mathematics Paper in order were: on 96 - Ketan Bhatt, Sourabh Jain; on 93 - Shayanthan Ganeshan, Ken Jiang; on 92 - Ashwin Gore, Nelson Zhisong Huang & Marcin Wierzbicki; on 91 - Simon Kochetkov, Sajevan Vanatheva and on 90 - Karthigeyan Kanagasabapathy.

School Certificate

Year 10 faced the School Certificate External Test on Tuesday, 11th November. This was the fifth year of the new format where students are given their result placing them in Bands 6 down to 1.

The results were once again highly impressive with 10.83% of our students in Band 6 (State - 5.41%) and 46.79% in the top two bands compared with 26.06% of the state. 79.30% of our students were in the top three bands compared with 58.41% of state.

Mathematics Competitions

The impressive results of the Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians, the Australian Intermediate Mathematics Olympiad, the University of NSW Mathematics Competition, The Australian Mathematics Competition and the Hunter Mathematics Competition for Year 10 Standard Students are outlined in the Competition Section of the Magazine.

We hope that students find 2004 even more challenging than this year.

J.Evans

MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

Of the 931 students entered in the Competition, one student was awarded a Prize, eight students received a Certificate of High Distinction, 146 obtained a Distinction and 352 achieved a credit. All entrants will receive at least a Certificate of Participation and an individual performance report.

Yi Cheng Cai was awarded the Prize for his outstanding performance in the Year 11 section placing him in the top 0.5% in the state. Yi Cheng was identified as the school's best entrant and received a Special Achievement Award.

Gordon Tan & Jeff Wong of Year 7, Hayder Shkara of Year 8, Michael Jin of Year 9, Nicholas Chu & Stephen Li of Year 10 and Chetan Punjabi & Chih Hwan Yang of Year 11 were the High Distinctions recipients placing them in the top 2% in the state.

This year, almost half a million secondary school students tested their maths skills in the biggest annual event in the school calendar here and one of the largest of its type globally. Entries included 364,000 Year 7-12 students from 2,369 Australian schools and over 96,000 students from 936 schools in 35 overseas countries with a Prize or High Distinction Award a rare and prestigious achievement.

Established in 1978, the Competition has been popular with students ever since and is the largest Mathematics competition of its type in the world. Run by the Canberra based Australian Mathematics Trust, which is comprised of educators and mathematicians from all over the country, the competition is sponsored by Westpac Banking Corporation, the University of Canberra and the Canberra Mathematical Association.

Aimed at making maths fun, this competition is designed with the average student in mind. It also identifies those with exceptional ability, some of whom go on to represent Australia at the International Mathematical Olympiad.

The competition is unique. The problems are intended to be non-intimidating and can inspire confidence in average students to extend themselves. There is also still a challenge for the more talented. It is an educational event that has been acknowledged and copied overseas.

Boys are advised to include their certificate in their job portfolio as it can only be of benefit when seeking employment.

This year the organisers again released standardised results for the best students allowing comparison between years within a school and consequently identifying the school's best entrant. The best standardised results achieved were as follows:

1st :	Yi Cheng Cai (Year 11)
2nd:	Chetan Punjabi (Year 11)
3rd:	Gordon Tan (Year 7)
4th:	Jeff Wong (Year 7)
5th:	Peter Ayre (Year 7)
6th:	Hayder Shkara (Year 8)
7th:	Chih Hwan Yang (Year 11)
8th:	Nicholas Chu (Year 10)
8th:	Michael Jin (Year 9)
10th:	Stephen Li (Year 10)
11th:	Gia Tri Tran (Year 11)
12th:	Louis Tran (Year 10)
13th:	Philip Qin (Year 9)
13th:	Oujia Wang (Year 9)
15th:	Eric Tsz Ho Fong (Year 8)

- 16th: Joshua Tarrant-Windt (Year 8)
- 16th: Luke Pun (Year 8)
- 18th: Martin Feng (Year 12)
- 19th: Philip Chu (Year 12)
- 20th: Yu Ming Zeng (Year 12)

MATHEMATICS COMPETITIONS 2003

Our students have an outstanding record in Mathematics competitions. Pupils were again involved in the Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians, The Australian Intermediate Mathematics Olympiad, The University of NSW Mathematics Competition, The Australian Mathematics Competition and The Hunter Mathematics Competition for Year 10 Standard Students.

Homebush was to the fore in Mathematics Competition results. Chih Hwan Yang of Year 11 was awarded a Certificate of Merit in the University of NSW Mathematics Competition and Jake Holub received a Prize for being placed fifteenth in NSW in the Standard Mathematics Competition.

Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians

During the year boys from Years 7 to 10 were involved with the Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians under the guidance of Mr Ha. It has two stages commencing with a three week Challenge in April consisting of six problems done at home.

First Stage

Thirty-five boys received certificates for the first stage. In an outstanding performance, Kevin Zhu of Year 7 was awarded a Distinction Certificates. Four boys received Credit Certificates and thirty boys received Certificates of Participation.

Consequently the School's Year 9-10 team of best four students were placed in the top 14%. The School's Year 7-8 team of best four students were placed in the top 25%.

Second Stage.

Seven boys completed the Second or Enrichment Stage which runs from April to October. This involved working independently through series notes within a flexible sixteen week period from April to September and attempting solutions to problems. The boys' fees were subsidised by the Excellence Fund - thanks to Mr.Pinkey.

Abhinav Khanna of Year 10 & Nelson Zheng of Year 8 were awarded High Distinctions - an incredible performance in this difficult activity. Distinction Certificates were awarded to Mark Han of Year 9 and a Credit Certificate was awarded to Simon Chung of Year 7. Participation Certificates were presented to Patrick Tang of Year 8 and Daniel Choi of Year 7.

A big 'thank you' to our Maths Challenge Director - Mr.Ha.

University of NSW Mathematics Competition

On Tuesday 17 June six boys from Years 11 & 12 sat for this difficult competition which involves completing six questions in three hours. Only those exceptional students of mathematics attempt this competition. Only a limited number of certificates are awarded.

We were pleased when Henry Yang of Year 11 was presented with a Certificate of Merit.

Hunter Mathematics Competition for Year 10 Standard Students

On Tuesday 29 July ten boys from our Year 10 Standard class, were involved in this competition. Over 900 students from across the state benefited from this competition.

The boys received one Prize, four Distinctions, four Credits and one Pass awards.

Jake Holub was awarded a Prize, Jesse Martin,

James Bartol-Laham, Todd Bollard & Ben Lameri received Distinction Awards, Alan Williams, David Lekanic, Jack Coppard & Phillip Browne were awarded a Credit Certificate, and Matthew Petrucci achieved a Pass.

Mr.Doolan and his class have worked hard to achieve our best results ever.

Australian Mathematics Competition

On Tuesday 29 July 931 boys were involved in the 2003 Australian Mathematics Competition - the largest Mathematics competition of its type in the world. This was 52 more than the record number of 879 Homebush students set in 2002.

The results were once again very impressive - the highest number of Distinctions and Credits that the school has ry of the results for 2003 is show below.

Year	Entries	Prize	High Dist	Dist	Cred
7	170		2	23	70
8	125		1	16	64
9	163		1	29	70
10	157		2	28	63
11	172	1	2	37	43
12	144			13	42
Total	931	1	8	146	352

The results over the years are shown below

Year	Entries	Prize	High Dist	Dist	Credit
1979	56			22	17
1980	136			25	54
1981	241			35	84
1982	331	1		30	104
1983	280	1		29	92
1984	302			27	103
1985	390		3	48	110
1986	328	2		50	134
1987	524		2	38	132
1988	635	2		55	174
1989	593			65	172
1990	644	2		71	188
1991	718	1		80	195
1992	695			80	196
1993	686	1		85	223
1994	656		4	98	215
1995	629			94	193
1996	651	2	5	81	219
1997	698	1	6	81	275
1998	680	1	12	107	263
1999	712		9	115	313
2000	859		12	116	346
2001	857	1	13	118	341
2002	879	1	12	133	343
2003	932	1	8	146	352

From 1996 Distinctions (15%) were replaced by High Distinctions (2%) and Distinctions (13%).

The following students received merit certificates. The names appear in order of merit.

YEAR 7

High Distinction:

G.Tan, J.Wong.

Distinction:

P.Ayre, K.S.Zhu, E.Truong, D.Choi, B.Lin, S.Che, D.Lam, H.Ni, P.Kim, R.Liu, J.W.Yoon, L.Ly, M.Modasser, W.Shanthikumar, B.Arumugaiyer, R.Pai, H.Rajaji, D.Trinh, J.Zhao, D.Wang, C.Choi, S.Chung, I.Kwak.

Credit:

K.Chen, A.Ahanjari, S.sriharan, E.Au, D.H-S.Hwang, W.See, R.Shanmugasundaram, J.Thevarajah, B.David, C.Gray, A.Brimfield, T.Mahmud, A.Fazli, J.Ho, J.Lu, B.Hur, D.Paterson, S.Sathiaseelan, J.An, M.Hua, M.Lekanic, C.Parkee, P.Purusothaman, I.W.Seo, P.Truong, E.Chan, E.Furneaux-Bate, V.Mai, B.Green, V.Koungoulos, J.Lott, R.McCrea, W.Parker, R.Zhu, K.Leong, R.Rawal, W.Cheng, M.Lucis, E.Mehmet, A.Shanmugalingam, B.Bardouh, S.Kim, D.Lee, J.Raihani, N.Siomos, I.Chan, P.Chow, D.Karunanithy, P.Nagaratnarajah, J.Yook, K.Huang, J.Ngamu, K.Sozen, E.Kedicioglu, P.Sarker, H.Elankovan, A.Randall, J.Vuong, J.Walia, C.Cooper, D.Lincoln, S.MacAllister, L.Pene, M.Robson, J.Shehadie, A.Hazelbrook, A.Patrulescu, S.Tonkin, A.Tran, E.Yanar.

YEAR 8

High Distinction:

H.Shkara.

Distinction:

E.T.H.Fong, L.Pun, J.Tarrant-Windt, S.Gnanarathinam, A.Imer, N.Von Dinklage, A.Lam, R.Ou, N.Nimalkumar, J.Tran, T.Singh, N.Zheng, S.Cheng, P.Daly, S.Kwak, S.Sivabalan.

Credit:

H-G.Stone, M.Koh, C.Lee, H.Rhie, R.Huang, J.Bui, R.Cheung, E.Ko, T.Ravinthiran, M.Thangavel, W.Duong, L.W.Y.Lo, A.Sharma, R.Lu, M.Starc, E.Sunardi, A.Awan, S.Dinopoulos, J.Sekhon, H.Singh, A.Wong, K.Jananayakam, P.Vuong, R.Beattie, M.Gabor, S.Jackson, M.Chin, D.Virakorn, J.Hilliard, A.Clement, N.Navaretnarajah, P.Tang, M.Vuppapalapati, P.Ganeshalingam, S.Meng, M.Raihani, K.El-Ahmad, E.James, D.Singh, S.Sriran, R.Akunyare, J.Chandrakumar, D.Chau, D.Huang, M.Reid, E.Rizos, K.Rubadass, R.Bintahir, M.Clark, J.Jiao, S.Y.Khan, J.K.H.Ng, C.Luu, G.Moussa, M.Ng, N.Crighton, P.Lai, H.Yan, J.Hung, N.Nadan, D.Schimke, J.S.Singh, O.Pase, J.Smedley.

YEAR 9

High Distinction:

M.Jin.

Distinction:

P.Qin, O.Wang, A.Alim, J.Yoon, D.Gonzalez, H.Luo, P.Chen, M.Han, D.Nguyen, T.W.D.Tang, A.Widge, E.Wu, R-P.Zhang, F.Zou, R.Ly, A.Q.Nguyen, E.Tseng, D.Chan, R.Syeed, J.Che, S.Hwang, X.T.Ma, K.Tsang, R.Karthik, G.Lee, D.Chan, M.Gunaratnam, N.Sanmuhathan, X.Wang.

Credit:

S.Boulekraout, A.Nagagopan, R.Vuong, T.Wong, S.W.Kim, C.Pooley, A.Kwon, A.Satchidanandam, Y.Tanaka, C.Liu, P.Patil, D.Tang, L.Zhao, J.Satkunanathan, D.M-H.Truong, J.Valacos, P.Ip, G.Manoharan, C.Zhu, W.Cheung, V.Lai, D.Ma, W.Petrushenko, K-K.Wong, C.Chopra, S.Jahan, P.Kugatheesan, D.Liao, A.Pham, T.Y.Tang, K.Tao, S.H.Wang, S.Ali, R.Amir-Khan, J.Chong, J.Scott, K.Thevapalan, M.Asaratnam, A.A.K.Nguyen, J.Dai, V.Elankovan, B.Hardaker, R.Kang, Y.Kim, R.Rajendran, A.Sim, R.Fuad, A.Jaiswal, J.Narenthiran, M.Stone, J.Tran, R.Yassa, J.Kim, J.Pinto, P.S.Sran, J.N.Wickramarachchi, S.Everett, D.Fei, K.Jiang, Y.Kim, J.Ly, X.Wang, S.Barkat, J.Cheng, O.Clifford-Smith, H.Kabir, G.Qiu, K.Sevgi, C.McCullum, D.Yuan.

YEAR 10

High Distinction:

N.Chu, S.Li.

Distinction:

L.L.Tran, S.S.K.Gao, M.Wang, H.Mehmet, J.Song, B.Yip, S.Donald, H-J.Yang, J.Li, D.Mang, R.Tran, E.Liao,

S.Sharma, J.Yook, D.Han, J.Mahajan, W.Huynh, D.Isaac, S.Nur, G.Teo, P.Chen, X.Chen, T.Huang, H.Jing, A.Khanna, D.Li, M.Li, D.Lin.

Credit:

S.Lai, B.Tran, W.Wang, A.Khan, A.La, K.Wong, V.Yang, R.Chan, H.Chen, K.Gahir, D.Habashy, P.Kim, T.Man, S.Sui, A.Mullane, D.Nallainathan, P.Wallace, T.Jeong, C.West, S.Gunalan, N.Jegatheeswaran, R.Sethi, D.Chang, N.Lennings, G.Lin, N-A.Shamsin, M.Zaoud, A.O.Lee, B.Ryan, C.Wang, S.Jackson, H.Jegatheeswaran, T.Lin, H.Chan, M.Mason, H.Wu, A.Zhang, P.Hong, J.Hua, V.H.Shanmugan, D.Thangavel, J.Xu, A.Ahmad, P.Fung, R.Hui, U.Santhikumar, M.Wanis, N.Yau, S.Bhardwaj, K.Ho, A.K.Jamal, R.Park, M.Tan, N.Tao, J.Kanagalingam, E.Parry, J.Stanley, S.Sunder Raj, K.Tran, J.Wang, J.Hong, B.Joi, A.Sharma.

YEAR 11

Prize:

Y.C.Cai.

High Distinction:

C.Punjabi, C.H.Yang.

Distinction:

G.T.Tran, S.Lam, H.K.Cheng, K.Lin, M.Sri Ganeshan, Y.C.Wang, R.Tran, P.Vu, K.Lee, M.D.Mahmud, R.Rathore, W.Dao, N.Do, D.C.D.Huo, Bolin Li, J.Ma, A.Ozturk, P.Punniyamoorthy, A.Selladurai, R.Tang, T.Bui, B.Huang, A.Marketos, C.Sandilya, K.Selvakumar, A.Zhang, F.Zheng, J.Jayadevan, R.Paramanathan, R.Coomaraswamy, B.Pooley, A.Yang, J.Alim, E.Dai, L.Leung, E.Park, J.Zhang.

Credit:

M.T.Bintahir, F.Ho, A.Rangiah, J.Chung, V.Santhakumar, P.Chen, D.Tsai, R.Chan, J.B.Gong, B.Guo, W.Jreij, S-H.Lee, V.Liang, James Lu, C.Ly, H.H.C.Zhong, T.Bates, Y.Chan, L.Choi, K.Truong, H.M.Huang, Q.Saad, K.Ahn, A.Fang, K.Kulasingam, P.Li, R.Ma, V.Sasisekaran, A.Khanna, J.Matthew-Stubbs, P.Praphakharan, M.Xu, Jerry Xu, A.Chau, H.Tran, D.Chau, M.Jiang, A.Sharma, J.D.Thiraviarajah, Y.Zhang, Jeffrey Lee, A.Omar, J.Zhuang.

YEAR 12:

Distinction:

Z.C.M.Feng, P.Chu, Y.M.Zeng, J.C.Cheung, H.Jin, J.Giang, K.Cheng, B.Kim, Z.X.Jacky Liu, S.Vanatheva, J-L.Xu, T.Ahmed, K.Wong.

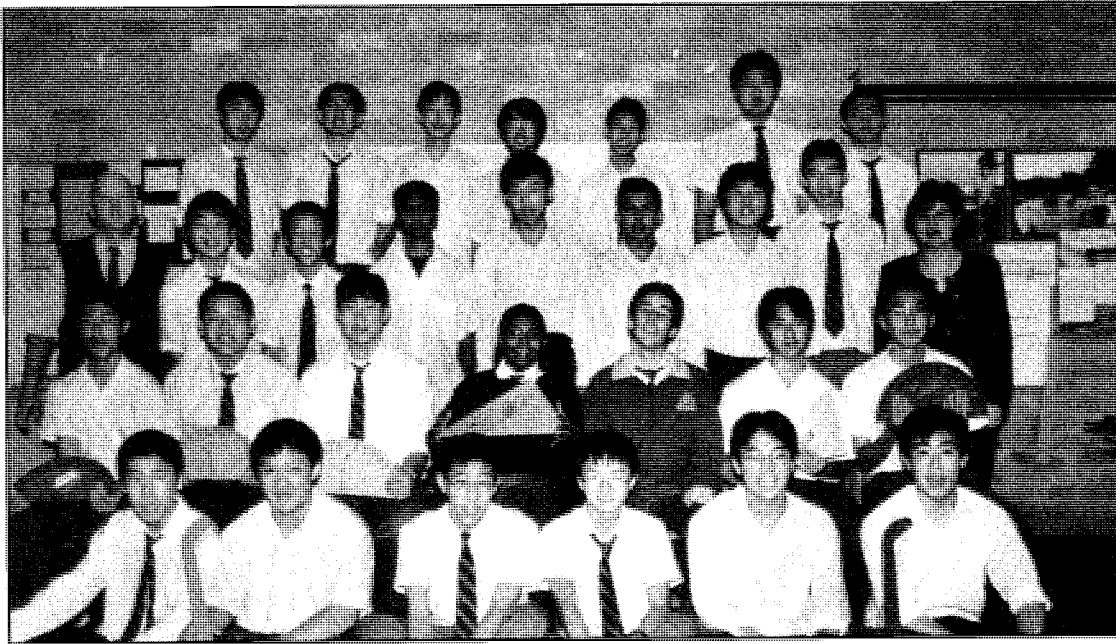
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Other candidates will be able to add their names to this list in 2004.



Yr 11 Maths Competition - High Distinctions & Distinctions



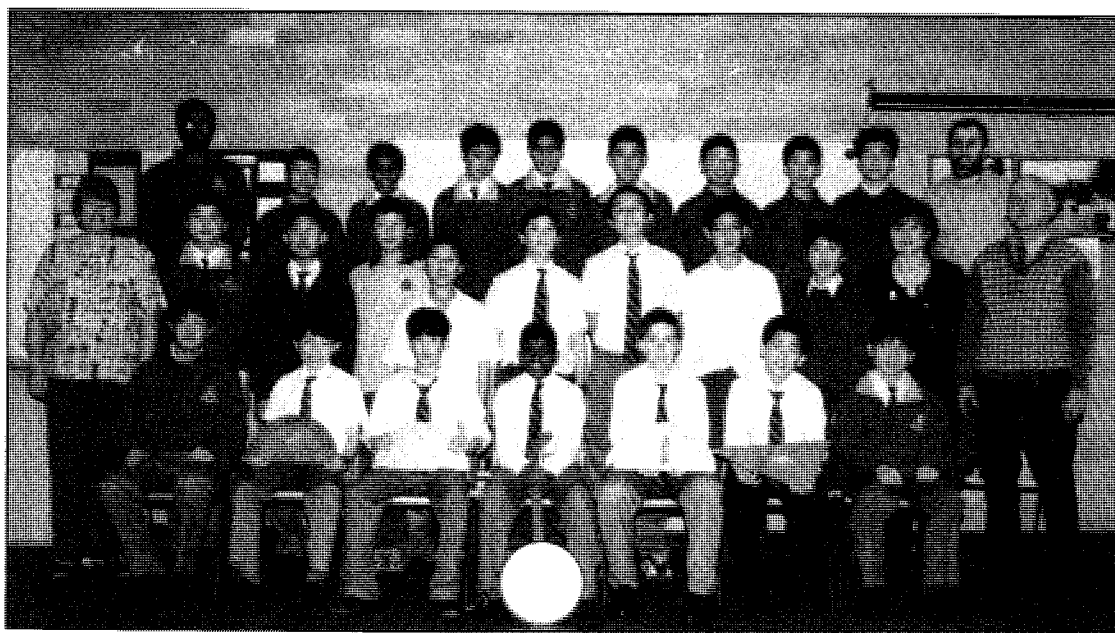
Yr 10 Maths Competition - High Distinctions & Distinctions



Yr 8 Maths Competition - High Distinctions & Distinctions



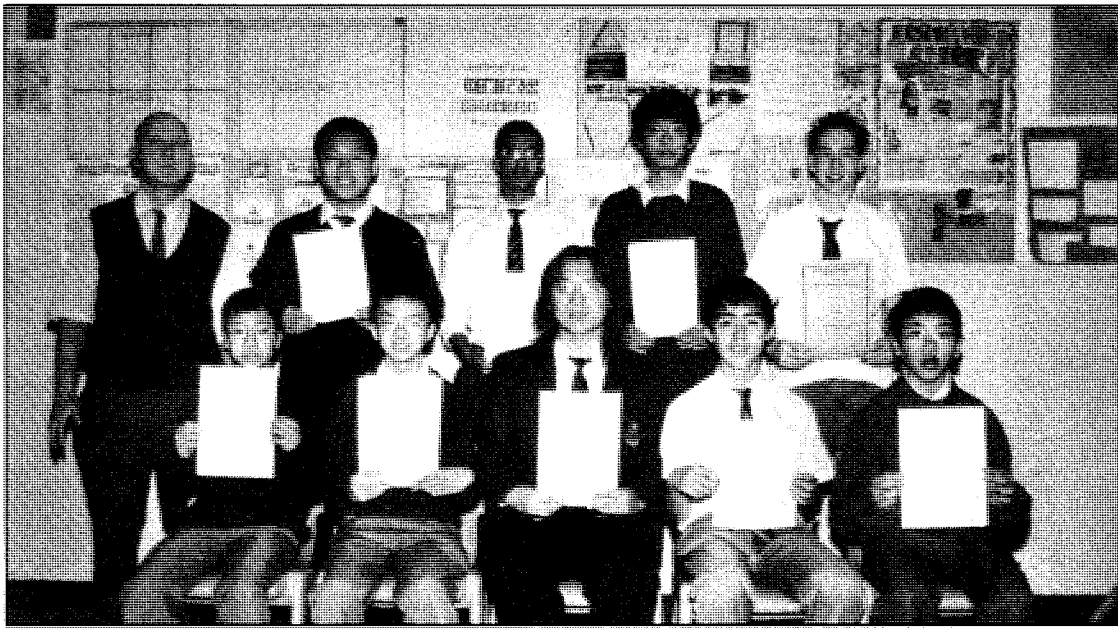
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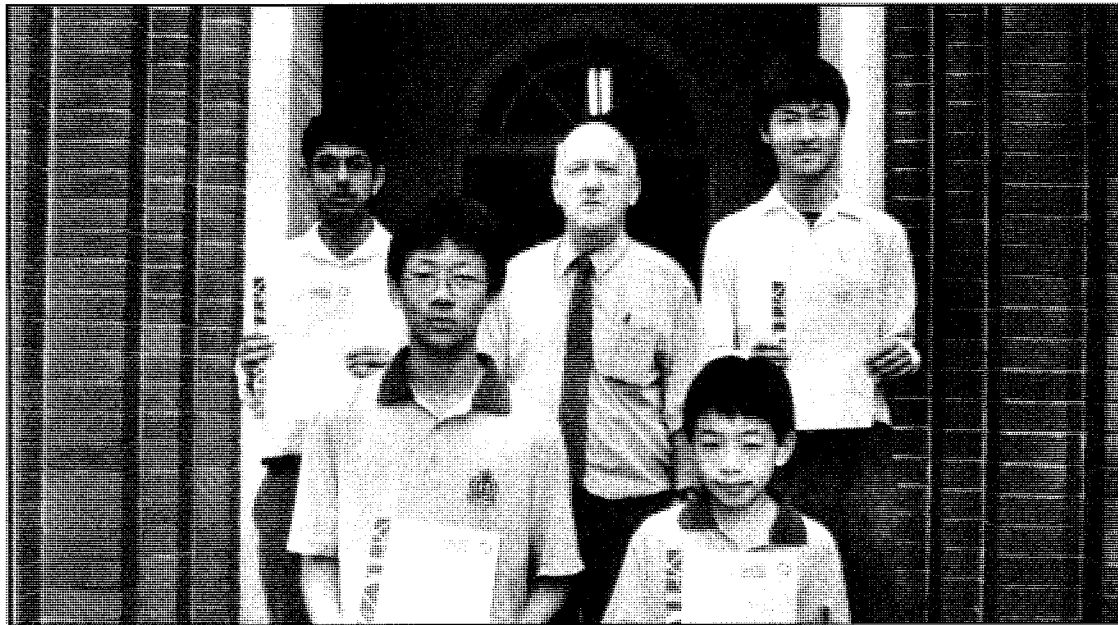
Yr 7 Maths Competition - High Distinctions & Distinctions



Henry Yang (Uni of NSW Maths Comp Prize), Mr Philip and Tony Cai (Maths Comp Prize)



Maths Competition High Distinctions and Prizes



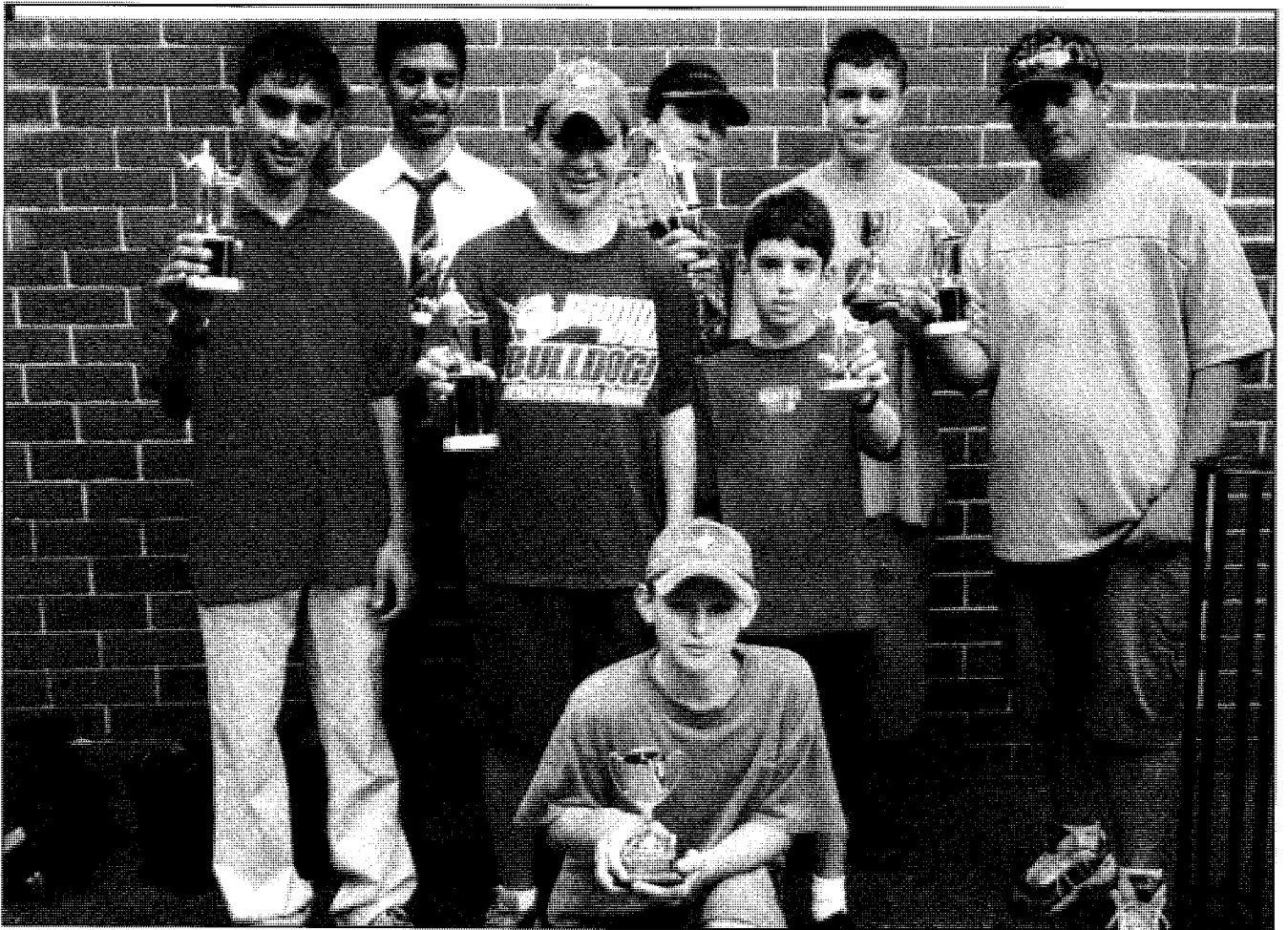
Maths Challenge Distinction winners.



Geography Distinction winners



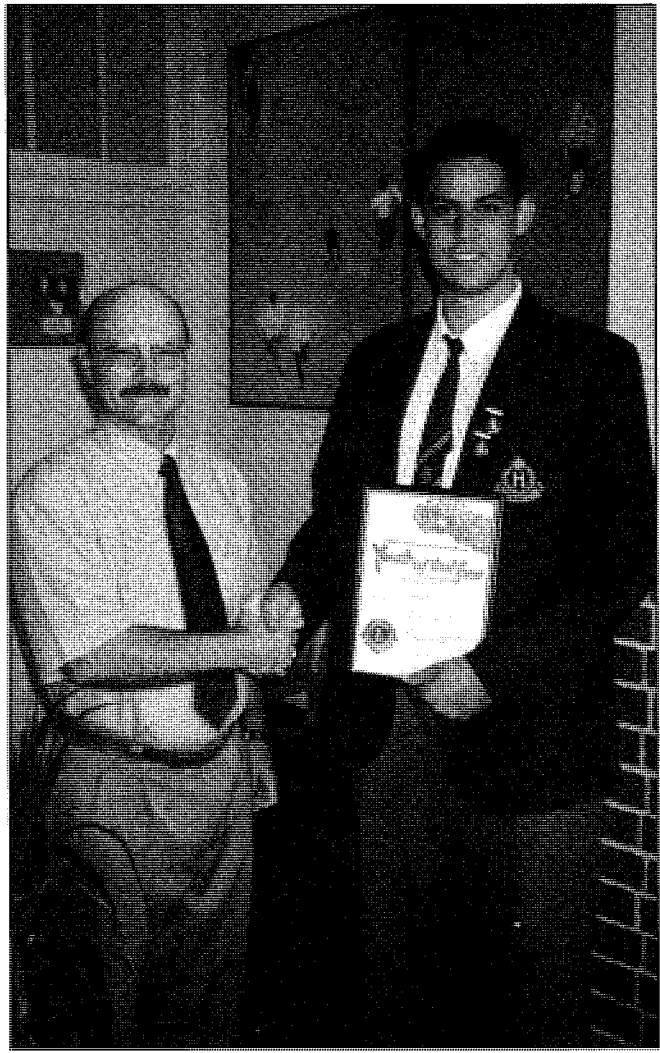
English Competition Distinction winners with Mr Elaro



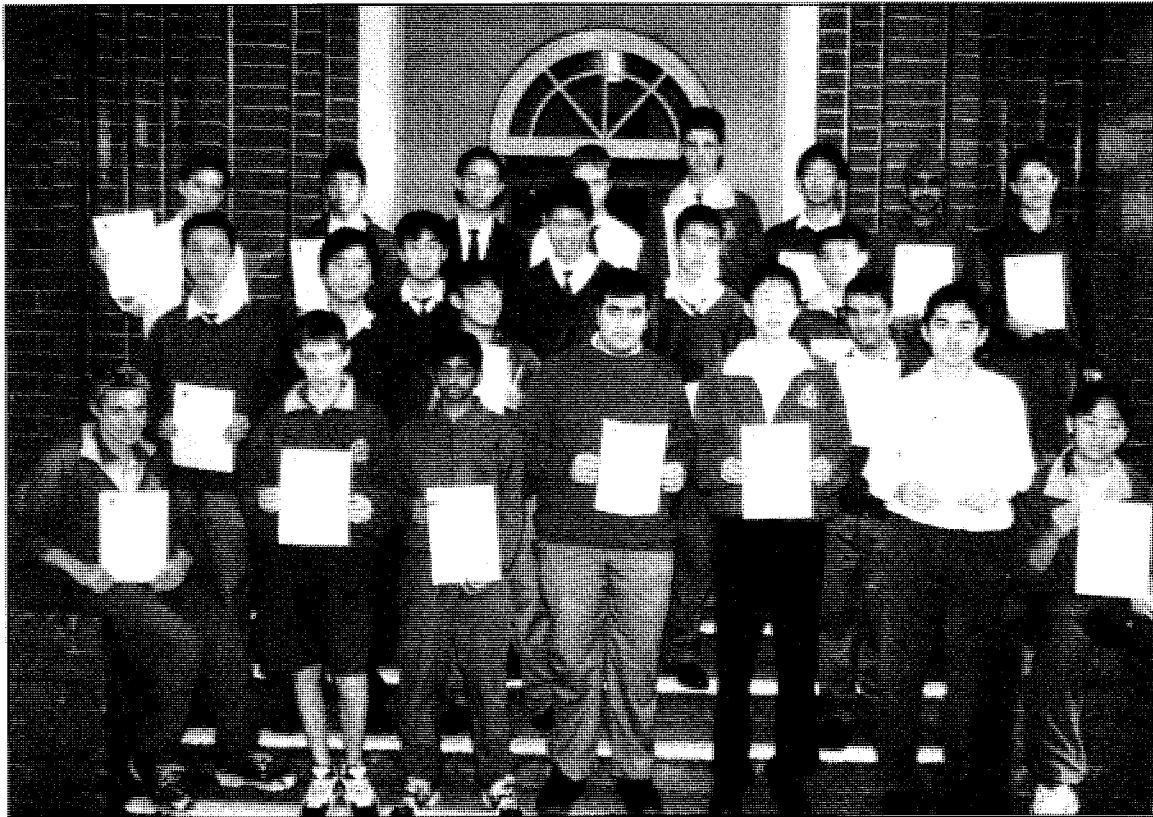
Public Speaking Award winners



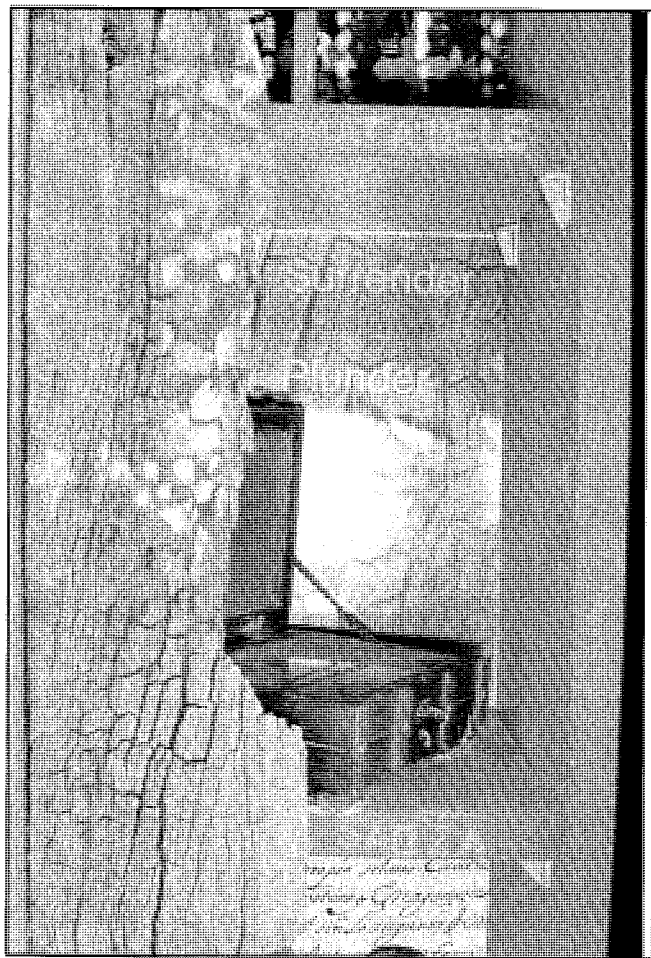
Writing Competition Distinction winners



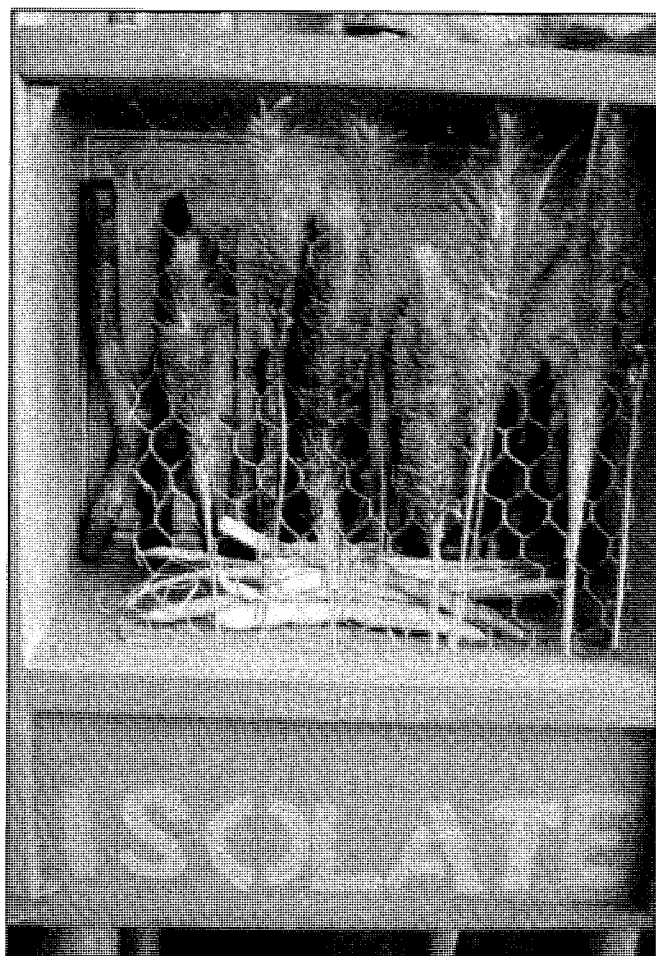
Anthony Solaese was the schools nomination for the 'Rotary Youth of the Year'

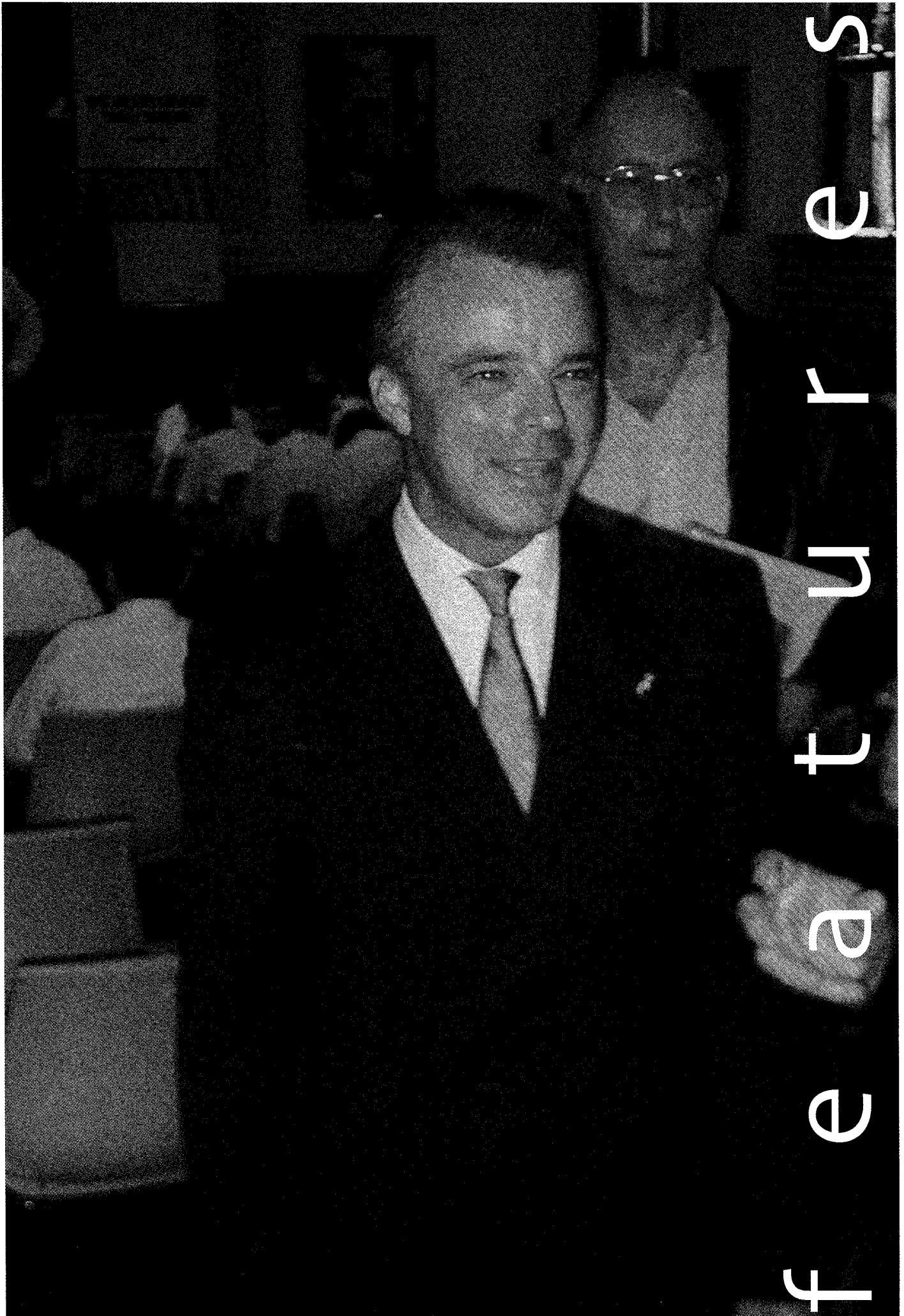


Computing Competition Distinction winners



Raj Singh's Body of Work for his Visual Arts HSC. He looks at the issue of colonialisation of Africa through sculpture using found objects.



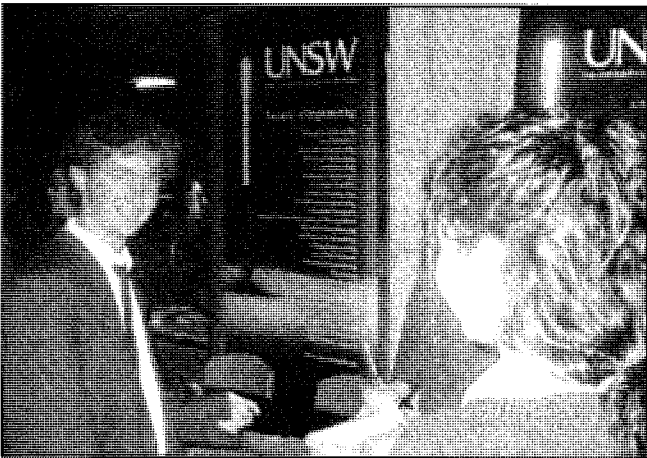


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Tertiary Day



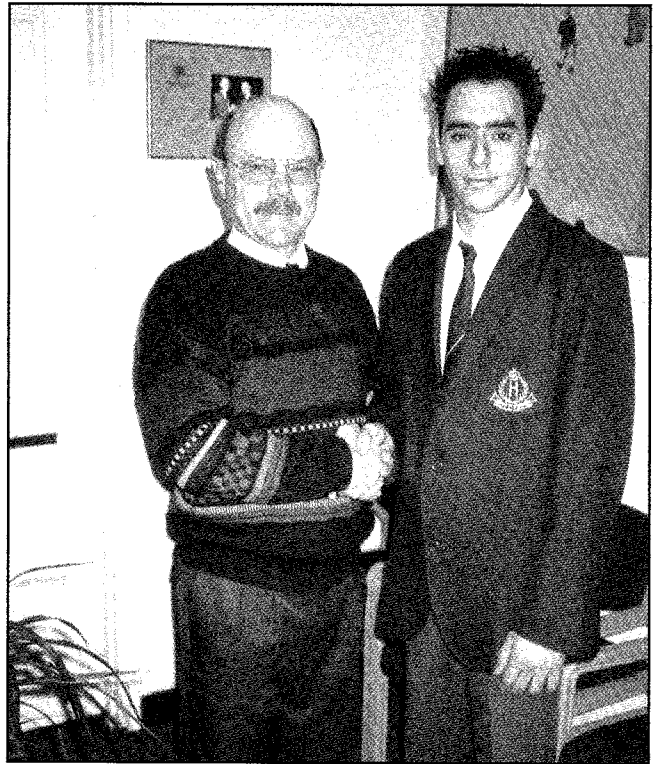
Students get first hand information about courses available to them



"I may go to the University of Sydney"



A SHOT AT THE TOP



Homebush Boys School Principal, Dr. Ian Patterson congratulates senior student Peter Morkos who, as one of only 80 students across the state has won a competitive scholarship to participate in the Australia Business Week State Program at the University of Sydney. The emphasis of the program is on team building, balancing academic prowess with leadership, social, community and sporting achievements.

Boys' Education Lighthouse Schools Programme.



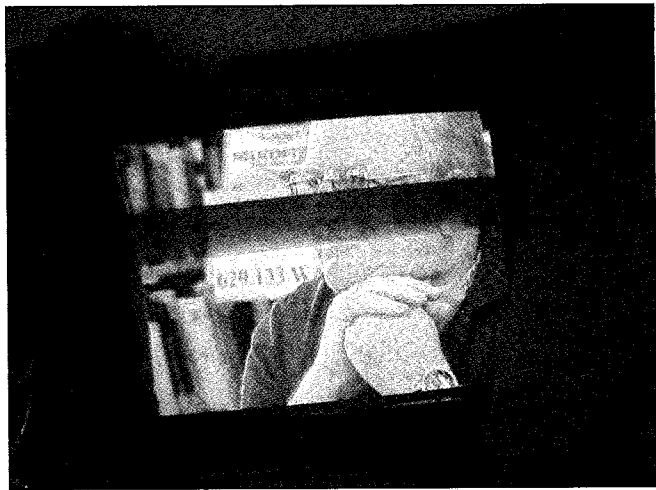
Dr Ian Paterson, Federal Minister for Education :Dr Brendan Nelson,
Local Federal member: John Murphy and Mr Tim Jurd

The Curriculum corporation is funding a nationwide research project called Boys' Education Lighthouse Schools Programme (see the web site www.boyslighthouse.edu.au for more information).

Homebush and 1400 other schools applied for a grant to be part of this research and we were fortunate to be one of the successful 110 schools. The grant is for \$5000 to cover mainly teacher release days and the purpose of our grant targets literacy education in the stage 5 (years 9 and 10) classroom.



District Superintendent, Barry Higgins



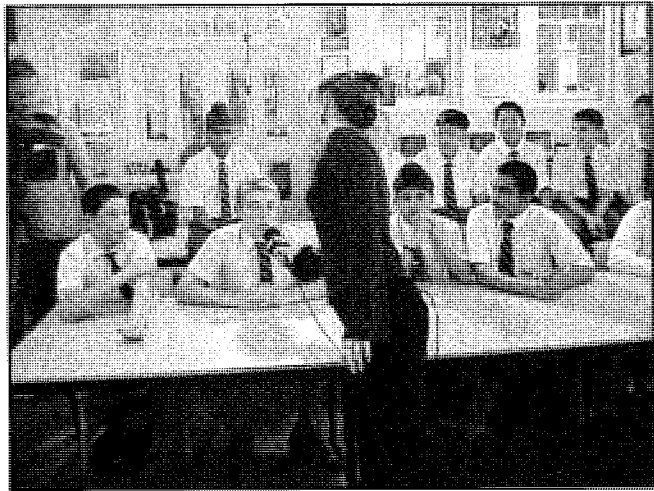
Mr Doenau through the lens of the camera

The leader of our school team will be Ms Christine Wyness and our final report must be ready by 19 September and must include verifiable and quantifiable data.

Our school's application so impressed the Lighthouse committee that our school was chosen as the launch pad for this Federal government initiative on April 30. On this day the media descended on our school to see the Federal Minister of Education Brendan Nelson and Member for Lowe John Murphy and many other dignitaries announce the extremely important program.

T Jurd

"Big Arvo" comes to Homebush

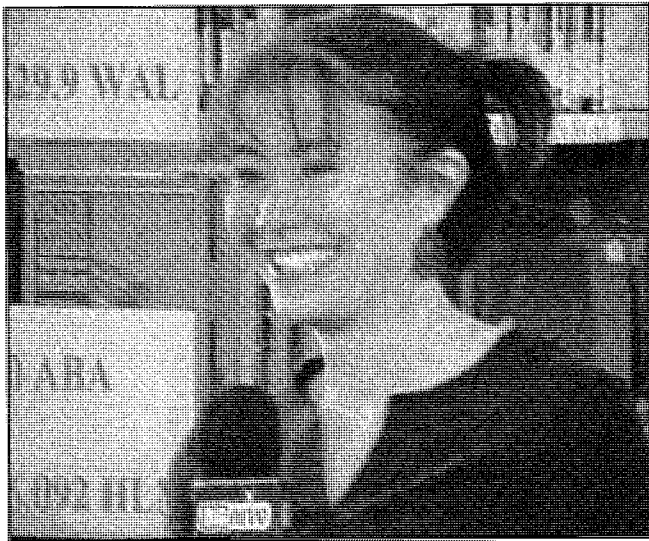


Anna quizzing the boys

During the filming the set was visited by Dr Brendan Nelson, Federal

Minister for Education and Mr John Murphy Member for Lowe who were in our school to launch the Boys' Education Lighthouse Schools Programme and they enjoyed the spectacle (see elsewhere in the Bulletin for a report on this program).

T Jurd



Anna Choy from "Big Arvo"

The huge interest in Ozspell at our school generated media attention and when Channel 7 requested the opportunity to feature Homebush in their Big Arvo television show we jumped at the chance.

A selection of Ozspell competitors was to challenge a teacher to a spelling quiz and it was all to be filmed in our library!

Many staff volunteered and after their applications were screened the Literacy team chose Mr Roger Doenau because he is brilliant, photogenic and a great sport.

The Big Arvo is hosted by Anna Choy. She is poised, professional and charming and her interactions with the students kept them amused and fascinated.



Alan Jones was the guest speaker at the Youth Leadership Forum

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David Koch with Shiva Rathore

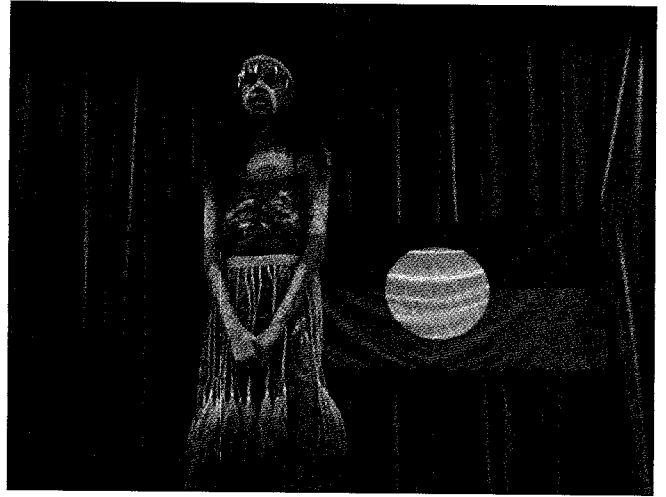


General Cosgrove with Shiva Rathore

Miri Dancer



The Miri Dancers explained much about the Aboriginal culture



Anzac March



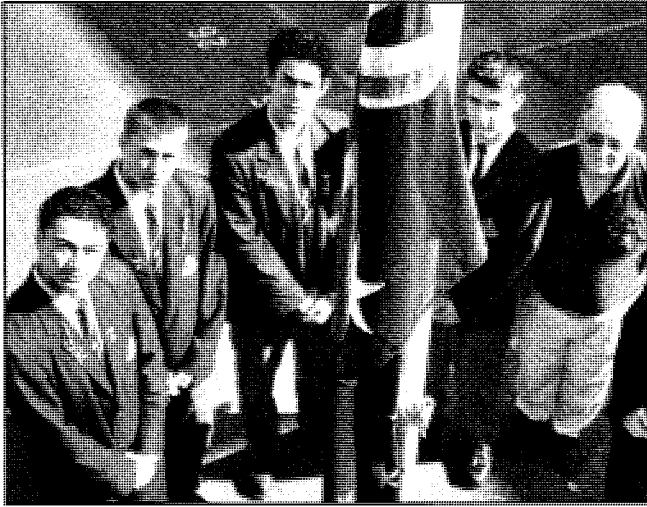
ANZAC Day was a performance highlight for the Homebush Boys High Drum Corps. For the sixth consecutive year the boys played the marching beat as the former 'Diggers' completed the ANZAC march through the city.

An estimated crowd of over 100,000 people lined George Street, cheering and waving flags, as the various groups of service men and women filed past. The Homebush Drum Corps marches in several other events including National Servicemen Day and Reserve Forces Day.

The Drum Corps is sponsored by Burwood R.S.L. Maths teacher Jane Rayner co-ordinates the group while David Manuel is their drumming and marching instructor.

The squad of twenty drummers inducts new members each year as the seniors leave school. For all of the boys the ANZAC march becomes a memorable highlight of their school career.

Bandage Bear Day



ANZAC Ceremony at school assembly



Stephen Speirs makes a sale



Wreath laying in Burwood Park

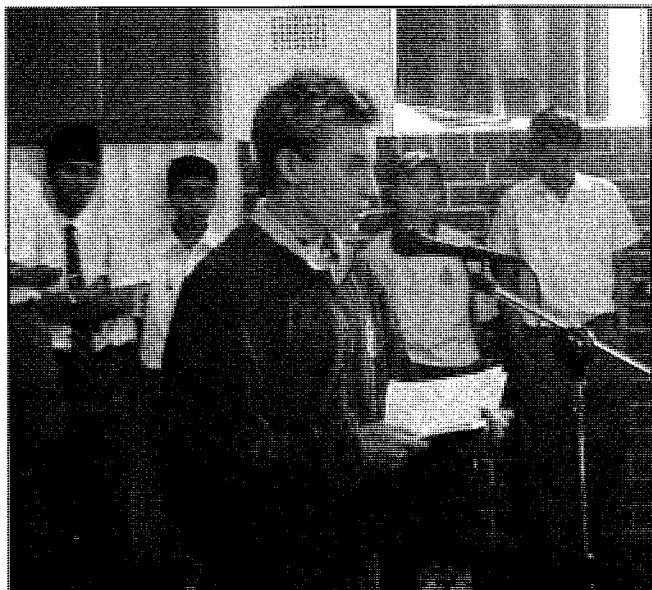


It's all for a good cause

Orientation Day



Wreath laying at Homebush

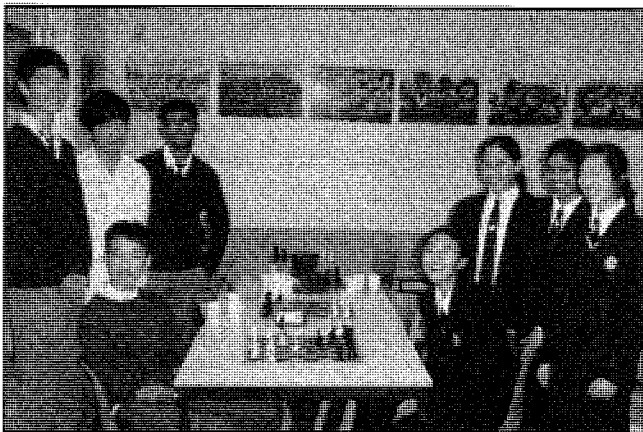


Year 8 students welcome the new Year 7 students

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New parents and students are welcomed to the school



Intermediate C - Division winners enjoyed their match with Meriden.



Pin Chen and Wilson Petrushenko concentrate in their win against De La Salle, Ashfield.



Senior team played Fort St High who had two ex-Homebush players.

CHESS CHAMPIONS

The chess competition conducted by the NSW Junior Chess League saw outstanding success for Homebush Boys High School. The highlight was our Intermediate team winning their competition and qualifying for the Regional Finals.

Chess was resurrected at Homebush in 1997 when one team was entered in the Friday afternoon competition. Since then the popularity of the game has grown and this year six teams - Senior, (Years 12 & 11); Intermediate A, B & C (for Years 9 & 10) and Junior A & B (for Years 7 & 8) entered the Secondary Schools Chess Teams Competition and were highly successful. Only Sydney Boys, Sydney Grammar and Trinity Grammar had more teams. Our teams are highly respected by the Chess League.

Normally a competition consists of eight teams - however one of our competitions had a bye. The competition is played after school on Friday afternoons for seven weeks during second term. Regional and State Finals are played during Term 3.

A number of boys also successfully competed in Summer, Autumn, Winter and Spring Holiday - One & Two Day Tournaments, Secondary Schools One Day Tournament, Knox Tournament and Normanhurst Invitation Tournament. The boys entry fees were subsidised by the School Excellence Fund - thanks to Mr. Pinkey.

The Chess Club meets every lunchtime except Wednesdays in room 52 for practice. Interested boys are most welcome.

Senior team:

Division Runner-up

The Senior team consisting of Jacky Liu, Jim Liu, Mathew Seif, Mir Mahmud, Martin Feng & Xiong Huang finished second on 22.5 points - 0.5 points behind the Fort St team. The Senior team won six matches and lost once. The team defeated De La Salle Ashfield (3-1), Trinity A (2.5-1.5), Meriden (4-0), Holy Spirit (4-0), Sylvania (4-0), lost to Fort St (1-3) & defeated Concord (4-0).

Intermediate A:

The Intermediate A team consisted of Pin Chen, Wilson Petrushenko, Stephen Speirs, Louis Tran & Eddie Wu. The team finished third on 18.5 points with four wins, one draw and lost twice. Intermediate A defeated Concord (4-0), drew (2-2) with Newington, were defeated by Fort St (1-3), defeated Trinity C (3-1), De La Salle Ashfield (3.5-0.5), Meriden A (4-0) and lost to Homebush C (1-3).

Intermediate B:

The Intermediate B team consisted of David Gonzalez, Jack Castrique, Andrew Nguyen & Sam Everett. The team finished in second place on 19.5 points - behind Trinity A (24.5 pts). The team won four matches, lost twice & had a bye.

Intermediate B defeated Meriden B (4-0), De La Salle Ashfield (3-1), lost to Canterbury (1.5-2.5), defeated All Sts. Grammar (3-1) & Trinity A (2.5-1.5), lost to Holy Spirit Lakemba (1.5-2.5) then had a bye.

Intermediate C:

Division Winners

Region Quarter-Finalist

The Intermediate C team consisted of Michael Jin, Mark Han, Cheng Zhu & Anant Jaiswal. The team finished equal first with Fort St on 23.5 points. The team had six wins & one draw.

Intermediate C defeated Newington (3.5-0.5), drew (2-2) with Fort St, defeated Trinity C (4-0), De La Salle Ashfield (3-1), Meriden A (4-0), Concord (4-0) & Homebush A (3-1).

The team qualified for the Region Quarter Final but were defeated 2.5-1.5 by Trinity A.

Junior A:

The Junior A team of Matthew Ng, Hansol Rhie, Tandeep Singh, Sharangan Maheswaran & Chris Lee finished fifth with two wins, one draw & four losses on 13 points.

Junior A drew (2-2) with Fort St. D, were defeated (1.5-2.5) by De La Salle Ashfield, defeated Concord (3-1), lost to All Sts. Grammar (1-3) & Trinity B (4-0), defeated Fort St. B (4-0) & lost to Newington A (1.5-2.5).

Junior B:

The Junior B team of Keith Leong, David Wang & Jimmy Zhao finished fourth with three wins & four losses on 13.5 points.

Junior B defeated Fort St C (3-1), were defeated by Newington B (1.5-2.5), Trinity A (1-3), De La Salle Ashfield B (0.5-3.5), defeated Holy Spirit (2.5-1.5) & Fort St E (4-0), then lost to Canterbury (4-0).

Schools Chess Challenge - One Day Tournament

We entered three teams in this tournament sponsored by the Legal Profession.

Our team of Michael Jin, Pin Chen & Cheng Zhu was placed third in the Junior Division.

Knox Tournament

We entered three teams in this tournament held on Sunday, 14th September at Knox College. A team consisting of Jacky Liu, Jim Liu & Martin Feng was placed 10th. Our other two teams were 39th & 46th. The team's fees were heavily subsidised by the Excellence Fund - thanks once again to Mr.Pinkey.

Spring One Day Tournament

This tournament was held during the vacation on 1st October. Wilson Petrushnko was placed equal 15th out of 218 competitors. Wilson's entry fee was subsidised by the School Excellence Fund - thanks again to Mr.Pinkey.

Normanhurst Invitation Tournament

We entered eight teams in this tournament held on Wednesday, 10th December with great success.

Mr. Hilliard, Mr. Sivasothy, Ms. Chan, Mr. Martin, Mr. Doolan and Mr. Evans enjoy the time that they spend with the Chess teams and are looking forward to the 2004 competition.

ca bye. The competition is played after school on Friday afternoons for seven weeks during second term. Regional and State Finals are played during Term 3

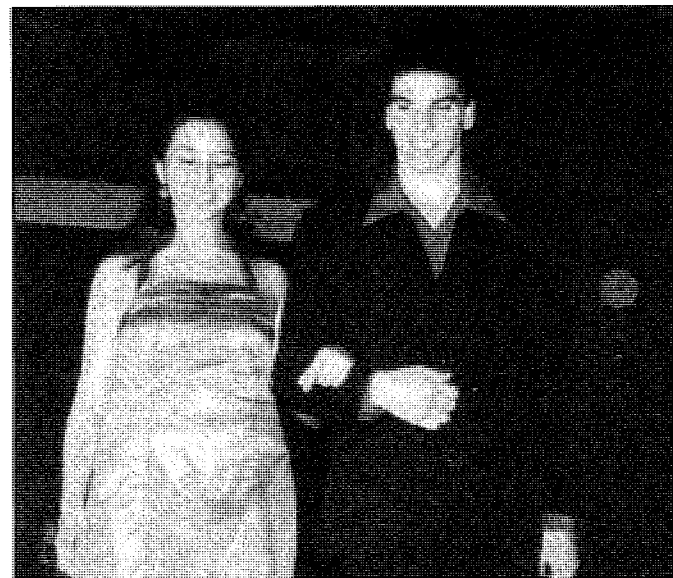
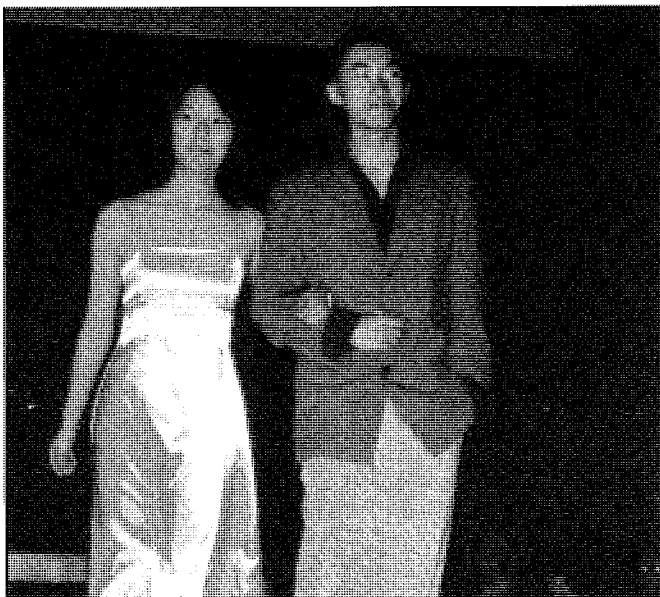
Burwood Fashion Parade



The Seniors acted as partners at the Burwood Girls' Fashion Parade



The Textile & Design students made their own outfits



Harry Karadimas looked the part

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STEP TO THE FUTURE



Students from Homebush Boys High School combined with six other high schools to organise a Youth Forum called "Step to the Future". The forum was designed to prepare and motivate today's students to be tomorrow's leaders.

The forum consisted of a number of leaders from a variety of fields outlining their own life experiences and giving their views on the qualities which make an effective leader. The keynote speakers were General Peter Cosgrove and Magistrate Dr Pat O'Shane. Media personalities Alan Jones, Chris Bath, Wendy Harmer and David Koch entertained, in



addition to emphasising the importance of hard work in preparing for opportunities as they arise.

Politicians Craig Knowles and Kerry Chikarovski added the value of working with people into the mix for success. Businessman Graham Bradley and Macquarie University's first woman Vice-Chancellor, Di Yerbury reinforced the importance of working towards short term goals in order to prepare for future opportunities. Paralympians Louise Sauvage and Ben Austin described how obstacles only served to motivate them to greater success.

Homebush, co-ordinator, Shiva Rathore, explained "Each of the prominent speakers donated their time to help the thousands of young people who attended the forum".

'BUSH' VERSUS THE 'BOKS'

The approaching Rugby World Cup provided a perfect opportunity for Homebush Boys' High School to experience international football when they played the visiting Namibia Schoolboys team, Windhe College.

In a top standard physical encounter the Namibian team quickly displayed the forward team work developed during their tour of New Zealand and Australia. The recycling of the ball put pressure on the Homebush defence until free running centre, Tim Winitana, teamed with fullback, Phillip Havea, to turn defence into attack with several incisive runs. Play see-sawed with Namibia scoring twice to take a 14-0 lead to the breaks.

The second half was just as tight with Namibia scoring late to secure their win. The match saw the conclusion of the Rugby commitments for many of the Homebush team who now face the rigours of the Higher School Certificate examinations.

Coach Andrew Mitchell said at the post match function "The game has given most of the boys their first taste of international Rugby and will be a fond memory of the boys' high school achievements".

Australia Day



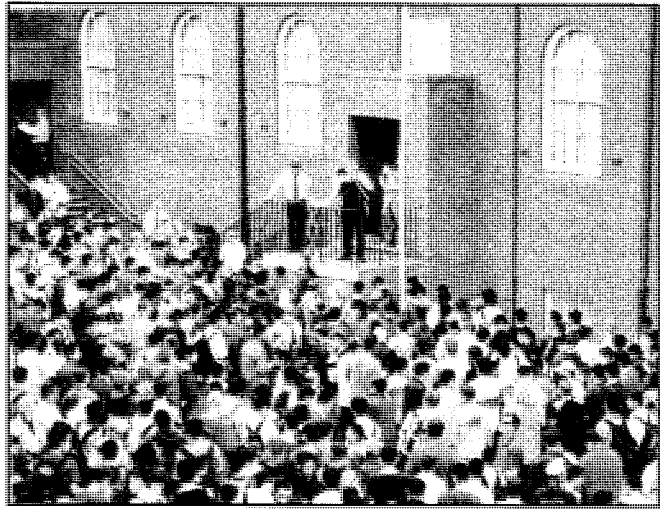
Young Australian of the Year - Lucky Shanmugan

Edward Parry



Australian Junior Ski Champion, Edward Parry, showing his style

Green and Gold Day



The school supported the World Cup Wallabies



Granville District Awards



The Homebush Award winners



Where did you get that hat?



Mr Hilliard with Granville District Office Representative, Pamela Woods



A funny hat for Melbourne Cup Day

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Principal Practises Life Long Learning

Homebush Boys' High School Principal Ian Paterson had an exciting start to term 2 when he attended the University of NSW to accept a Doctorate of Education degree. This Doctoral degree study followed earlier academic success by Dr. Paterson in his career which had included a Masters of Arts (Honours) and a Bachelor of Arts (Honours) mainly in the area of Geography from Sydney University.

The Doctoral thesis title was very relevant to the workplace challenges faced by high school administrators. The thesis title "An exploration of select variables which influence student achievement in the senior secondary school" examined the importance of gender, authenticity and selectivity in determining achievement of Year 11 students in a sample of single sex, co-educational and selective high schools.

Dr Paterson explained "The results of the thesis have been very useful for the development of strategies at Homebush Boys', especially in the area of study skills, as it is clear that in general terms boys need explicit assistance with homework and study skills". It is especially important in the senior school where long-term goals have to be set to achieve the major assessment standards. Boys need to have the research knowledge and study skills to organize their limited time and available resources. In addition, Dr Paterson found that the parental background factor was also very important in the success of senior students. As a result, Homebush Boys' is concentrating on greater communication with all parents.

The week was further enhanced for Dr Paterson when Homebush Boys' was announced as a successful recipient of a Commonwealth Government Boys' Education Lighthouse program grant. The grant will be used to strengthen the already impressive Literacy programs at the school and just as importantly enable "us to share ideas with other schools and colleagues", Dr Paterson added.

Peer Mediation

The Peer Mediation program is now in its second year and running strong!

Mediation is a process of resolving conflicts where the disputants sit down face to face and talk, uninterrupted, about the dispute. Two trained student mediators, who are totally neutral and do not take sides, lead the process. The mediators make sure the mediation session is helpful and fair to both disputants. They help develop mutual respect and clear communication between the two parties. Everything they hear in the session is kept confidential - NO TEACHERS INVOLVED. The types of conflicts dealt with include name-calling, rumours and friendship breakdowns.

Peer mediation was first started in 2001 with Phillip Havea, Mitchell Kerr, Kali Cama and Shridhar Kapodistrias as mediators. They set up the program, and ran it for 18 months, with Shridhar co-ordinating the group. They then helped train our 2003 mediators - Simon Lam, Wassi Haider, Tanveer Karamuzzaman, Saad Qudrat, George Siomos, and Ramy Yassa. The mediators have great communication and problem solving skills and are expert critical thinkers.

The Peer Mediation program has helped a lot of students resolve problems by talking it out. It is a very important part of our school welfare.

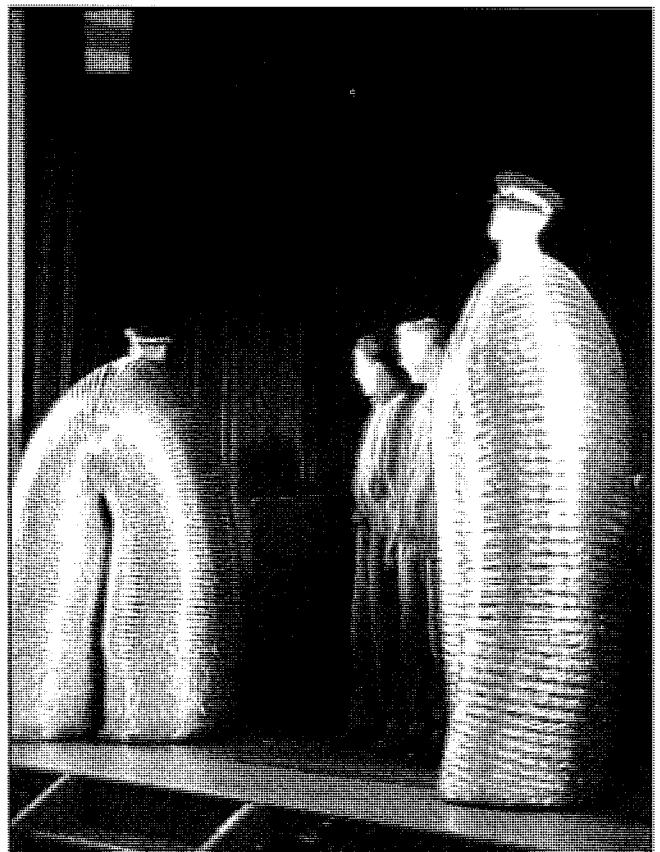
School Band



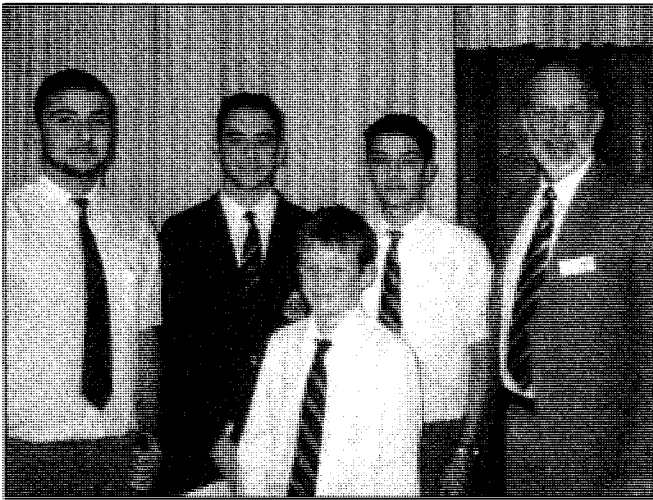
"Mates"



English Week provided students with excellent entertainment with a message. 'Mates' was one such play.



Peer Tutors



The Peer Tutors help other boys read during roll call



All Peer Tutors are TAFE accredited....

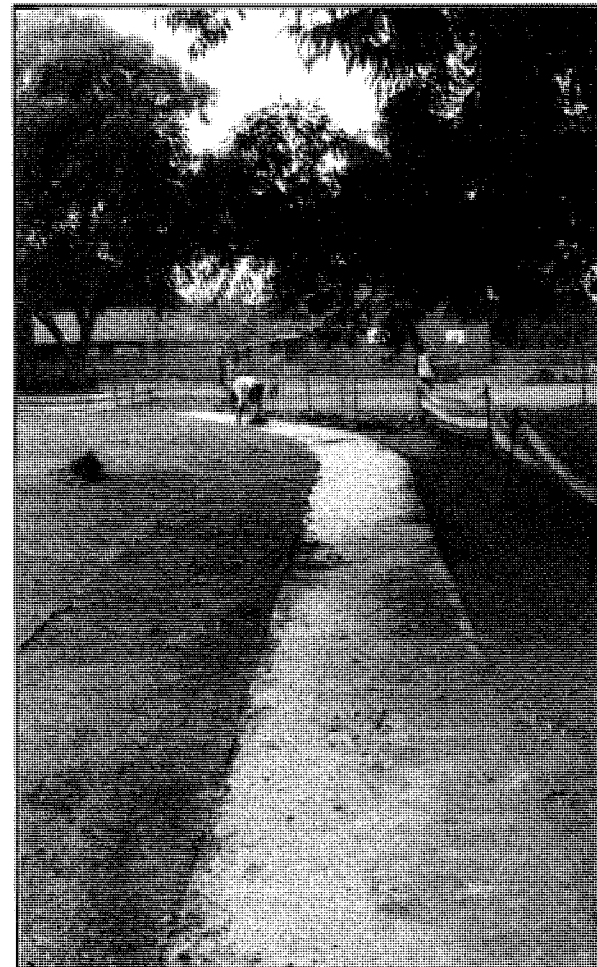
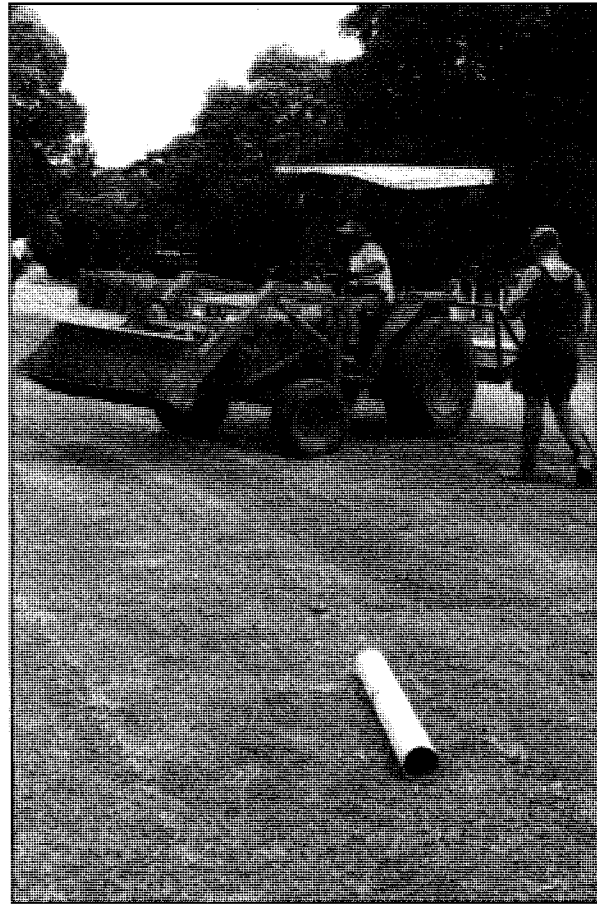


.... and get a free lunch

Western Grass

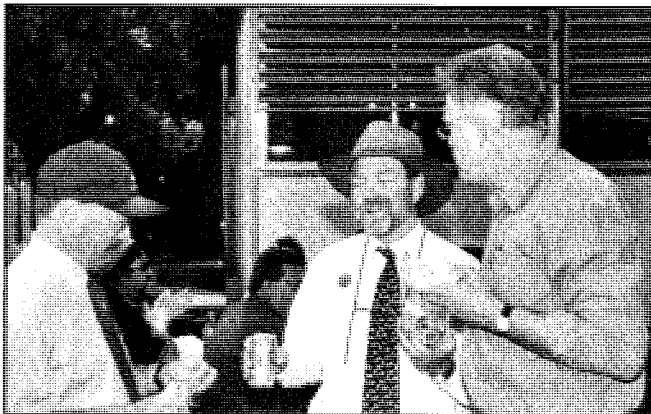


Dr Paterson co-ordinated the landscaping and re-turfing of the Western Grass area. We would like rain to keep it looking great!!



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Teachers' Day



P & C

The P & C are a very busy and much valued committee. They organised the Trivia Night which is a wonderful fundraiser for the school and the students.

Other P & C work has included the support of the catering for Citizenship ceremonies and Senior Citizen functions at Strathfield Council. Also within the school a gardening day is planned every early spring, late term 3 where the school environment is rejuvenated in time for the heavy usage in the summer season.

P & C Meetings are held every third Tuesday night of the month during term at the school common room and the agenda typically includes a report from the principal and P & C president, as well as special guest speakers who explain the latest happenings at the school and changes in the educational system generally. All parents and guardians are warmly welcomed.

SCHOOL DRUM CORPS

The Drum Corps has maintained its fine reputation this year, with several year 8 boys joining our ranks for the first time, as well as new flag bearers.

Term 1 saw intense preparation on Friday mornings and after school, and as Anzac Day approached our sense of anticipation and excitement grew. After an excursion to the city on the last day of term to familiarise ourselves with the proceedings for April the 25th, our first march was down Burwood Road, with police cars blocking off the streets so we could pass. This was quickly followed by the biggest event for the year, the Anzac Day march in the city. As we marched every one of us felt truly honoured to be part of this moving occasion. Supporting those who fought for us is definitely a fine feeling. We didn't even feel our drums weighing down on our shoulders we were so proud, motivated by the enormous crowd that cheered us on.

Being part of the Drum Corps is truly a rewarding experience. Yeah, you have to wear your uniform during holidays and on weekends, but it is worth it. It's not until you march that you realise how many people appreciate your hard work.

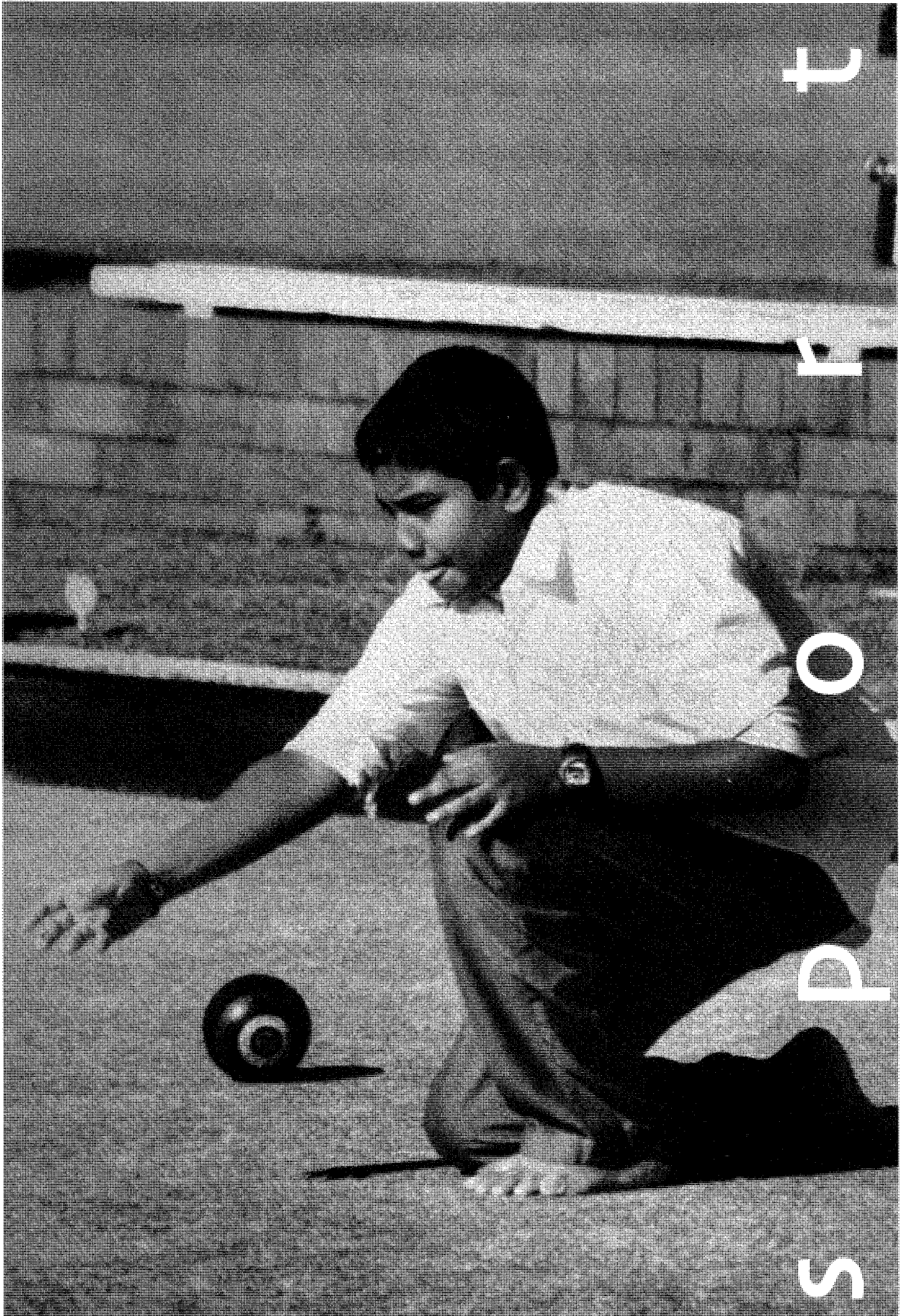
We also participated in the Reserve Forces Day march in the city in July, where we led the historical re-enactment party, complete with donkeys and horses from the medical corps! In August we took part in the Sandakan memorial service at Burwood, which commemorates the shameful slaughter of almost 2000 Australian prisoners of war by the Japanese in 1945 in Borneo.

Term 4 saw six 'rookies' having their first lessons, as well as our first excursion to Canberra to visit the Australian War Memorial. This day was a lot of fun and definitely worthwhile as it gave us a better understanding of why and who we are marching for.

Many people have helped make our Corps such a success. Ms Rayner our co-ordinator took over from our founder Mr Lucas and has sacrificed her time and done all in her power to maintain the great reputation he formed. Mr Halkidis also put in many hours as our now legendary bus driver. Old Boys Robert Hoyles and Dion Cushway played important leadership roles throughout the year and we are indebted to them for their support and commitment. Older boy Mr Hilliard has kindly suffered an office full of our drums and equipment on many occasions!

Finally, without the support of the burwood RSL Sub-Branch we would simply not exist.

We are looking forward to our first camp in 2004.



2003 School Swimming Carnival	4 C.Arvanitopoulos [Ha] 5 J.Tai [Ha]	4 K.Malek [G] 5 C.Imer [Ho]	200m Freestyle 1 D.Davoren [Ha] 2m31.82s 2 G.Luong [Ho] 3 S.Little [Ho] 4 M.D.Val [Ha] 5 R.King [V]
The 58th Annual Swimming Carnival was held on Friday, 21st February at Sydney International Aquatic Centre. Hayes was the victorious house with 786 points followed by Vaughan : 734 points Howe : 447 and Greening: 259 points.	200m Freestyle 1 B.Davoren [Ha] 2m25.20s 2 A.Little [Ho] 3 L.Gray [V] 4 J.Tai [Ha] 5 W.Nguyen [G]	200m Freestyle 1 L.Tauai [Ho] 2m25.03s 2 P.Wallace [V] 3 E.Parry [V]	50m Backstroke 1 S.Little [Ho], 39.59s 2 M.Lott [V] 3 D.Davoren [Ha] 4 G.Luong [Ho] 5 R.King [V]
Age Champions - Open: Ben Davoren 16 Years: Lyle Tauai 15 Years: Daniel Davoren 14 Years: Joshua Hilliard 13 Years: B.Green 12 Years: Jack Avery	100m Backstroke: 1 B.Davoren [Ha] 1m24.50s 2 A.Little [Ho] 3 J.Tai [Ha] 4 W.Nguyen [G]	100m Backstroke: 1 L.Tauai [Ho] 1m18.58s 2 P.Wallace [V] 3 E.Parry [V]	100m Backstroke 1 G.Luong [Ho] 1m30.18s 2 M.Lott [V] 3 S.Little [Ho] 4 D.Davoren [Ha] 5 R.King [V]
House Champions - Greening: W.Parker (170) Hayes: Jack Avery (120) Howe: Lyle Tauai (116) Vaughan: Joshua Hilliard (126).	100m Breaststroke: 1 A.Little [Ho] 1m29.58s 2 B.Davoren [Ha] 3 J.Tai [Ha] 4 J.Matthew-Stubbs 5 W.Nguyen [G]	100m Breaststroke: 1 L.Tauai [Ho] 1m27.72s 2 P.Wallace [Ho] 3 E.Parry [V] 4 H.Mehmet [V] 5 R.Akunyare [Ha]	50m Breaststroke: 1 G.Luong [Ho], 39.74s 2 S.Little [Ho] 3 M.Lott [V] 4 B.Churton [Ha] 5 D.Davoren [Ha]
Senior Age Championship - 1 B.Davoren (90 pts) 2 A.Little (66 pts) 3 J.Tai (pts) 4 L.Gray (18 pts); 5 J.Matthew-Stubbs (12 pts)	100m Butterfly: 1 B.Davoren [Ha] 1m17.56s 2 A.Little [Ho] 3 J.Tai [Ha]	100m Butterfly: 1 L.Tauai [Ho] 1m15.01s 2 E.Parry [V]; P.Wallace [V]	100m Breaststroke: 1 G.Luong [Ho] 1m31.65s 2 S.Little [Ho] 3 D.Davoren [Ha] 4 M.D.Val [Ha] 5 M.Lott [V]
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50m Freestyle: 1 B.Davoren [Ha] 29.51s 2 A.Little [Ho] 3 L.Gray [V] 4 H.Karadimas [V] 5 D.Thompson [Ha]	16 Years Age Championship - 1 P.Wallace (74 pts) 2 L.Tauai (70 pts) 3 E.Parry (48 pts) 4 K.Malek (8 pts) 5 C.Imer (2 pts)	15 Years Age Championship 1 D.Davoren & S.Little (88 pts) 3 G.Luong (81 pts) 4 M.Lott (58 pts) 5 R.King (29 pts)	50m Butterfly 1 D.Davoren [Ha] 37.37s 2 G.Luong [Ho] 3 S.Little [Ho]
100m Freestyle 1 B.Davoren [Ha] 1m04.54s 2 A.Little [Ho] 3 L.Gray [V]	House Age Champions - Greening: K.Malek Hayes: C.Imer Howe: L.Tauai Vaughan: P.Wallace	House Age Champions - Greening: B.Payne Hayes: D.Davoren & S.Little Howe: G.Luong Vaughan: M.Lott	100m Butterfly 1 D.Davoren [Ha] 1m41.71s 2 S.Little [Ho] 3 R.King [V]
	50m Freestyle: 1 P.Wallace [V], 28.15s 2 E.Parry [V] 3 L.Tauai [Ho] 4 K.Malek [G]	50m Freestyle: 1 S.Little [Ho], 30.25s 2 M.Lott [V] 3 D.Davoren [Ha] 4 G.Luong [Ho] 5 B.Churton [V]	Relay 4 X 50m: 1 Hayes, 2m17.66s 2 Vaughan 3 Greening 4 Howe
	100m Freestyle: 1 P.Wallace [V], 1m03.12s 2 E.Parry [V] 3 L.Tauai [Ho]	100m Freestyle: 1 D.Davoren [Ha] 1m09.79s 2 M.Lott [V] 3 S.Little [Ho] 4 G.Luong [Ho] 5 B.Churton [V]	14 Years Age Championship 1 J.Hilliard (126 pts) 2 M.Clark (106 pts) 3 P.Bijani (50 pts) 4 B.Field (20 pts) 5 A.Imer (18 pts)

House Age Champions: Greening: S. Everett Hayes: M. Clark Howe: A. Imer Vaughan: J. Hilliard	100m Butterfly: 1 J. Hilliard [V], 1m20.64s 2 P. Bijani [Ha]	50m Breaststroke: 1 J. Mansfield [V], 46.25s 2 B. Green [V] 3 A. Brimfield [V] 4 E. Mehmet [V] 5 C. Parkee [G]	200m Freestyle: 1 J. Avery [Ha], 2m42.57s 2 S. Tuite [Ho] 3 N. Avassi [V] 4 K. Sozen [Ho]
50m Freestyle: 1 J. Hilliard [V], 20.29s 2 M. Clark [Ha] 3 P. Bijani [Ha] 4 B. Field [V] 5 D. Paynter [V]	Relay 4 X 50m: 1 Vaughan, 2m24.78s 2 Hayes 3 Greening 4 Howe	100m Breaststroke: 1 A. Brimfield [V], 1m51.52s 2 E. Mehmet [V] 3 S. Jackson [Ha] 4 J. Lott [V] 5 M. Starc [Ho]	50m Backstroke: 1 N. Avassi [V], 42.36s 2 J. Avery [Ha] 3 C. Watkinson [Ho] 4 N. Siomos [G] 5 K. Sozen [Ho]
100m Freestyle: 1 J. Hilliard, 1m04.46s 2 M. Clark [Ha] 3 P. Bijani [Ha] 4 A. Imer [Ho] 5 S. Everett [G]	13 Years Age Championship: 1 B. Green (73 pts) 2 W. Parker (70 pts) 3 O. Danylak (68 pts) 4 S. Jackson (42 pts) 5 J. Mansfield (40 pts)	50m Butterfly: 1 W. Parker [G], 44.32s 2 B. Green [V] 3 J. Smedley [Ho] 4 J. Mansfield [V] 5 M. DiVal [Ha]	100m Backstroke: 1 N. Avassi, [V], 1m34.66s 2 J. Avery [Ha] 3 C. Watkinson [Ho] 4 N. Siomos [G] 5 K. Sozen [Ho]
200m Freestyle: 1 J. Hillard [V], 2m19.97s 2 M. Clark [Ha] 3 P. Bijani [Ha] 4 B. Field [V] 5 S. Everett [G]	House Age Champions: Greening: W. Parker Hayes: O. Danylak Howe: J. Smedley Vaughan: B. Green	100m Butterfly: 1 W. Parker [G], 1m53.27s 2 B. Green [V] 3 K. Tarpis [G] 4 M. Starc [Ho]	50m Breaststroke: 1 J. Avery [Ha], 46.25s 2 S. Kaan [Ho] 3 N. Avassi [V] 4 C. Watkinson [Ho] 5 N. Siomos [G]
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100m Backstroke: 1 M. Clark [Ha], 1m17.16s 2 J. Hillard [V] 3 D. Schirke [G] 4 A. Imer [Ha] 5 D. Edgton [Ha]	100m Freestyle: 1 O. Danylak [Ha], 1m20.82s 2 W. Parker [G] 3 B. Green [V] 4 J. Mansfield [V] 5 S. Jackson [Ha]	12 Years Age Championship: 1 J. Avery (120 pts) 2 N. Avassi (108 pts) 3 S. Tuite (34 pts) 4 C. Watkinson (30 pts) 5 N. Siomos (25 pts).	50m Butterfly: 1 N. Avassi [V], 39.84s 2 J. Avery [Ha] 3 R. McCrea [G] 4 S. Tuite [Ho] 5 N. Siomos [G]
50m Breaststroke: 1 M. Clark [Ha], 38.54s 2 J. Hillard [V] 3 P. Bijani [Ha] 4 S. Kwak [G] 5 A. Imer [Ho]	200m Freestyle: 1 W. Parker [G], 3m08.75s 2 J. Mansfield [V] 3 B. Green [V] 4 O. Danylak [Ha] 5 S. Jackson [Ha]	House Age Champions: Greening: N. Siomos Hayes: J. Avery Howe: C. Watkinson Vaughan: N. Ivassi	100m Butterfly: 1 N. Avassi [V], 1m35.78s 2 J. Avery [Ha] 3 S. Tuite [Ho] 4 N. Siomos [G]
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Zone Swimming Carnival

The Zone Swimming Carnival was held at Sydney International Aquatic Centre on Thursday, 13th March. Homebush was the Champion School for the first time in many years.

Regional Swimming Carnival

The Sydney North Regional Swimming Carnival was held at Sydney International Aquatic Centre on Tuesday, 18th March.

Following their efforts at the Zone Carnival, Jack Avery, Nick Ivassi, Ryan McCrea, Sean Tuite, Kaan Sozen, Ben Green, Michael Clark, Joshua Hilliard, Edward Parry, Lyle Taualai, Pascal Wallace, Karl Malek and Ben Davoren were selected to represent the Zone.

In an outstanding effort the 16 Years Relay team of Edward Parry, Lyle Taualai, Pascal Wallace and Karl Malek was placed 1st with a time of 1:50.50. The 12 Years Relay team of Jack Avery, Nick Ivassi, Ryan McCrea placed 3rd in 2:23.00.

In 12 Years events, Jack Avery was placed 1st in 50 m Freestyle in 31.53 sec, 3rd in 100 m Freestyle in 2:44.00 and 3rd in 200 m Freestyle in 2:44.00.

In 16 Years events Pascal Wallace was 3rd in 50 m Freestyle in 27.06 s and 6th in 100 m Freestyle in 1:01.10

Combined High Schools Swimming Championships

The CHS Swimming Championships were held at Sydney International Aquatic Centre from Thursday, 3rd to Saturday, 5th April. Pascal Wallace and Jack Avery as well as the 16 Years and 12 Years Relay teams were selected to represent the Region.

Jack Avery's results in his events were:

50 metre freestyle: 4th place, 31.69s.

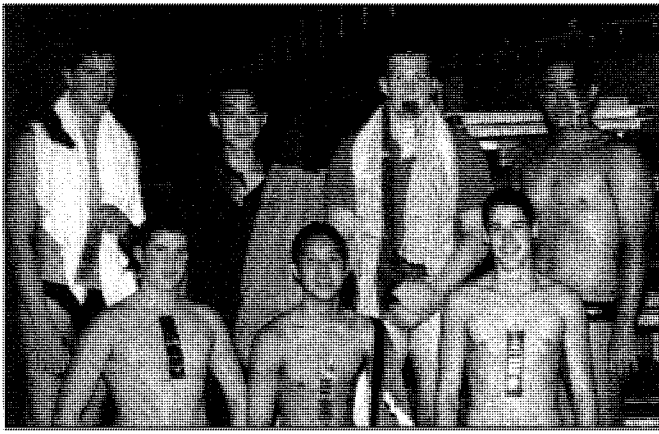
100 metre freestyle: 16th place, 2:42.00.

200 metre freestyle: 1:12.00.

Our 16 Years Relay team of Edward Parry, Lyle Taualai, Pascal Wallace and Karl Malek recorded 1:55 in their heat. They were placed 7th in the final with a time of 1:57.

Our 12 Years Relay team of Jack Avery, Nick Ivassi, Ryan McCrea recorded 2:17 in their heat. They were placed 4th in the final with a time of 2:20.





Do you need a ribbon or a chest to pin it on?



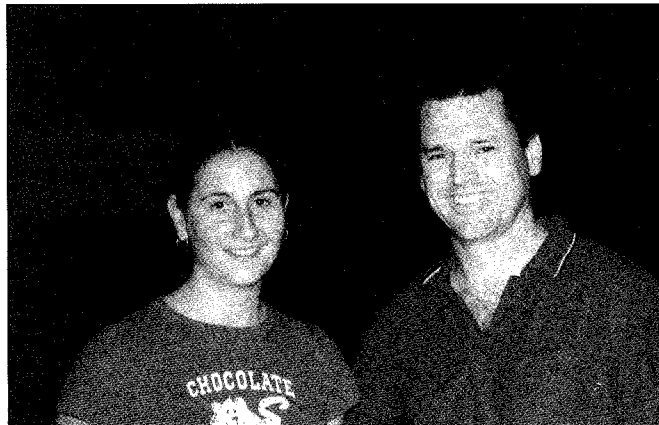
Happy seniors



The school team won the Metropolitan North West Zone Swimming Carnival



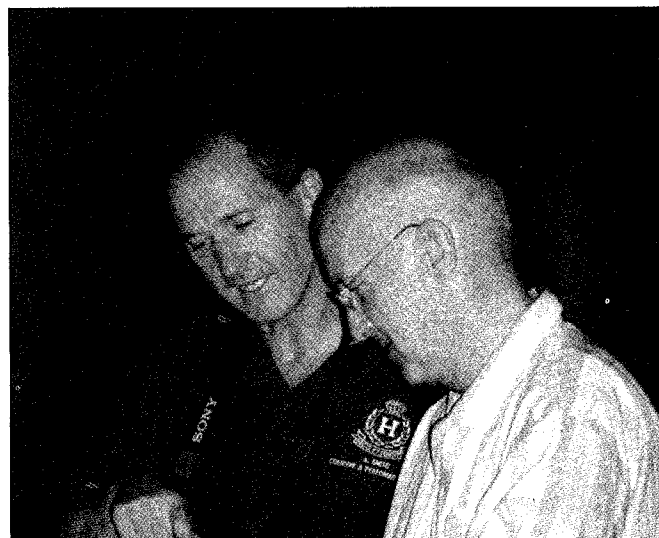
The staff Relay Team



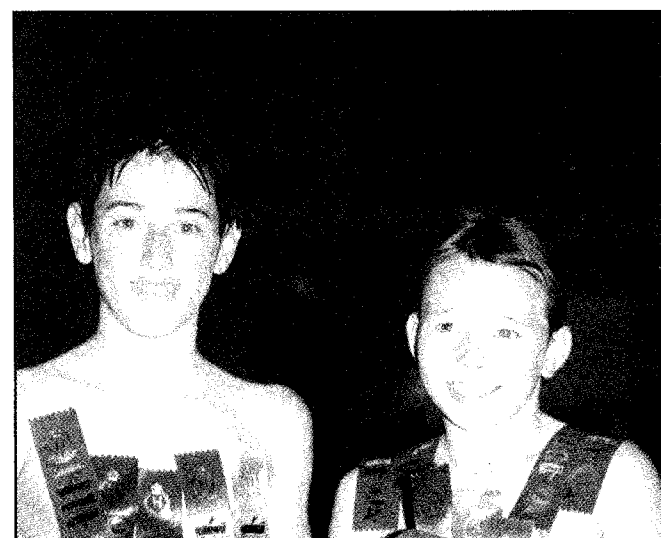
Mr Lucas and Ms Tauber enjoying the day



Nick, Oliver Steven and Orest show off their ribbons



Mr Smith and Mr Evans check out their photos!



Winners are grinners!

Sport swimming carnival

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL

The 61st Annual Athletics Carnival was held on Friday, 9th May at Sydney International Athletic Track.

Howe was the victorious house with 986 points followed by Greening 863, Vaughan 831 and Hayes on 700 points.

In 13 Years events Shaun Treweek broke the Long Jump school record with a leap of 4.92m breaking the record held by Jason Tran of 4.90m, set in 2002. He also broke the High Jump record with a leap of 1.55m breaking the record held by Beau Nellor of 1.52m set in 1986.

In 14 Years events Brendan Costa broke the 200 metres record with a time of 24.90s breaking the record set by Peter Poulet of 25.00s in 1974. Jamie Sherson broke the 1500 metres record with a time of 4 min 53.16s breaking the record of 5 min 04.80s set in 1987 by N Williamson.

Age Champions:

- Open:** Phillip Havea
- 16 Years:** Karl Malek
- 15 Years:** Ryan King
- 14 Years:** Jason Tran
- 13 Years:** Shaun Treweek
- 12 Years:** Noah Essaghir

House Champions

- Hayes:** Qasin Mohamud (78)
- Howe:** Preston Shehadie (77)
- Greening:** Jason Tran (97)
- Vaughan:** Shaun Treweek (112)

Open

Age Championship

- 1 Phillip Havea (101 points);
- 2 Q.Mohamud (78 pts)

House Age Champions

- Hayes:** Q.Mohamud;
- Howe:** Peraseelan Punniyamoorthy
- Greening:** Jiabin Gong
- Vaughan:** Phillip Havea

100 m:

- 1 P.Punniyamoorthy [Ho], 11.62s
- 2 P.Havea [V];
- 3 J.Gong [G]
- 4 M.Simsek [Ha]
- 5 A.Ji [Ho]

200 m:

- 1 P.Havea [V], 24.60s
- 2 P.Punniyamoorthy [Ho]
- 3 A.Ji [Ho]
- 4 P.Antunes [Ha]
- 5 J.Tai [Ha]

400 m:

- 1 T.Bates [Ha], 1m05.50s
- 2 S.Rajayogan [G]
- 3 R.Shanmugan [Ho]
- 4 T.Jacob [Ha]
- 5 B.Kim [V]

800 m:

- 1 Q.Mohamud [Ha], 2m14.72s
- 2 L.Gray [V]
- 3 T.Bates [Ha]
- 4 R.Shanmugan [Ha]
- 5 J.Tai [Ha]

1500 m:

- 1 T.Bates [Ha], 5m09.22s
- 2 A.Ji [Ho]
- 3 S.Rajayogan [G]
- 4 J.Tai [Ha]

110 m Hurdles:

- 1 P.Havea, 16.72
- 2 J.Gong [G]
- 3 M.Simsek [Ha]
- 4 R.Shanmugan [Ho]
- 5 K.Jiang [V]

High Jump:

- 1 Q.Mohamud [Ha], 1.65m
- 2 P.Havea [V]
- 3 S.Ly [V]
- 4 A.Ji [Ho]
- 5 J.Lim [Ho]

Long Jump:

- 1 P.Havea [V], 5.62m
- 2 J.Gong [G]
- 3 Q.Mohamud [Ha]
- 4 B.Kim [Ha]
- 5 M.Simsek [V]

Triple Jump:

- 1 Q.Mohamud [Ha], 11.50m
- 2 J.Gong [G]
- 3 P.Havea [V]
- 4 R.Shanmugan [Ho]
- 5 J.Tai [Ha]

Discus:

- 1 H.Karadimas [V], 37.35m
- 2 D.Mapapalangi [Ha]
- 3 P.Havea [V]
- 4 A.Solaese [Ho]
- 5 A.Kim [V]

Javelin:

- 1 M.Singh [G], 43.30m
- 2 H.Karadimas [V]
- 3 P.Havea [V];
- 4 D.Craig [Ho]
- 5 J.Gong [G]

Shot Put:

- 1 D.Mapapalangi [Ha], 14.04m
- 2 H.Karadimas [V]
- 3 P.Havea [V]
- 4 A.Kim [V]
- 5 D.Lee [G]

4 X 100m Relay:

- 1 Hayes, 49.30s
- 2 Vaughan
- 3 Howe
- 4 Greening

16 Years

Age Championship

- 1 K.Malek (79 points)
- 2 Pascal Wallace (67 pts)

House Age Champions

Hayes: T.Butler

Howe: J.Alim

Greening: K.Malek

Vaughan: P.Wallace

100 m:

- 1 T.Butler [Ha], 12.03s
- 2 K.Malek [G]
- 3 M.Gunaratnam [Ha]
- 4 H.Mehmet [V]
- 5 D.Evans [G]

200 m:

- 1 T.Butler [Ha], 24.65s
- 2 M.Gunaratnam [Ha]
- 3 K.Malek [G]
- 4 H.Mehmet [V]
- 5 S.Chan [G]

400 m:

- 1 P.Wallace [Ho], 1m01.84
- 2 K.Malek [G]
- 3 G.Liu [G]
- 4
- 5 H.Mehmet [V]

800 m:

- 1 J.Martin [V], 2m25.97
- 2 M.Gunaratnam [Ha]
- 3 S.Watson [G]
- 4 P.Wallace [V]
- 5 N.Alameddine [Ho]

1500 m:

- 1 J.Martin [V], 6m37.53s
- 2 P.Wallace [V]

110 m Hurdles:

- 1 T.Butler [Ha], 18.48s
- 2 K.Malek [G]
- 3 P.Wallace [V]
- 4 M.Gunaratnam [Ha]
- 5 H.Mehmet [V]

High Jump:

- 1 K.Malek [G], 1.55m
- 2 S.Watson [G];
- 3 S.Amlan [V];
- 4 P.Wallace [V]
- 5 A.Mullane [Ho]

Long Jump:

- 1 T.Butler [Ha], 6.00m
- 2 K.Malek [G]
- 3 P.Wallace [V]
- 4 D.Evans [G]
- 5 S.Watson [G]

Triple Jump:

- 1 P.Wallace [V], 9.86m
- 2 K.Malek [G]
- 3 H.Mehmet [V]
- 4 A.Omar [Ha]
- 5 L.Taulai [Ho]

Discus:

- 1 J.Alim [Ho], 25.11m
- 2 L.Tauulai [Ho]
- 3 W.Haider [Ho]
- 4 P.Latu [V]
- 5 S.Watson [G]

Javelin:

- 1 S.Watson [G], 37.46m
- 2 J.Alim [Ho]
- 3 A.Morgan [G]
- 4 A.Omar [Ha]
- 5 H.Albatat [Ha]

Shot Put:

- 1 J.Alim [Ho], 10.76m
- 2 P.Latu [V]
- 3 K.Malek [G]
- 4 H.Nguyen [G]
- 5 L.Taulai [Ho]

4 X 100 m Relay:

- 1 Vaughan, 51.84s
- 2 Hayes
- 3 Greening
- 4 Howe

15 Years

Age Championship

- 1 R.King (73 points)
- 2 M.Dagiantis (72 pts)

House Age Champions

Hayes: A.Alim

Howe: S.Speirs

Greening: M.Dagiantis

Vaughan: R.King

100 m:

- 1 R.Park [V], 12.12s
- 2 M.Dagiantis [G]
- 3 J.Hua [Ha]
- 4 G.Manogharan [V]
- 5 J.Vermiglio [G]

200 m:

- 1 M.Dagiantis [G], 25.00s
- 2 R.Park [Ho]
- 3 J.Vermiglio [G]
- 4 G.Manogharan [V]
- 5 J.Hua [Ha]

400 m:
 1 G.Manoharan [V],
 1m05.58s
 2 R.King [V]
 3 J.Hua [Ha]
 4 S.Speirs [Ho]
 5 M.Dagiantis [G]

800 m:
 1 S.Speirs [Ho], 2m24.56s
 2 G.Manoharan [V]
 3 M.Dagiantis [G]
 4 D.Craig [G]
 5 E.Lee [V]

1500 m:
 1 S.Speirs [Ho], 5m12.20s
 2 M.Small [Ho]
 3 D.Fischbeck [G]
 4 R.King [V]
 5 A.Dunn [Ha]

100 m Hurdles:
 1 M.Dagiantis [G], 18.61s
 2 R.King [V]
 3 R.Syeed [Ho]
 4 R.Park [Ho]
 5 D.Craig [G]

High Jump:
 1 R.King [G], 1.53m
 2 M.Dagiantis [G]
 3 S.Speirs [Ho]
 4 M.Mossman [V]

Long Jump:
 1 R.Syeed [Ho], 5.17m
 2 M.Dagiantis [G]
 3 R.King [V]
 4 J.Vermiglio [G]
 5 R.Park [Ho]

Triple Jump:
 1 J.Tran [G], 11.25m
 2 R.King [V]
 3 P.Shehadie [Ho]
 4 M.Dagiantis [G]
 5 D.Craig [G]

Discus:
 1 J.Vermiglio [G], 31.00m
 2 R.King [V]
 3 A.Alim [Ha]
 4 B.Churton [V]
 5 C.West [V]

Javelin:
 1 B.Churton [V], 33.25m
 2 A.Alim [Ha]
 3 L.Moore [V]
 4 S.Jackson [Ha]
 5 M.Dagiantis [G]

Shotput:
 1 J.Vermiglio [G], 12.07m
 2 A.Alim [Ha]
 3 R.King [V]
 4 M.Lott [V]
 5 F.Sezgin [G]

4 X 100 m relay:
 1 Greening, 51.30s
 2 Vaughan
 3 Howe
 4 Hayes

**14 Years
 Age Championship**
 1 J.Tran (97 points)
 2 P.Shehadie (77 pts)

House Age Champions
Hayes: B.Costa
Howe: P.Shehadie
Greening: J.Tran
Vaughan: J.Hilliard

100 m:
 1 B.Costa [Ha], 12.35s
 2 J.Tran [G]
 3 P.Shehadie [Ho]
 4 B.Payne [G]
 5 N.Zheng [Ho]

200 m:
 1 B.Costa [Ha], 24.90s
 2 J.Sherson [G]
 3 P.Shehadie [Ho]
 4 J.Sekhon [Ho]
 5 J.Tran [G]

400 m:
 1 B.Costa [Ha], 1m00.08s
 2 J.Sherson [G]
 3 A.Imer [Ho]
 4 J.Shute [Ho]
 5 J.Tran [G]

800 m:
 1 J.Sherson, [G], 2m22.75s
 2 A.Imer [Ho]
 3 J.Hilliard [V]
 4 N.Zheng [Ho]
 5 J.Tran [G]

1500 m:
 1 J.Sherson [G], 4m53.16s
 2 J.Hilliard [V]
 3 J.Tran [G]
 4 H.Yan [Ho]
 5 D.Healy [G]

100 m Hurdles:
 1 P.Shehadie [Ho], 18.75s
 2 B.Payne [G]
 3 G.Tamang [Ho]
 4 R.Kang [Ho]
 5 J.Sekhon [Ho]

High Jump:
 1 J.Tran [G], 1.50m
 2 J.Sherson [G]
 3 P.Shehadie [Ho]

Long Jump:
 1 A.Imer [Ho], 5.16m
 2 J.Tran [G]
 3 G.Thamang [Ho]

4 R.Kang [V]
 5 M.Stone [Ho]

Discus:
 1 P.Shehadie [Ho], 29.89m
 2 J.Tran [G]
 3 B.Costa [Ha]
 4 J.Hilliard [V]
 5 P.Sran [Ha]

Javelin:
 1 W.Poliopoulos [G],
 21.64m
 2 S.Musumeci [G]
 3 M.Stone [Ho]
 4 R.Kang [Ho]
 5 E.James [V]

Shotput:
 1 P.Shehadie [Ho], 11.44m
 2 N.Trantis [Ho]
 3 B.Costa [Ha]
 4 D.Kim [Ho]
 5 P.Bijjani [Ha]

4 X 100 m Relay:
 1 Howe, 56.65
 2 Hayes
 3 Greening
 4 Vaughan

**13 Years
 Age Championship**
 1 S.Treweek (112 points)
 2 J.Shute (46 pts)

House Age Champions
Hayes: E.Bates
Howe: J.Shute
Greening: R.Moubayed
Vaughan: S.Treweek.

100 m:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 13.29s
 2 J.Shute [Ho]
 3 M.Modasser [Ha]
 4 R.Cheung [Ha]
 5 I.Seo [Ho]

200 m:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 27.65s
 2 J.Shute [Ho]
 3 M.Modasser [Ha]
 4 E.Bates [Ha]
 5 S.Cheng [Ha]

800 m:
 1 J.Shute [Ho], 2m44.00s
 2 S.Tonkin [Ho]
 3 H.Shkara [G]
 4 O.Danylak [Ha]
 5 R.Huang [V]

90 m Hurdles:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 15.73s
 2 R.Akunyare [Ha]
 3 S.Tonkin [Ho]
 4 M.Modasser [Ho]
 5 E.Bates [Ha]

High Jump:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 1.55 m
 2 J.Smedley [Ho]
 3 S.Tonkin [Ho]
 4 H.Shkarah [G]
 5 J.Shute [Ho]

Long Jump:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 4.92 m
 2 M.Modasser [Ho]
 3 J.Shute [Ho]
 4 S.Babb [Ho]
 5 J.Smedley [Ho]

Discus:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 27.93 m
 2 S.Babb [Ho]
 3 T.Marino [V]
 4 J.Shute [Ho]
 5 M.Modasser [Ho]

Javelin:
 1 S.Babb [Ho], 23.39 m
 2 B.Green [V]
 3 J.Shute [Ho]
 4 O.Dayiak [Ha]
 5 D.Fischbeck [G]

Shot Put:
 1 S.Treweek [V], 10.93 m
 2 M.Awan [Ha]
 3 M.Modasser [Ho]
 4 J.Fraser [Ha]
 5 M.Pluis [Ho]

4 X 100 m Relay:
 1 Howe, 1m00.79s
 2 Greening
 3 Hayes
 4 Vaughan

**12 Years
 Age Championship**
 1 N.Essaghir (46 points)
 2 N.Massey (41 pts)

House Age Champions
Hayes: N.Essaghir
Howe: K.Sozen
Greening: N.Massey
Vaughan: D.Karunanithy

100 m:
 1 N.Massey [G], 14.25s
 2 D.Karunanithy [V]
 3 K.Sozen [Ho]
 4 N.Essaghir [Ha]

200 m:
 1 N.Massey [G], 32.80s
 2 K.Sozen [Ho]
 3 B.Arumugaiyer [Ha]
 4 H.Ni [V]
 5 G.Speranza [Ho]

800 m:
 1 H.Meslemani [G],
 2m46.94s
 2 J.Avery [Ha]
 3 G.Speranza [Ha]

60 m Hurdles:
 1 N.Essagher [Ha], 16.5s
 2 D.Karunanithy [V]
 3 P.Kim [Ho]
 4 N.Massey [G]
 5 A.Murcu [G]

High Jump:
 1 K.Sozen [Ho], 1.25 m
 2 D.Karunanithy [V]
 3 J.Avery [Ha]
 4 N.Essagher [Ha]

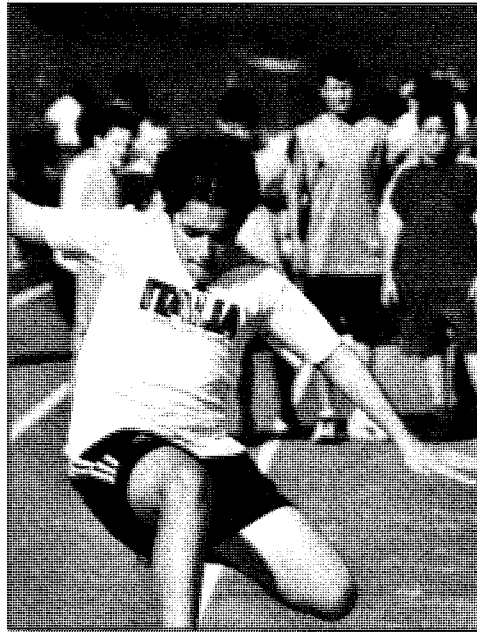
Long Jump:
 1 P.Kim [Ho], 3.99 m
 2 N.Essagher [Ha]
 3 H.Aung [V]
 4 J.Avery [Ha]
 5 A.Murcu [G]

Discus:
 1 C.Watkinson [Ho], 18.54 m
 2 V.Rojich [G]
 3 J.Shehadie [Ho]
 4 N.Ivassi [Ho]
 5 N.Massey [G]

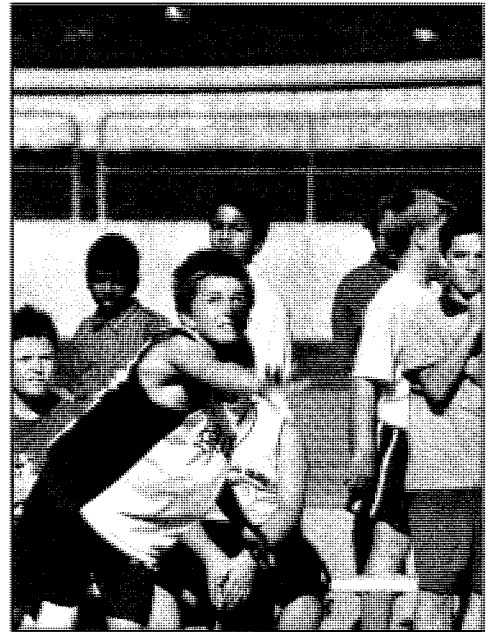
Javelin:
 1 V.Rojich [G], 16.99 m
 2 N.Essagher [Ha]
 3 I.Hati [V]
 4 N.Ivassi [Ho]
 5 E.Elayoubi [V]

Shot Put:
 1 J.Shehadie [Ho], 8.78 m
 2 C.Watkinson [Ho]
 3 T.Tu [Ho]
 4 A.Hazelbrook [V]
 5 S.Tuita [Ho]

4 X 100 m Relay:
 1 Greening, 1m04.66s
 2 Howe
 3 Vaughan
 4 Hayes



Antonio Speranza



Teddy Bates



Andrew Little and friend



Peter Bijani works hard to beat his opponent



Mr Brawn



Ms Lacek



Junji is in everything



Made it



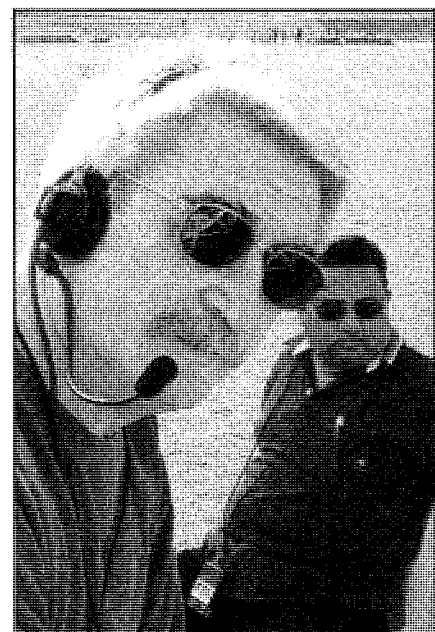
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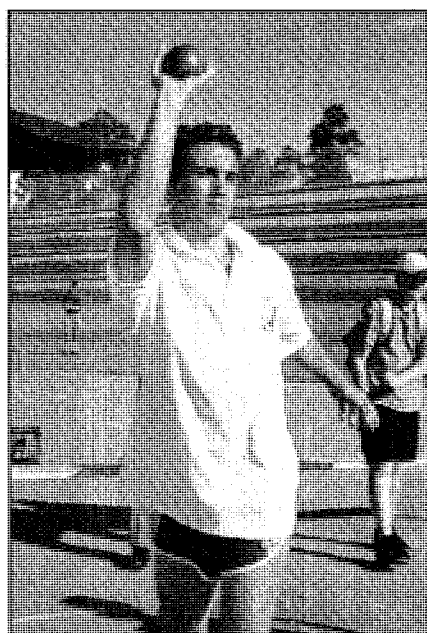
Qasin Mohamud



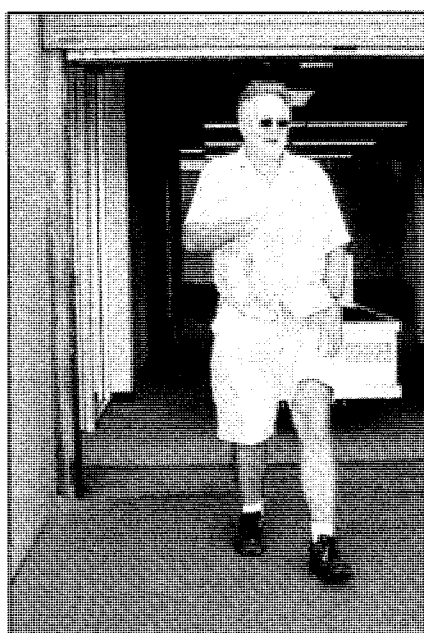
Get set!



Mr Francis and Mr Pathan



Preston Shehadie



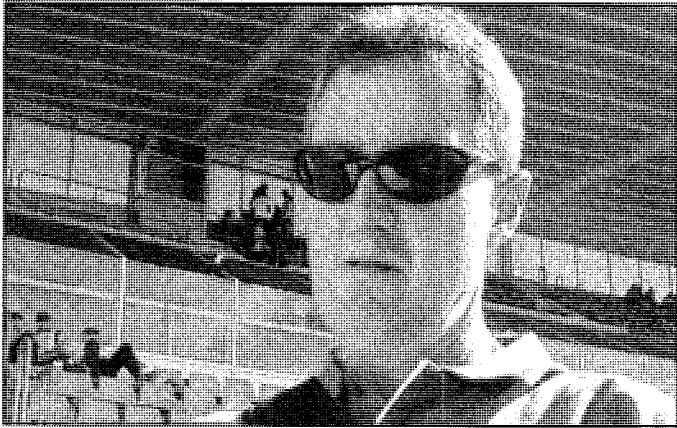
Mr Everett



Watch this!

Sport athletics carnival

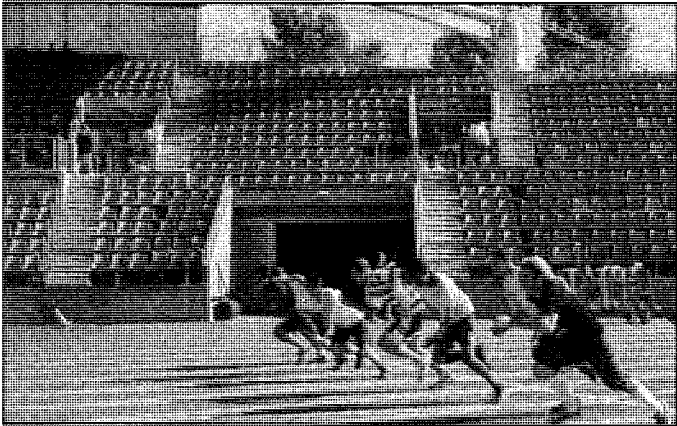
Sport athletics carnival



Mr Tedford



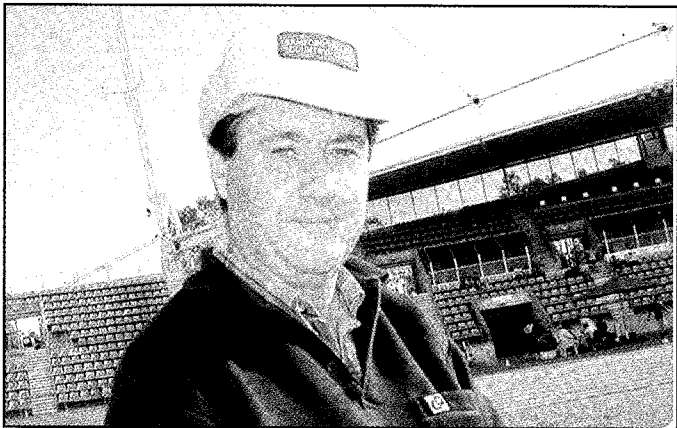
Ms Tauber and Mr Gavathas



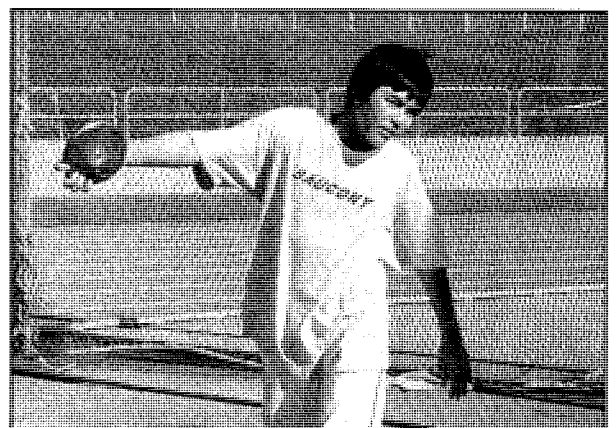
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Ribbon writer



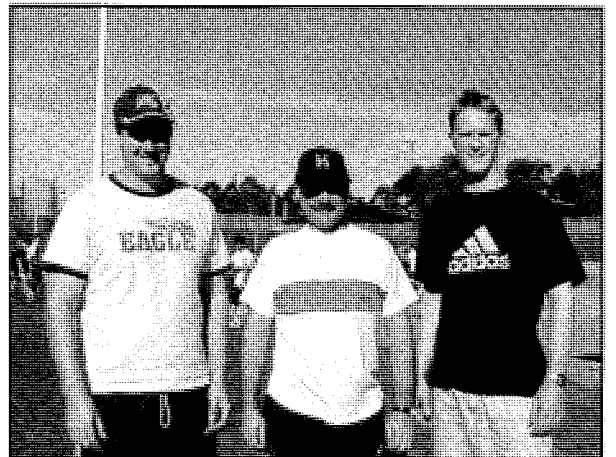
Mr Coskerie



Song Mann Babb



Mr Mitchell



The under 60's category had a few runners.

**CROSS COUNTRY
2003**

**School Cross Country
Championships**

The Annual Cross Country Carnival was held on Thursday 1st May

18+ Years

- 1 David Richardson (G)
- 2 Shayanthan Rajayogan (G)
- 3 Junji Tai (Ho)
- 4 Kevin Wong (Ho)
- 5 Martin Peng (Ho)

17 Years

- 1 Qaen Mohamud (Ho)
- 2 Tim Bates (Ho)
- 3 Lindsay Gray (V)
- 4 Ravi Shanmugan (Ho)
- 5 Haseen Tred (Ho)
- 6 Rony Phung (Ho)
- 7 Anshul Prasad (Ho)
- 8 Rahul Chandra (Ho)
- 9 James Matthew Stuba

16 Years

- 1 Pascal Wallace (V)
- 2 Andrew Pagar (Ho)
- 3 Jesse Martin (V) Carl Omar
- 4 Yan-Kane Kasamatsu (Ho)
- 5 Peter Karakostas (V)
- 6 Mark Li (Ho)
- 7 James McInyre (V)
- 8 Max Mason (Ho)
- 9 Vivasan Janathayagam (Ho)
- 10 Tim Butler (Ho)
- 11 Gazi Imer (Ho)
- 12 Isaac Kapodestrias (Ho)
- 13 Hall Mahesh (V)
- 14 Stefan Gurdian (Ho)
- 15 Adam Agar (Ho)
- 16 Ali Moini (G)
- 17 Karl Meek (G)
- 18 Sam Chan (G)
- 19 Deronson Thangavel (V)
- 20 Ushman Barthaman (Ho)
- 21 Jans Jegathesan (G)

15 Years

- 1 Stephen Saens (Ho)
- 2 Gow Manoharan (V)
- 3 Timothy Clark (Ho)
- 4 Mr. Gunaratnam (Ho)
- 5 Bronson Churno (V)
- 6 Mousa Saied (V)
- 7 Sean Little (V)

- 8 Chris Moulden (Ho)
- 9 Matthew Loh (V)
- 10 Jack Atkins (Ho)
- 11 Cameron West (V)
- 12 Jeremy Chong (Ho)
- 13 Keith Thevanathan (Ho)
- 14 Sasiketan Anantharaman (Ho)
- 15 Alex Dunn (Ho)
- 16 Hamid Fazi (Ho)
- 17 Hayri Dogancl (Ho)
- 18 Pava Pava (G)
- 19 Liam Webster (G)
- 20 Shehad Azmi (Ho)
- 21 Wally Jones (V)
- 22 Morgan Haverfield Price (G)
- 23 Daniel Kostadimoski (G)
- 24 Ryan King (V)
- 25 Jason Tran (G)

14 Years

- 1 Jamie Sherson
- 2 Preston Shehadie (Ho)
- 3 Josh Hilliard (V)
- 4 Jason Tran (G)
- 5 David Fai (Ho)
- 6 Andy Liu (V)
- 7 Dylan Hoay (G)
- 8 Chris Pooley (Ho)
- 9 Peter Brijani (Ho)
- 10 Michael Clark (Ho)
- 11 Sam Muzumeci (G)
- 12 Lucas Dunchkovic (Ho)
- 13 Beau Payne (G)
- 14 Jananan Jeyaratham (V)
- 15 Adam Aloys (G)
- 16 Esol Rudy (G)
- 17 William Xie (Ho)
- 18 John McIntyre (G)
- 19 Robert Kang (Ho)
- 20 Andrew Nowayen (G)
- 21 Omar Yousof (G)
- 22 Jaahan Saichee (Ho)
- 23 Kamel Sevg (G)
- 24 John Vaitan (Ho)
- 25 Nathan Gregson (Ho)

13 Years

- 1 Scott Tonkin (Ho)
- 2 James Smith (Ho)
- 3 Eric McLeod (V)
- 4 Owen Grayson (Ho)
- 5 Hayden Swain (G)
- 6 William Parker (G)
- 7 Partha Sarkar (Ho)
- 8 Jasal Wala (Ho)
- 9 Edward Baber (V)
- 10 Scott Gray (V)
- 11 Richardo Zhu (Ho)
- 12 Ron Green (V)
- 13 Noel Von Dierke (G)
- 14 Aaron Clement (Ho)
- 15 Charlie Grey (V)
- 16 James Smalley (Ho)
- 17 Henry Gu (V)
- 18 Eliseo Fernandez-Bates (V)

- 19 Sam Tai (Ho)
- 20 Derek Anabasingam (Ho)
- 21 Dama Frutchback (G)
- 22 Kenan Jaros (Ho)
- 23 Ryan McCrea (G)
- 24 Phillip Truong (Ho)

12 Years

- 1 Jack Avery (Ho)
- 2 Noah Essaghir (Ho)
- 3 Giorgio Speranza (Ho)
- 4 Nathan Massey (G)
- 5 Ibrahim Karim (V)
- 6 Kaiti Moodley (G)
- 7 Ksan Sozen (Ho)
- 8 Alexander Haxeybrook (V)
- 9 Susan Sudrasan (Ho)
- 10 Harshadrai (Ho)
- 11 Hareeshan Pienko (Ho)
- 12 Ahsan Fazi (Ho)
- 13 Eric Truong (Ho)
- 14 Zafri Ahmed (Ho)
- 15 Brenavan Arungayer (Ho)
- 16 Nicholas Wass (Ho)
- 17 Wisam Shanthakumar (V)
- 18 Lawrence Pava (Ho)
- 19 Hazan Mezzaneri (G)
- 20 Emir Elayoubi (V)
- 21 Tony Tu (Ho)
- 22 Dean Alshan (Ho)
- 23 Jordan Pata (G)
- 24 Shonest Sadiqa (Ho)
- 25 Kavi Nakkeeran (Ho)

**Zone Cross Country
Championships**

The Zone Cross Country Championships were held at Macquarie University on Tuesday 25th June and Homebush finished second out of the seven schools in the competition

The following boys represented the school and were placed in the top eight

18 Years

- 1 Tai (G)
- 5 Harshadrai (G)

17 Years

- 1 Saens (G)

15 Years

- 6 Saens (G)
- 6 Anantharam (G)

14 Years

- 1 Sherson (G)

12 Years

- 1 Avery (Ho)
- 1 Essaghir (Ho)

**Regional Cross
Country
Championships**

After finishing in the top six at the Zone Cross Country the following boys participated at the Sydney North Regional Cross Country Championships held at Davidson on Wednesday 12th June over distances ranging from 3 km to 7 km.

Best performer was 13 Year old Jamie Sherson of Year 7 who finished 2nd

Other good performances included

12 Years: Sam Craig, 26th

13 Years: Gow Manoharan, 12th

14 Years: Stephen Saens, 14th

Open: Omar El Charrak, 35th

**State Cross Country
Championships**

Jamie Sherson was our sole representative at Eastern Creek on Friday 25th July up against NSW's one hundred best runners. Jamie finished a creditable 15th

We have played the games last week and though we had a few hypes that afternoon and the day was excellent and much coaching that day to do, we've done all right

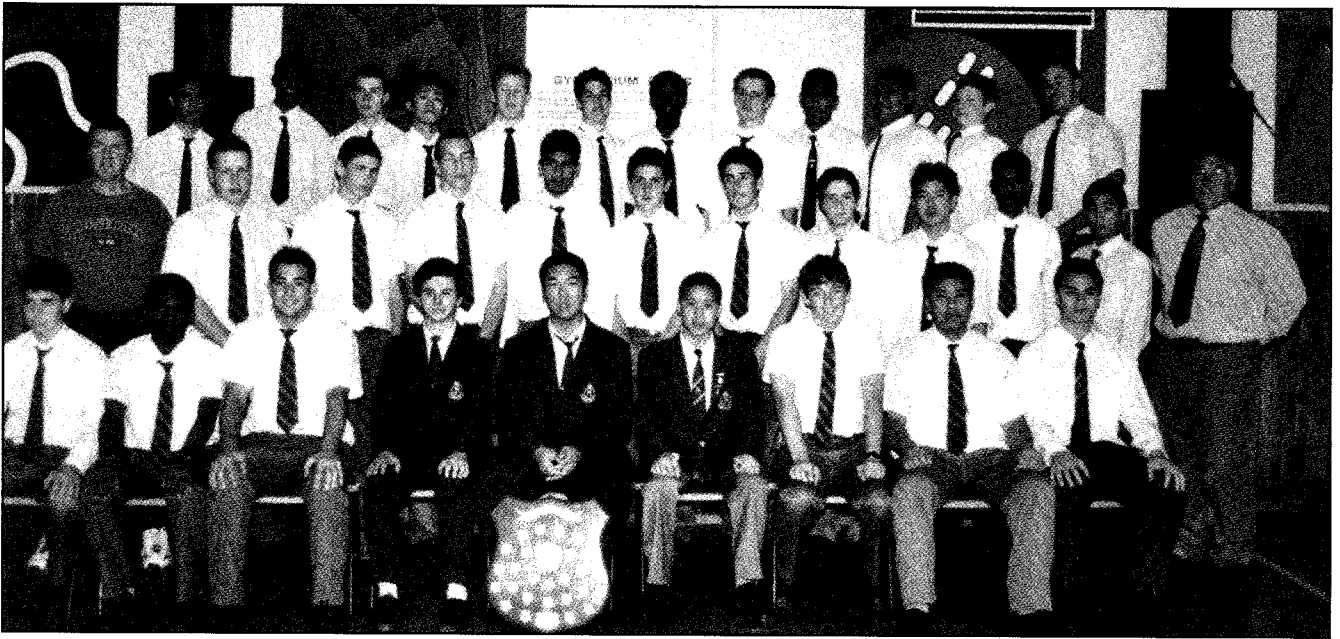
Mr G. Shanth
Coach

**FIRST GRADE BAS
KETBALL**

The 2002-2003 1st Grade Basketball season was exciting, interesting and unusual.

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Zone Senior Athletics



Zone Junior Athletics



Zone Swimming Team



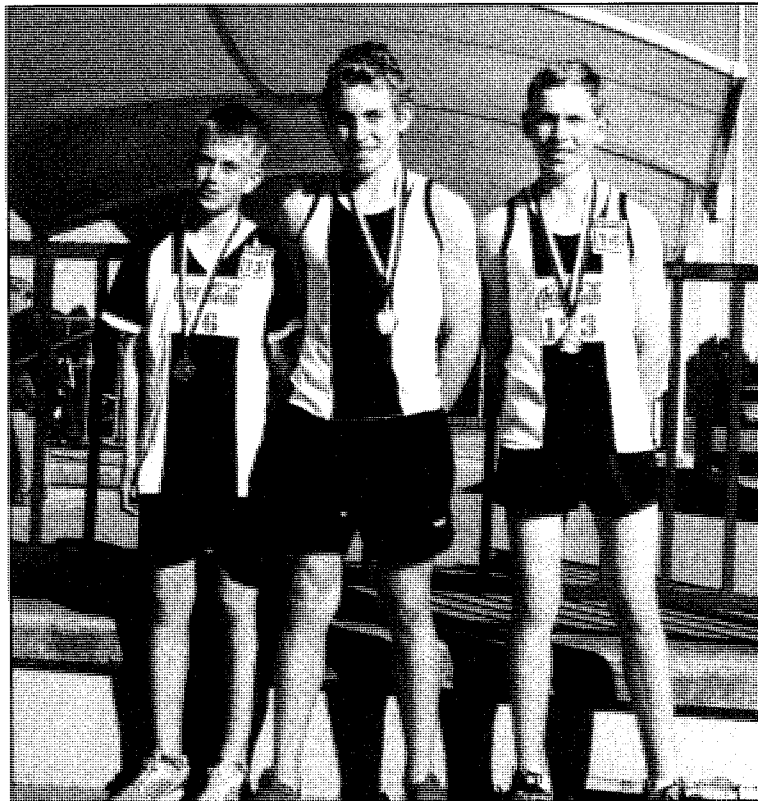
Zone Cross-Country Team

WINNING WAYS

Homebush Boys' High student Jamie Sherson continued his run of good form with a first placing at the Metropolitan North-West Zone Cross Country Carnival. The elite middle-distance runner will now compete at the Sydney North Area Carnival.

The Homebush Team were competitive in each of the seven age groups with twelve year olds Jack Avery and Noah Essaghair reaching the next representative level. Stephen Speirs and Gow Manoharan will compete in the fifteen years division at the area carnival. Seniors Tim Bates and Junji Tai will complete the troupe of elite Homebush runners.

The efforts of the fifty-man team catapulted Homebush into second place, behind Normanhurst, at the Zone Carnival. The remaining schools, in order, were Epping, North Sydney, Asquith, Randwick, Ashfield and Macquarie Boys High Schools. Sports co-ordinator, Ron Tedford said "The high placing keeps Homebush on track to be the Zone Champion Sporting School for 2003 after winning the Summer Sports and Swimming Carnival Categories!"



NSW Gold Medal Winners
Scott Tonkin, Joshua Hilliard and Jamie Sherson

2003 has been one of the most successful years ever for sport at Homebush Boys High School. In the two seasons we contested a total of 47 semi-finals and 24 grand finals. We won a total of 13 North Western Metropolitan Zone Premierships. The premiership winning teams were:

1st Grade Basketball	15s Table Tennis
15A & 15B Cricket	1st Grade Table Tennis
3rd Grade Cricket	1st Grade Tennis
13s Rugby	15s Volleyball
13A Soccer	1st Grade Volleyball
2nd Grade Soccer	15s Water Polo

We had 77 North Western Metropolitan Zone representatives, 35 Sydney North Regional representatives and 6 NSWCHS representatives. In addition the school awarded over 200 Sportsperson of the Week certificates throughout the year.

On behalf of the school, I would like to extend my congratulations to all the players and coaches for their outstanding efforts and successes.

Sporting Highlights

Jack Avery	12 Years NW Met Zone Swimming Champion
David Paterson	NSW Cawsey Shield Under 12 District Cricket Competition Player of the Year
Robert Chan	Selected to CHS 2nds Table Tennis Team
Xiao Wang	Selected to CHS 1sts Table Tennis Team
	Awarded NW Met Zone Blue for Table Tennis
Phillip Havea	Finished 2nd at the NSW All Schools Athletics Championships In the 19 Years Hurdles. Selected to the NSW All Schools Team for the Australian Schools Athletics Championship
Noah Essaghir	Won the Sub Junior Boys NSW Speed Skating Championships Finished 5th in the Sub Junior Boys Australian Speed Skating Championships
Adem Mumcu	Won the Under 12's singles, the under 14's singles and the Under 14's doubles at the Launceston Open Tennis Championships Won the Sydney International Tennis Centre 12 Years Singles National Championship Runner-up in the Year 7 Singles & the Year 8 Doubles at the Strathfield Schoolboys Tennis Tournament Reached the final 16 in the Under 12's Singles at the Uncle Toby's Clay Court National Championships in Canberra
1st Grade Basketball	Reached the final 32 in NSWCHS Shell Trophy KO Competition
1st Grade Table Tennis	Finished 4th in the NSWCHS Butterfly Shield KO Competition
1st Grade Volleyball	Finished 7th in the NSWCHS Steve Birt KO Competition
15s Water Polo	Reached the final 8 in the NSWCHS KO Competition
Joshua Hilliard, Jamie Sherson & Scott Tonkin	Won the 14 Years teams event at the NSW Cross Country Championships
HBHS Swimming Team	Won the NW Met Zone Championship for the first time in the school's history.
HBHS Athletics Team	Won the NW Met Zone Athletics Championship
HBHS Cross Country Team	Finished 2nd at the NW Met Zone Championship (our best ever result)
HBHS	Named NW Met Zone Summer Sports Champion
HBHS	Finished 2nd in the NW Met Zone Winter Sports Championship
HBHS	Named NW Met Zone Champion School for 2003
Shawn Treweek	13 Years Zone Athletics Champion
Preston Shehadie	14 Years Zone Athletics Champion
Jamie Sherson	14 Years Zone Cross Country Champion, finished 4th in the 3000 metres, 6th in the 1500 metres and 4th in the 2000 metres steeple chase at the NSW All Schools Athletics Championships
Shariful Islam	Selected to the NSW Under 15s Cricket Team

In conclusion, I would like to sincerely thank the following people for all of their assistance during the year: the clerical staff for all the typing, collating, phone answering, message taking, money collecting, complaint handling, etc.; Dr Ian Paterson for his support; Mr Bill Hilliard for the positive press in the local papers and the handling of the more delicate issues; Mr Tom Pinkey for his shoulder, computing skills, advice, guidance and assistance; Mr John Evans for the gathering, collating and compiling of all the statistics plus organising the sports section of the school magazine; Mr Alan Brawn for the professional sports photography; Mr Chris Halkidis, Mr Joe Philip and Mr Seddique Martin for their computing skills; Ms Audrey Juska for the school magazine; Ms Matina Shadwick for dealing with the rolls and sports truants; Mr Andrew Mitchell and Mr Brett Wilson for the smooth organisation and running of the Athletics and Swimming Carnivals; Mr Bill Gavathas and the rest of the PDHPE staff for their support and collegiality; and last but by no means least, the fabulous staff and student body of the school for all their efforts, support, long hours and participation during the course of the year.

Mr Ron Tedford
Sports Organiser

**2002-2003 North West Metropolitan Zone
Summer Sport Premiers**

**2003 North West Metropolitan Zone Winter
Season Sports Premiers**

1st Grade Basketball

Jay Cogger
Phillip Hovea
Alex J.
Ken Jiang
John Lamota
Jeff Lim
Stephen Ly
Anthony Solaese (Capt.)
Tim Winitana
Dennis Zheng
R. Tedford (Coach)

15A Cricket

Rizwan Amir-Khan
Shariful Islam
Hari Jegatheeswaran
Narathan Jegatheeswaran
Waqas Qudrat
Niruthithan Sanmuanathan
Sorupan Sivapalan
Matt Small
Stephen Speirs
Pawapreei Sran
Srikanth Yogeswaran
B. Baian (Coach)

15B Cricket

Shehzad Azmi
Mayuran Analingam
Shoshi Barkat
Anant Jaiswal
Hasanul Kabir
Prashant Kaira
Naveed Khan
Gow Manoharan
Janarth Narenthiran
Mouss Saeed
Jana Satkunanatha
Mubbashar Satti
Praveen Shanmugaling
Vamsi Velampati
Liam Webster
Vishanth
M. Klein (Coach)

3rd Grade Cricket

Max Aurora
Mohit Bhanabhai
Hassan Cheema
Jack Coppard
My Gunaratnam
Harsha Javvaji
Jana Jegathesan
Dharshan Kulendranath
Dhish Nallanathan
Subangan Nirmaleswaran
Parasellan Punniyamoorthy
Rishiv Rathore
Chanakya Sandilya
Jannan Saravanapava
Alfred Selladurai
Aravinth Selventhiran
Sujan Selventhiran
Mithun Sriganeshan
T. Sivasothy (Coach)

1st Grade Tennis

Michael Chan
William Huynh
Jonathan Lim
Colin Ma
Andre Rangiah
Jason Tran
Kevin Tran
J. Taggart (Coach)

15's Volleyball

Abrar Ahmad
Jack Atkins
Jack Castrique
Timothy Clark
Morgan Di Val
Alex Dunn
Blair Hardaker
Yohan Kim
Marvin Lim
Clifford Luu
Louis Tran
H. Ha (Coach)

1st Grade Volleyball

Aaron Kim
Sam Lai
Stephen Lai
Daniel Lee
Andrew Ngo (Capt.)
Kevin Wong
Wesley Yip
T. Pinkey (Coach)

15's Water Polo
Adrian AlimBrendon Churton
Daniel Davoren
Ben Fifield
Stuart Jackson
Ryan King
Sean Little
Matt Lott
Beau Payne
Rhys Potts
David Tang
B. Gobel & A. Smith
(Coaches)

13's Rugby

Razak Akunyare
Edward Bates
Elijah Chan
Orest Darylak
Simon Dinopoulos
Lucas Djurichkovic
Michael Edgington
Noah Essaghir
Daniel Fischbeck
Ben Green
Iriapa Hati
Alex Hazelbrook
Kayne Lees
Jake Mansfield
Tony Marino
Nathan Massey
William Parker
David Paterson
Matthew Plus
Vitale Rogica
James Shute
Taran Singh
James Smedley
Kaan Sozen
Sean Tuite
J Richardson (Coach)
F Rodi (Coach)

13A Soccer

Derek Amarasingham
Jack Avery
Sunny Cheng
Bader Eldejanya
Piers Elliott
Eray Kedicioglu
Brodie Kelly
Ib Kerem
Injae Kwak
Emre Mehmet
Hasan Meslemani (Captain)
Mehran Modasser
Giorgio Speranza
Scott Tonkin
S McFarlane (Coach)

2nd Grade Soccer

Hader Albatat
Jim Chao
Daniel Claveria
Lindsay Gray
Alen Hodzic
Aaron Kim
Hali Mehmet
Qasin Mohamud
Thomas Mustafa
Anil Ozturk
Ricardo Pais
Rajev Shanmugan
Vishnu Shanmugan
George Simos
Junji Tai
Marcin Wierzbicki
R Doenau (Coach)
J Evans (Coach)

1st Table Tennis

Robert Chan (Captain)
Willis Koh
Andrew Chau
Dennis Lu
Yi Wu
C Dwyer (Coach)

15's Table Tennis

Xiao Wang (Captain)
Jas Singh
Eric Liao
Matthew Robson
Bosco Ryan
C Dwyer (Coach)

FIRST GRADE BASEBALL



The 2002-03 baseball season was one in which a lot of enthusiastic young boys came together to play baseball for the first time.

Their dedication to the game was exemplified by their on field demeanour and acknowledgement of the other teams performance

Although having a successful year they were to lose to Asquith in the semi-final by 0-8.

The team consisted of S.Gunalan, E.Harrison, J.Isaac, V.Jananayakam, S.Kulasingam, T.Lincoln, G.Liu, T.Mann, U.Santhikumar, M.Sriharan, D.Thangavel, S.Vivekananda,.

Mr.J.Coskerie
Coach.

JUNIOR BASEBALL



After a slow start to the season where we were narrowly defeated for a few games, we ended the season on a better note by almost making it into the semi-finals.

The boys rallied well and once they had their first victory there was no holding them back.

Some notable performances by Bosco who consistently hit home runs and Daniel who was so good at stealing bases that after a few games the rest of the boys followed his lead and were also stealing bases. Wally and Allen were very versatile, playing pitcher, catcher or first base equally as well. Jayanth became our regular catcher and also played outfield while Sam was our regular first base man, both boys hit home runs during the season. Sudhar, Adrian and Matthew helped with some good hitting, making it to first base other than by balls.

Towards the end of the season all boys were hitting

well and making it to home plate and scoring runs. Our fielding let us down early in the season but greatly improved by the end of the season.

I was very impressed by the way our boys played the games each week, even though we had a few losses, their sportsmanship and fair play was excellent and made coaching them easy to do, well done all boys.

Mr.G.Sheath
Coach

FIRST GRADE BASKETBALL Undeclared Zone Premiers



The 2002-2003 1st Grade Basketball season was exciting, interesting and unusual.

Due to the situation of Macquarie BHS not entering teams in 1st and 2nd grades it was decided that rather than having numerous byes, the North West Metropolitan Zone would run a six team draw with each member school playing each other three times. Therefore we were scheduled to play 17 matches including the semi-finals and final.

Since no zone competition had ever scheduled that many matches in a season before, all competing schools had a unique opportunity to set a record if it could win all of its games.

Homebush set out to do just that!

Our team was a very experienced veteran outfit, initially featuring eight Year 12 students and only one Year 11 player. Due to excursions, illness, injury, two students leaving school early and work experience, we were forced to use twelve different players over the course of the season.

All players adapted so well to these unforeseen circumstances that we won all 17 matches by substantial margins and set a zone record that will probably never be equalled.

Congratulations to all students who played for this team especially Anthony Solaese, the team captain, who led the side admirably.

Season Statistics

Pl, Games played*, T. P. scored, P.P.G. average

Jay Cogger

5, 44, 8.2

Edward Ghanime

1, 12, 12

Phillip Havea

8, 42, 5.2

Alex Ji

15, 85, 5.6

Ken Jiang

11, 34, 3

John Lemoto

13, 53, 4
Jeff Lim
 14, 90, 6.4
Stephen Ly
 15, 161, 10.7
Ali Morgan
 1, 2, 2
Anthony Solaese (Captain)
 14, 244, 17.4
Tim Winitana
 16, 230, 14.4
Dennis Zheng
 4, 20, 5
HBHS
 17, 1065, 63
Opponents
 17, 377, 22

Individual statistics for one game were lost.*

R. Tedford
 Coach

FIRST GRADE BASKETBALL
Shell Cup Knockout Team

Statistics

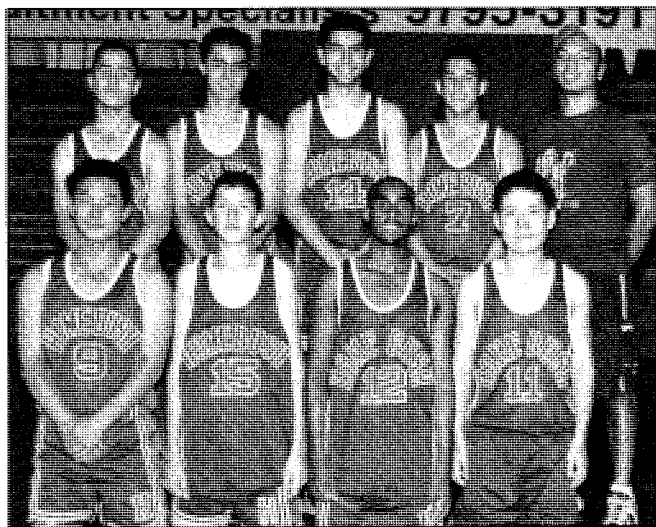
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 Game 2: Homebush 72 The Forest 17
 Game 3: Homebush 39 Randwick 11
 Game 4: Homebush 36 Cromer 23
 Game 5: St. Ives 30 Homebush 25

In a very successful season Homebush made it to the final 32 teams in NSW.

Player	Games	Total	Pts per game
		Points	Game Average
Phillip Havea	4	14	3.50
Alex Ji	4	14	3.50
Ken Jiang	3	2	0.66
John Lemoto	4	4	1.00
Jeff Lim	4	18	4.50
Stephen Ly	4	29	7.25
A.Solaese (c)	4	49	12.25
Tim Winitana	4	42	10.50
		268	47

Mr.R.Tedford
 Coach

2ND GRADE BASKETBALL



After a slow start to the season, the team showed some improvement and quickly progressed to secure a spot in the semi-final against Epping. A well rounded game consisting of three point shots dropping and solid defence/offence by Edward led to a final spot.

Unfortunately, 'lady luck' was not on our side on the day of the final against North Sydney. A good defence and penetrating offence still needed the shots to drop, but they simply would not.

An enjoyable time had by the coach and players: Edward MVP Ghanime, Nidal Jordan Alameddine, Tony Late-arrival Cai, Jerry My-ball Li, Ali 3-point Morgan, Abdigibar Dribble Omar, Avinash Lefty Vasudeva, Alexander Airtime Yang.

Thanks to the new students for their support...James and Ibrahim.
 Thanks

Mr. S.Martin
 Coach

15 YEARS BASKETBALL



A roller-coaster ride is the most apt description for the season experienced by the 15 Years Basketball team. A successful start to the competition was followed by a mid-year slump that tested the character and commitment of every player. Whilst the giddy heights of semi-final success against Normanhurst eluded us, it became evident by the end of those testing forty minutes that each player had learned some valuable lessons about playing in a team sport.

This was a team that made it a pleasure to coach. It was a mixture of outstanding talents and those whom, whilst they may not have possessed basketball finesse, showed dogged determination.

I conclude with the words of that ground-breaking Rugby League coach, Jack Gibson. "Winning starts on Monday", or in the case of our sports teams, Thursday.

Mr.J.Kozlowski
 Coach.

15 YEARS BASKETBALL
Knockout Team

The 2002 15 Years K.O. Basketball team performed extremely well under the captaincy of Tim Winitana.

We had to overcome many obstacles such as limited training session due to my LSL, the fact that the players came from six different teams and the fact that we came up against some very strong competition.

I am pleased that we made it to the final sixteen schools in NSW. It was a very satisfying performance and I

sport summer

am proud of the contributions of all of the players.

Player	Statistics		
	Games	Total Points	Pts per game Game Average
N.Alameddine	6	8	2
J.Alim	6	6	1.5
J.Chen	6	18	4.5
D.Gonzales	6	19	4.7
A.Liu	6	2	0.5
A.Morgan	6	42	10.5
A.Omar	6	31	7.8
T.Winitana	6	67	16.7
J.Yook	6	31	7.8
J.Yu	6	2	0.5
		268	47

**Mr.R.Tedford
Coach**

14 YEARS BASKETBALL



The 14's Grade Basketball team made great progress over the course of the season. The boys started off as a very disparate disorganised set of individuals and then gradually came together to form a team where each and every player learnt new skills and strategies.

As well as developing some very useful skills, the players formed close friendships and spent some extra time training together, often with some input and guidance from one or two of the senior representative players, who quite willingly gave up their time before school.

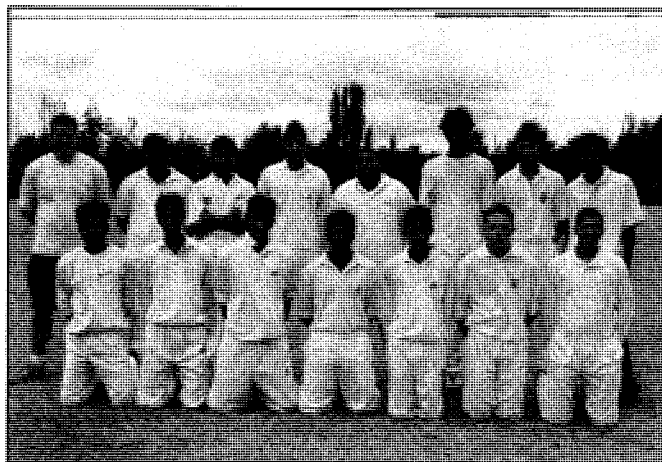
Overall, a highly commendable effort by all members of the 14 Years Grade Basketball team. Well done boys.

**Ms.A.Legge
Coach**

**FIRST GRADE CRICKET
First XI
Zone Runners-up**

Firas Cheema, Suren Ganeshalingam, Janahan Jayadevan, Dusiyanthan, Dharan Jeyanandaraj, Ramji Kulasingam, Chetan Punjabi, Rajwinder Sandhu, Vishnu Sarpeshkar, Rajev Shanmugan, Varuna Silva, Mannu Singh, Sujun Sivarajah, Simon Watson.

After winning the Second Grade competition last year the boys progressed to First Grade. Apart from the inclusion of some experienced Year 12 players the team was a relatively unchanged line-up since 14A back in 98-99 Season.



The team commenced with four wins against Randwick, North Sydney, Epping and Asquith.

The following week saw a one-day match against Normanhurst who were bowled out for 120 runs. A win looked eminent with Firas Cheema taking 5-30. However Normanhurst proved that bowling and tight fielding could place pressure on the batting team. Normanhurst managed to defend their small total.

Return to school in 2003 saw the Preliminary Semi-Final in which we played the sixth placed team - Asquith. After some initial anguish we were comfortable winners.

Our semi-final opponent was Normanhurst - as luck would have it, the only team to beat us in the season. This time we batted first on a slow pitch and were bowled out for 136 runs - Janahan Jayadevan scoring the bulk of the runs. We would have liked 50 more runs and needed to bowl and field well and did just that.

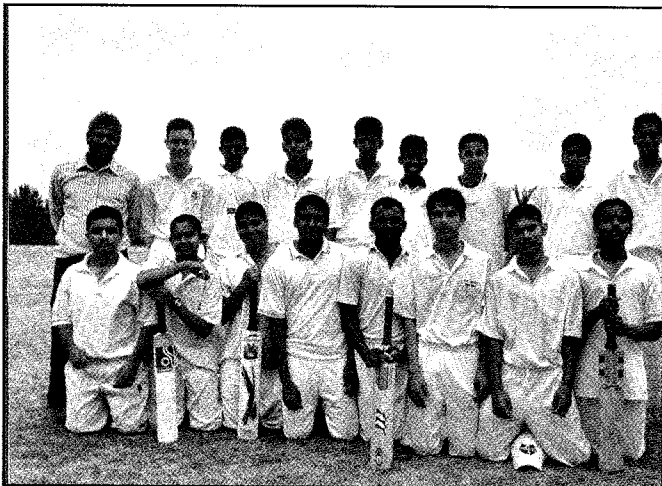
The Final was a one-day fixture commencing at 9:30 am and our opponent was North Sydney. We batted first and scored 148 runs which included 36 from Janahan Jayadevan and good contributions from Varuna Silva and Vishnu Sarpeshkar. Unfortunately, we had three 'run outs' - not mentioning whose fault it was (Janahan Jayadevan).

North Sydney began the chase very well and were 5-101 and looking comfortable. Then four quick wickets fell taking North Sydney to 9-126 and requiring 22 runs from the last partnership. At this stage we were favoured to win but unfortunately we were unable to take that last wicket.

I would like to thank the team and wish them well for the future.

**Mr.J.Richardson
Coach**

2ND GRADE CRICKET



It was a promising start to the year when we formu-

lated the team for the season.

The team consisted of:

Thulaisi (Capt.), Abhishek (V.C), Ziad, Max, Priyan, Amalan, Jananathan, Ragu, Jai, Amit, Kandeepan, Shayanthan, and Shoaib and our scorer for the season Rajiv.

The season commenced with a defeat against Randwick by four runs, then we regrouped to end the season on top of the table.

There were some fine performances from our players who were duly awarded with the end of season trophies. Some of the notable performances:

Kandeepan's 6/14 against Macquarie Boys

Abhishek's 78 against Epping Boys

Jai's 85 against Normanhurst Boys

Overall the team performed to their ability and lost the semi-final to North Sydney on the first day when luck deserted Homebush.

Awards:

Player of the season: Abhishek Sharma

Batsman of the season: Jai Shankar

Bowler of the Season: Kandeepan Sivarajah

Scorer: Rajiv Paramanathan

**J. Philip
Coach.**

THIRD GRADE CRICKET Thirsty Thirds cricket team Zone Premiers



The 2002/2003 season was to be a successful and wholehearted effort by the Thirsty Thirds cricket team. The team was led by Captain Mithun Sriganeshan and Vice Captain Jana Jegathesan under the experienced wings of our coach Mr Sivasothy. Throughout the year, individual achievements and coordinated teamwork led us to victory in the finals against Epping to attain the Premiership. The team consisted of twenty players that included Janan, Amol, Shiva, Dhilip, Aravinth, Myu, Seelan, Arpen, Dharshan, Sujan, Jack, Alfred, Mohit, Subungan, Vimalan, Hassan, Chanakya and Harsha. We were to play each team twice beginning with Asquith.

We conceded only one loss throughout the season against Ashfield who narrowly defeated us by a mere two runs! Even with the loss, the team rolled on with the antics of Hassan that kept the laughter echoing in the desolate train carriages. Our bowling attack was considered the best in the competition. The lightning fast bowling of Aravinth blitzed through the competition like a hot knife through butter. Not to mention the dead straight accuracy of Myu and Seelan. The rest of our bowling attack included Jack, Amol and our part timers Jana, Sujan and Hassan.

In the batting side of things we consistently averaged scores above 100 runs. Virtually every member of the team was capable of batting with a few proficient batsmen. Most of the time it was the openers or the first two drops that laid the groundwork for our innings. The opening pair usually varied with a combination of batsmen who were Dhilip, Mithun, Alfred and Jana. Our exceptional fielding was derived through effective teamwork and training from Mr Sivasothy on Tuesday mornings at 7 am. We had some magnificent fielders but none that matched Myu, who was by far the best fielder in the competition. He took brilliant diving catches and performed unbelievable run outs that sometimes could have changed the course of matches.

In every game there were dashes of individual brilliance that contributed heavily towards the fate of matches. They were either in batting, bowling or both. Our bowling attack was the best in the competition, hence wicket taking was equally spread. In every match our opening bowlers managed to get a wicket or more. Aravinth was our main wicket taker with his pace attack and Jack contributing in crucial games. Myu scored 90 runs n.o in admirable fashion in our game against Epping in which our team accumulated 171 runs. The highest total scored in the season by the team was 190 runs in the game against Asquith. The score was built on a partnership of 113 runs between Myu and Mithun in which they scored 65 and 48 respectively. The second highest individual score of 75 runs (not out) was made by Mithun in the final against Epping. Awards went to: Aravinth for Bowler of the Series, Myu for best All Rounder and Mithun for Man of the Series.

I would like to thank the entire "Thirsty Thirds" squadron for their efforts because without their cooperation and unity the premiership wouldn't have been possible. The team would like to thank Mr Sivasothy for his dedication and training throughout the season. He helped us in many ways that made this season enjoyable and professional.

**Mithun Sriganeshan
Captain**

15 A CRICKET Zone Premiers



Shariful Islam (c), Nicholas Lennings (vc), Narrthanan Jegatheeswaran, Sorupan Sivapalan, Matt Small, Saikanth Yogeswaran, Riswan Khan, Pawalpreet Sran, Waqas Qudrat, Stephen Speirs, Hari Jegatheeswaran, Niruththan Sanmuanathan.

Wow! What a season - it was great!

A lot was expected of us as we were undefeated reigning U/14 Premiers. We tried our hardest and put 110% into training always trying to improve our game.

We reached totals of up to 250 in 30 overs and then

demolished the batting order of the opposing sides. We suffered a loss to North Sydney in the rounds but hoped for revenge in the final.

We defeated Randwick in the semi-final. We were hoping that our opponent would be North Sydney - however, they were defeated by a worthy Epping side.

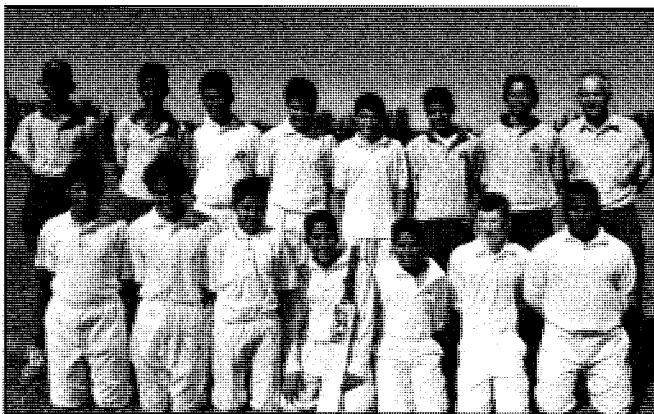
We sent Epping in to bat. Our bowling attack demolished them for eighty odd. Our opening batsmen had a sixty run partnership and the Epping score was achieved in only 12 overs.

For the second year Homebush were Zone Premiers.

A big 'Thank You' to Dr. Balan for taking our side - you did a wonderful job.

Sorupan Sivapalan

15 B CRICKET Zone Premiers



Shehzad Azmi, Mayuran Analingam, Shoshi Barkat, Anant Jaiswal, Hasanul Kabir, Prashant Kalra, Naveed Khan, Gow Manoharan, Janarth Narenthiran, Mousa Saeed, Jana Satkunanathan, Mubbashar Satti (c), Praveen Shanmugalingam, Vamsi Velampati, Liam Webster, Vishanth .

The 14 Bs reached the semi-final and the opponent was Ashfield. We were not optimistic when their opening batsman had scored 50 runs after eight overs. By the end of the twentieth over Ashfield were 7 for 89 and by end of the day were all out for 120 runs.

We trained hard during the week and arrived at the ground full of hope. Liam and Prashant gave us a good start of 37 runs. Shehzad increased the score to 60 then Shoshi increased the scoring rate. More wickets fell and Mubbashar only needed to score one run to win the match.

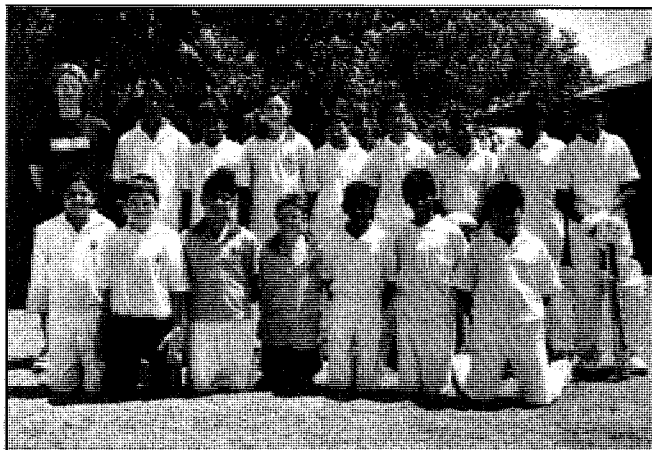
We won the toss in the final and decided to bat first against Macquarie. Our openers were both out for 6 runs. This pattern continued with only Mousa hitting a number of fours. We were disappointed with our score of 96 runs.

We were not confident but by the drinks break four batsmen were out. In the last four overs Macquarie needed 35 runs. We tried hard and with six balls remaining they needed six runs. We came out on top and were Zone Premiers.

**Mubbashar Satti
Captain**

14 A Cricket

Big things were expected. Plenty of talking it up from our team members but in the opening rounds few were able to back it up with runs and wickets Not the best of starts with 2 losses in a row..... the talk was starting to slow but the boys still had their 'reasons' for poor form.



Victories were not far away and we soon had two including a one day demolition of Normanhurst 0-79 vs all out for 78. Ano was the star with the bat scoring 50 not out including 11 boundaries while Senthuran picked up 4/20 with the ball. The following game - a well executed run chase saw us eclipse Asquith's total of 135 off 30 overs. Jas lead the way with a well compiled 44 and was well supported by Pratik, 23 and Prakash, 21.

We moved into the semis but an unfortunate draw placed us against the number 1 team - Epping, ...we were defeated.

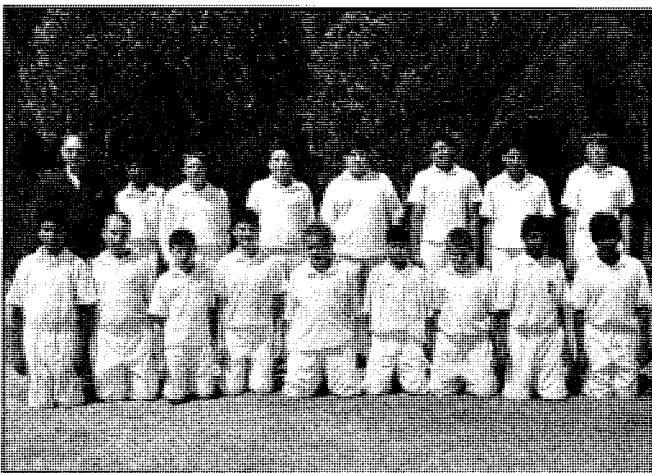
Lesson learnt actions speak louder than words. A great bunch of boys who gave it their best and provided their coach with plenty of entertainment.

Players list with high score and best bowling

Derek 11, 1/7 Senthuran 22, 4/20 Jacob 17 no Prakash 14 no 1/17 Prasanth 10 no Nava 7 no Niru 18 Pratik 23, 1/13 Rajtheepan 5 1/16 Aayush 15, 1/8 Jas 8, 1/9 Anojan 50 no, 3/21 James 6 no, 1/0 Mitchell 37, 4/21 and Kenan 26, 2/19.

**Mr.B. Wilson
Coach**

14B CRICKET



Strong wills, determination and political manoeuvring were features of the 14B's cricket team in the season 2002-2003. A triumvirate of Vishal, Wilson and Samater vied for team leadership of the brilliant 14B's.

The coach let down the team by going on long service leave for the first match which the team lost against Normanhurst A team . This was followed by 1st innings losses to North Sydney and Epping.

A disastrous season was turned around when the team managed to achieve an outright win against Ashfield on a slightly shortened, old and cracked concrete pitch.

Samater scored a skilful 73 runs on this treacherous

wicket. Martin and Wilson combined to bowl Ashfield out twice, Martin gaining a Hat Trick among his haul of 8 wickets supported by Wilson with 5 wickets.

Confidence gained from this win was carried to the next match where Samater, Samuel, Joshua and Mahesh all batted well to score 2 for 120 and then 9 bowlers combined to keep Normanhurst B to a total of 86 after 30 overs.

In the semi final, Epping was kept to a total of 126 runs. Team Captain Samater led a brilliant run chase scoring 77 runs not out (supported by Vishal with 16 runs). The result of the game depended on the last ball of the match when Samater hit a beautiful shot that was fielded just short of the boundary. Only one run resulted — Homebush finished this exciting and memorable match ONE run short with a total of 125.

Players were — Samater Ali (C), Wilson Petrushenko, Vishal Verma, Marc Di Val, Lucas Djurichkovic, Martin Gabor, Kapil Jananayakam, James McBride, John McIntyre, Samuel Pearson, Kevin Sampath, Ahilan Satchidanand, Jashan Sekhon, Damian Shannon, Joshua Tarrant - Windt, Mahesh Vuppalapati.

Mr A. Doolan.
Coach

FIRST GRADE INDOOR SOCCER

The team consisted of: T.Mustafa, C.Trantis, E.Ak, A.Ozturk, M.Simsek, J.Choi, A.Hodzic, Q.Mohamud, R.Rais, D.Claveria.

The 2002/3 season was to be my first as coach of indoor soccer, it would prove itself to be an interesting one.

Led by goalkeeper Thomas, the boys started off slowly finding their feet. After losing their first four games, the boys started winning once they had their combinations on the field working such as Con and Ricardo at the back and with Mustafa and Qasin up front scoring the goals. They almost beat the premiers Asquith - narrowly losing 4-3. This match was to be the turning point of the season. Con came into his own as the season progressed and became a formidable defender who was hard to pass and was the best and fairest. Erdal was very fast and versatile he could play anywhere, forward, back or even goalkeeper if needed. Anil would receive the most dedicated player award - if there was one. Daniel stepped in when the boys were injured and was an asset to the team.

Unfortunately the boys did not make the finals but by the end of the season they had put a scare into the top sides. I would like to thank the boys for making the season so enjoyable. I am that sure we will go one step further next year and make the finals.

Mr.C.Halkidis.
Coach

JUNIOR INDOOR SOCCER

Joseph Vermiglio (c), Xiao Fan (vc), Chris Mustafa, Neil Singh, Fuat Sezgin, Tim Nicholls, David Galea.

The Junior Indoor Soccer team had mixed results over the season. A deserved place in the finals was denied the team due to dubious practices by another team.

The boys had some memorable moments and it was unfortunate that on some occasions they threw away substantial leads to lose games.

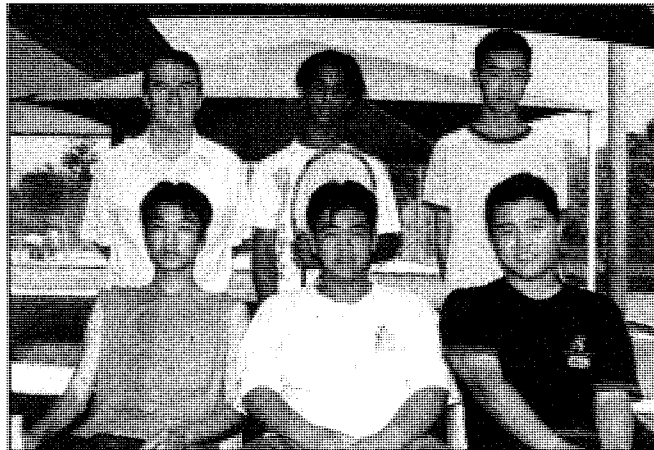
The younger players on the team improved as the season progressed and the older players set an excellent example.

Joseph Vermiglio was an outstanding player as captain and he was ably supported by Xiao Fan as vice-captain.

The closeness of nearly all encounters showed how open the competition was this season and with a little more luck the boys would have fared much better. The team was a pleasure to coach and I wish them luck in the future.

Mr.I.French
Coach

FIRST GRADE SUMMER TENNIS Zone Premiers



Both First and Second Grade teams had very successful seasons. Both teams made the Zone Final after defeating North Sydney in the semi-final - neither team had defeated North Sydney earlier in the season.

First Grade won their Zone Final match against Epping after having lost to them earlier in the season. It was a close result with Homebush winning by eight games. Jonathan and Andre both won their singles and doubles matches. They made a huge contribution winning their sets by large margins. However, a great deal of credit must also go to Colin and Jason who won the vital games to break the four sets all deadlock.

It is with gratitude and appreciation that we farewell Michael Chen who has been a fine team member over many years.

Mr.J.Taggart
Coach

SECOND GRADE SUMMER TENNIS



Second Grade played well to defeat North Sydney in the semi-final. This was quite an achievement as they had not been successful against this team earlier in the season.

Zone Final opponent was Epping who were successful by three sets - the result being 5-3. However, Jiabin

and Andrew played strongly. Jason Tran and Tony made Epping earn every point.

The team spirit was excellent. Michael and Jesse were happy for the players to be in the final. I would like to thank both teams and to acknowledge their sportsmanship.

**Mr.J.Taggart
Coach**

15 YEARS SUMMER TENNIS



The team consisted of Preston Shehadie, Jean-Paul Watson, Danny Kim and Jason Tran.

The boys played well throughout the season and were semi-finalists. The semi-final loss was a commendable result of 3-5.

14 YEARS SUMMER TENNIS.



The team consisted of Daniel Chau, Hayder Shkara, David Schmike, Lindsay Owen-Taylor and Htet Yan.

The boys had some good games and enjoyed their season.

**Mrs.W.Dare
Coach**

SENIOR TOUCH FOOTBALL

Abdul Moussa (captain), Matthew Helou, Mahuta Mareta, Mathew Craig, Darren Thompson, Andrew Piper, Costa Arvanitopoulos, Omar Centidemir, Tim Bates, Leigh Amyouni, Stephen Trunk, Adam Libdy, Phillip Brown, Robert Tang and Neville Spears - water boy.

The boys commenced the season with a number of strong performances accelerating to outright first in a field of four. Mahuta (also competed in the under 23's Touch Championships) showed his worth throughout the season scoring many touch downs and mesmerised the opposition by creating the space for other players to literally waltz



through to add to the score.

We hit an unfortunate patch following the School Certificate and Religious holiday towards the end of 2002 which lead to three consecutive forfeits. This caused us to spiral to second position and then lost to an in-form Epping BHS in the semi-final 6-5 in extra time. Epping then went on to take out the premiership quite easily against an out of form Asquith BHS.

We had a number of outstanding performances outside of Mahuta. Of special note Matthew Helou explored the gaps and was competitive throughout the season with good support from Mathew Craig, Darren, Andrew and Abdul. Thanks again boys for another action packed year.

**Bill Gavathas
Coach.**

JUNIOR TOUCH FOOTBALL



A successful year which, with a small degree of good fortune, could have been a premiership year.

The team finished second at the beginning of the semi-finals and played North Sydney in the 2nd v 3rd semi. What a game!

Ahead comfortably at half time, the team slacked in concentration at the beginning of the second half and found themselves two tries behind. A courageous fightback brought the teams back to even at full time.

Extra time began and the 'drop off' rule applied. This meant that each 2 minutes, each team dropped off one player until one team scores. The teams went from seven aside to six, five, five, four and, finally, three players each before North Sydney finally scored. An exciting finish which could easily gone either way.

Special mention to several players: David Craig showed great skill, commitment and never stopped trying:

Cameron West: a player of skill and commitment.

Lindsey Moore: at his best, was a team leader

Michael Dagiantis: never stopped running (and quickly)

Omar Youssef: when focused and fit, was a natural leader
 Nathan Crighton: learnt the game very quickly and made the wing position his own

The other team members were Teddy Bates, Michael Marino, Sam Musumeci, Elliot Rudy and Sean Craig. Well done team for an excellent season

Mr.A. Everett
Coach

FIRST GRADE VOLLEYBALL
Regional Premiers
Zone Premiers.



The season of 2002-03 was a very difficult but was also one of the most successful campaigns that the First Grade team has experienced in the last decade.

The team consisted of Andrew Ngo, Sam Lai, Kevin Wong, Aaron Kim, Daniel Lee and Wesley Yip. This team managed to be Zone then Regional Premiers. with only one loss during the metropolitan season.

The team managed to make the State Knockout Championships when the team was strengthened with such players as Guo Xin Ye, Daniel Kim and Anthony Solaese. The team defeated Belmore Boys and Morriset to finish seventh in the state.

However, none of this could have been achieved without the time and effort that our coach, Mr.Pinkey, has put into the team.

Andrew Ngo
Captain

SECOND GRADE VOLLEYBALL



This season was a major success for the Second Grade Volleyball team which consisted of Guo Xin Ye, Ronald Tran, Paul Latu, Jason Alim, Wesley Yip, Christian

Rodriguez, Raymond Tran and Huu Nguyen.

At the start of the season the team lacked experience. With hard training and help from Ms.Dwyer and Mr.Pinkey we became better and better. We successfully overcame the stress and nerves.

Due to the players' hard work throughout the season the team entered the semi-final against our Third Grade with enthusiasm and an almost unbeaten record.

Our Zone Final opponents were Normanhurst but unfortunately we lost the match - but not without a long fight.

We learnt a lot from each other and got a lot of help from our coaches. All players showed huge improvement by the end of the season. As captain of the team I appreciate the hard work of our players and the help of Ms.Dwyer.

Guo Xin Ye
Captain

End of season awards:

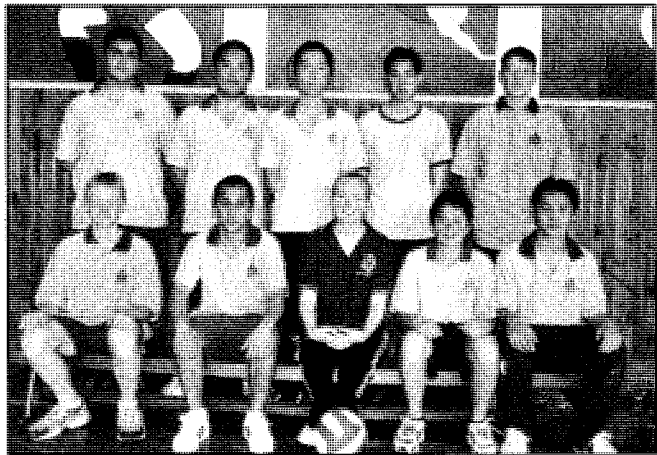
Best & Fairest - Guo Xin Ye

Most Improved - Raymond Tran

Happiest Team Player - Christian Rodriguez

Ms.C.Dwyer

THIRD GRADE VOLLEYBALL



Our team was made up of Robert Chan, William Dao, Ben Pooley, Simon Lam, George Siomos, Wadih Jreij, Rhys Maurer and Isaac Kapodistrias.

We were lucky to be allowed into the competition as we took the place of Macquarie Second Grade. However, we still advanced to the semi-final where we were defeated by our own Second Grade team.

I would like to thank all of the team's members for showing up and playing their hardest. I would also thank our coaches Ms.Hobbs and Ms.Dwyer - for helping us and organising our matches.

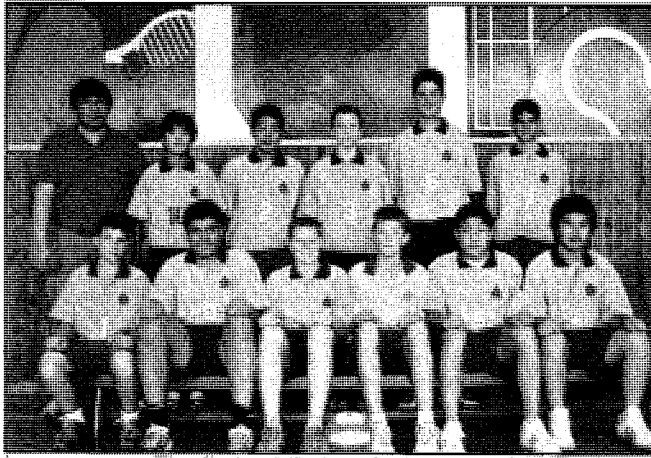
Hopefully, we will all improve and go better in the next competition.

Isaac Kapodistrias
Captain

15 YEARS VOLLEY BALL
Zone Premiers

The 15 years Volleyball team had a very successful year. Most of the team had played volleyball before but those who had not learnt quickly and became valuable members of the team. The whole team pitched in as we defeated school after school.

We were undefeated for the first part of the season and we had not lost a set. Our team was victorious in every



home game. The first set that we lost was against Epping at North Ryde R.S.L. - we were pretty unhappy but at least we did not lose.

The next week was not the same. We were playing at Asquith's school - but I would say it was more of a farm than a school. The ground was sloped, the lines were not straight and the ref knew didley squat! The guys and I were disappointed but we got over it, because that was our first and only loss.

We breezed through the next couple of teams and faced Asquith in the semi-final. They put up a fight but were defeated easily 2:0 (25:15,25:23).

The final was against Macquarie Boys who we thought would be easy but they showed us that they were not. After losing the first set (17:25) we came back in the second set - thanks to brilliant serving by Jack Castrique to win the match (17:25,25:10,15:12). It was close but we managed to pull through. I think the only reason we lost the set was because we were nervous; if we played our natural game we would have smashed them.

**Your Captain,
Blair Hardaker**

14 YEARS VOLLEYBALL



It was my pleasure to coach this fine group of young men. All were new to the game and most came from year 7 but they were very keen to learn and most of all they wished to represent their school.

Their leader was the inspirational Brandon Costa who spiked aggressively leaving his "brand on" many opponents. Sin Jae "SJ" Kwok showed his spiking prowess and used his jump serve to great effect. Johnny "vital" Vaitaki was a great all round court player but his setting of the ball was a feature of his strong game. William "Willy" Poliopoulos made many points with his sensational left-hand smashes. Neal "DVD" von Dinklage was an exceptionally speedy court play-

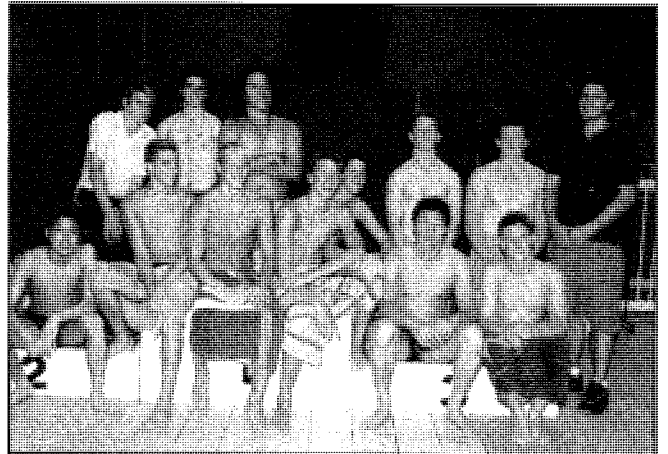
er but he will be remembered as the best server on the team.

Mitchell "Reedy" Reid used his height and athleticism to dominate the front-court. Slamming Sam Everett won the award for most improved as he cemented his position in the on-court line up. Chris "Olympic" Pooley showed his skills in setting and spiking with reliability and accuracy. Andrew "Andy" Nguyen demonstrated exceptional skill in both the front and back court i.e. his offensive and defensive play. Last but by no means the least was the pocket dynamo, Simon "Dino" Dinopolous whose speed and expertise enabled the team to survive many close games.

Sadly after a great season we lost a close final with North Sydney 2 sets to 1. We played the final as we played all our matches with courage and skill. We will be more determined to win next summer. I hope to see all the players back in the 15s team.

**Mr.T.Jurd
Coach**

FIRST GRADE WATERPOLO



The team consisted of Andrew Little, Carl Imer, James Matthew-Stubbs, Pascal Wallace, Lyle Tualai, Edward Parry, Ben Davoren, Lindsay Gray, Junji Tai, Charles Ha, Jason Chung.

Special thanks to Sean Little, Daniel Davoren, Michael Clarke, Brendon Churton & Joshua Hilliard for helping us out in the Knockout.

The 02/03 season was full of highlights and disappointments. We lost only two matches throughout the season - unfortunately one was the Zone Final.

We came second after the rounds and met Epping in the semi-final who we demolished by 16-0. We were full of confidence for the final against North Sydney. In a close fought battle we threw it away with lack of discipline and a few poor shots going down 4-5 .

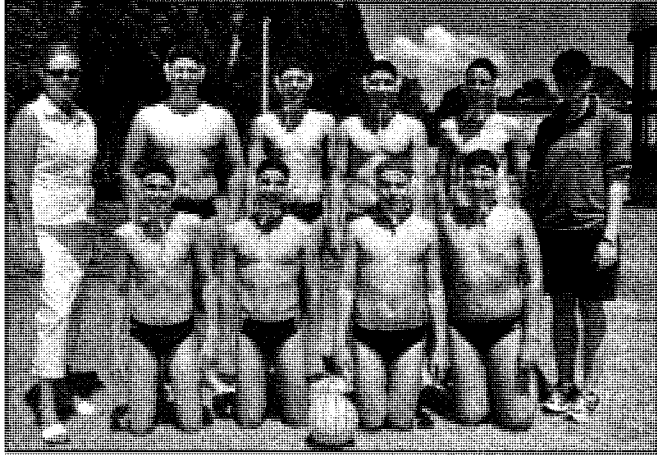
We then went on into the C.H.S. Knockout Competition. It was a very successful campaign. We thrashed Normanhurst in the first round and the came up against a star filled Randwick side. The 'Bushy Boys' dominated Randwick with a good win. After a long tiring day, with Mr.Mitchell's support we defeated the formidable Concord team by 6-5.

Terrigal were not a good side and became frustrated as we defeated them by 14-1 in the fourth round. This resulted in a trip to Raymond Terrace for the Quarter-Finals. Our opponent was Kirrawee who were a good side and it was a tough match. This was the end of the road for us - going down by 4-8.

Lyle Tualai, Pascal Wallace and Sean Little all made the Sydney North Water Polo team.

**Andrew Little
Captain**

**15 YEARS WATER POLO
Zone Premiers**



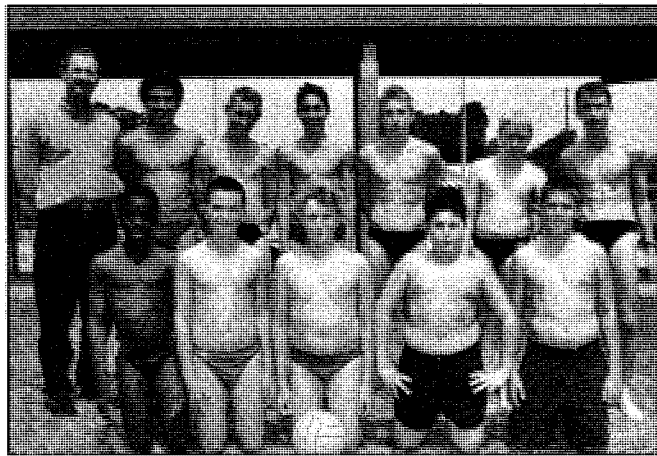
The 15's had an excellent season losing only one game and winning the Grand Final against Epping.

We had a convincing start to the season, thumping Epping by 7 goals. In the semi-finals against our toughest opponents, Asquith, we had a narrow victory, coming home from 2-3 at the end of the 3rd quarter to win 4-3. In the final, from the swim-off, we never looked back beating Epping by a scoreline of 7-4.

Thanks to everyone in the team and especially Mr Smith and Miss Gobel for coaching us and putting up with us throughout the season. Also thanks to Brendon and Daniel for remembering to push in our respected coaches after the Grand Final win. Hope to see you all playing next season.

Sean Little

14 YEARS WATER POLO



This season was a very good season for the 14's until we got to the final!!!!!! It was a difficult start to the season with the non-availability of pools to train in and the team having to make do with swimming laps in an indoor pool and practising ball skills on an outside grass area. This meant that their first game was actually the first time they had got together in a pool and played water polo.

Their lack of initial ball and game skills was made up by some very strong swimmers playing for the school, particularly Michael Clark and Joshua Hilliard. The boys were very motivated to win and within a few games showed themselves to be the team in the competition to beat - they were undefeated in every game up to the final and often won by scores where the coach lost count of the score.

Also, a core of boys were motivated enough to come to some early morning sessions at Ashfield Pool - including Michael Clark, Daniel Paynter Peter Biljani, Razak Akunyare,

Orest Danylak, Adam Imer and Jake Mansfield. A special thanks should be given to Mrs. Clark who also showed up and provided encouragement at every training session and provided transport for some of the students.

Unfortunately, the coach was not present for the final (other water polo commitments) and the team went down in a well fought match against Asquith. This was an unexpected and new experience for the boys and one which will prepare them better for the future. I have no doubt that we have the makings of a very strong team in future seasons and they will follow in the successful footsteps of the 15's team this season.

I look forward to an even more successful season with these students later this year.

**Mr.A.Smith
Coach**



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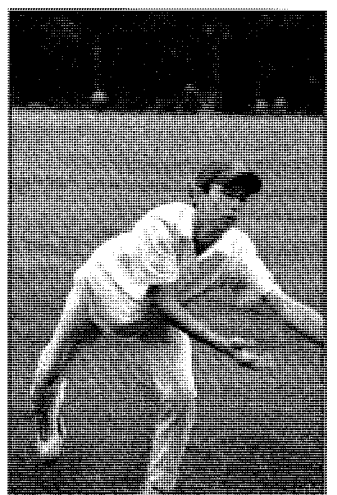
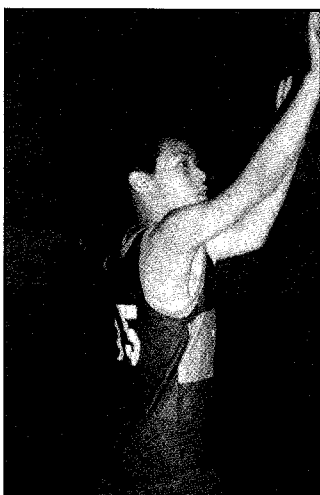
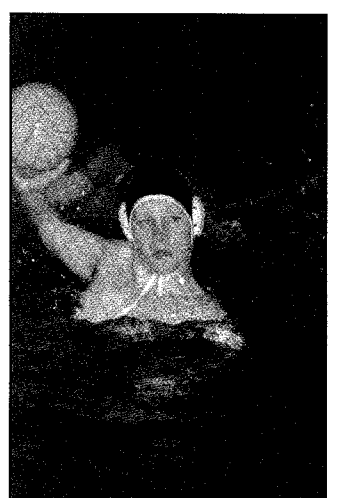
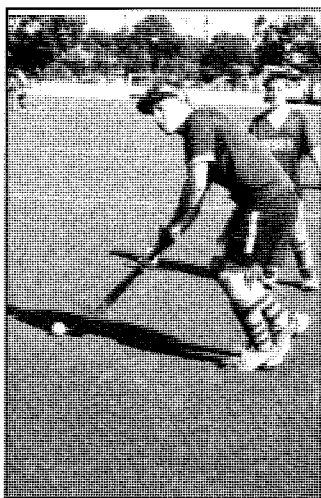
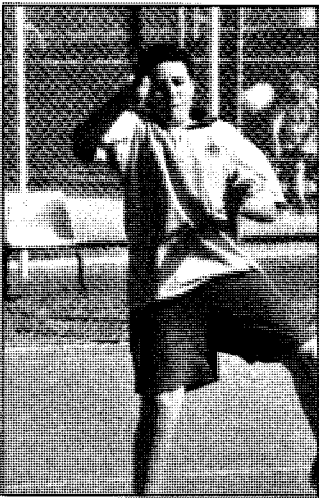
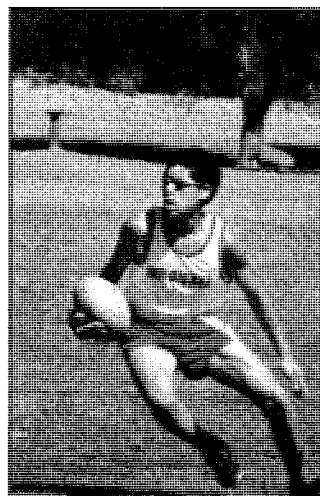
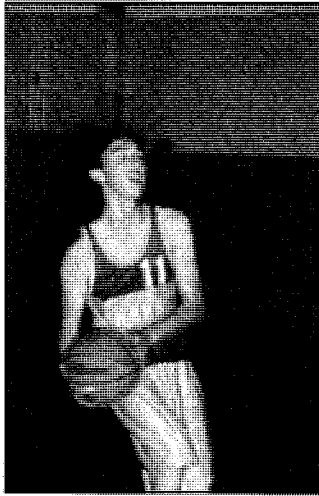
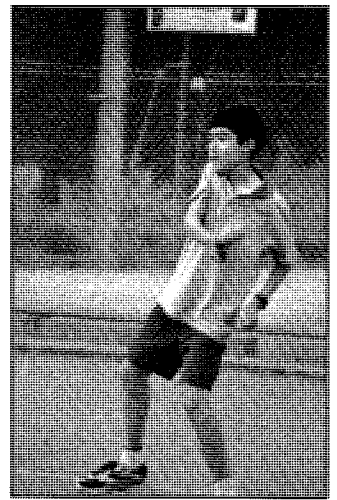
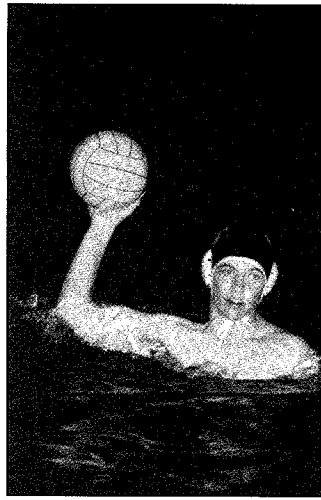
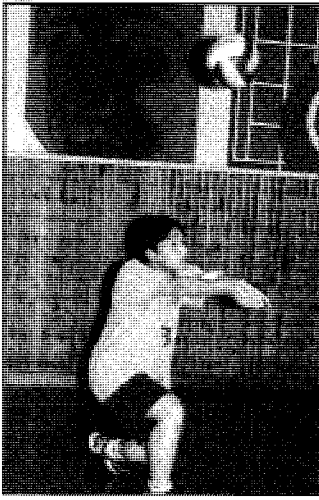
Pre game pep talk

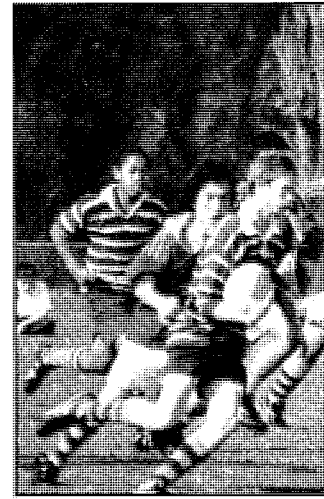
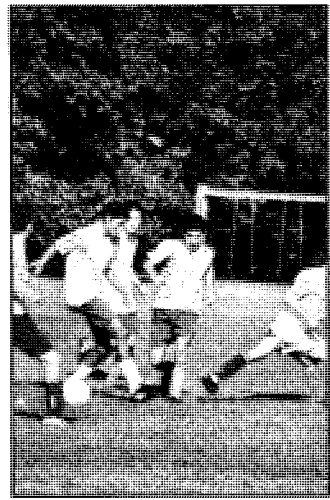
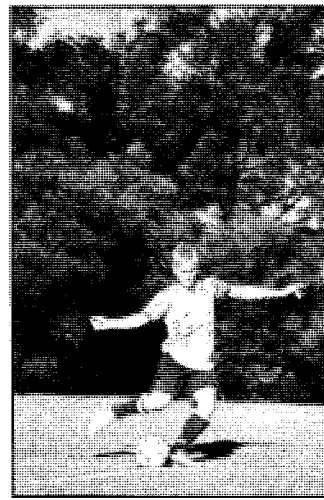
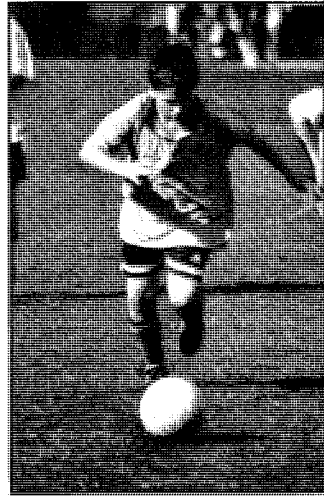
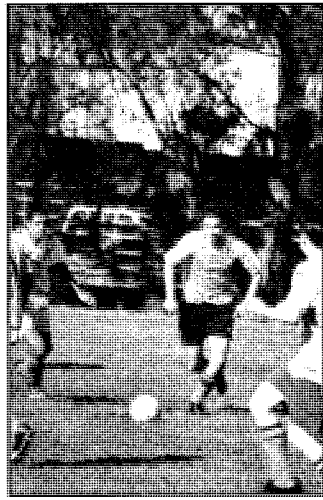
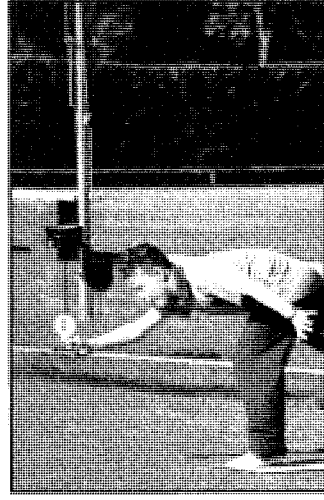
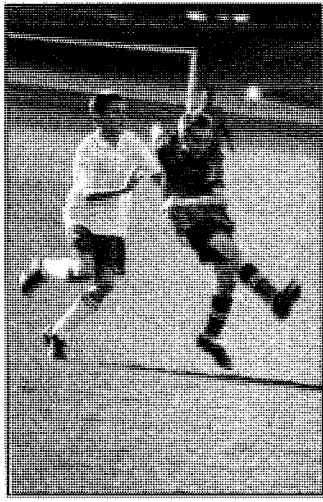


Chasing the ball

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sport summer action





sport winter action

FIRST GRADE HOCKEY



The team consisted of: E.Ferdous, J.Naran, K.Ayaz, Z.Hossain, S.Jain, K.Kangasabapathy, J.Kandasamy, M.Mason, A.Mullane, H.Nadarajah, E.Parry, R.Rathore, X.Selathambu, M.Singh, S.Singh, D.Kulendranathan.

The first grade hockey team had mixed fortunes this year despite being equal first on the competition table with Epping before the semi-finals. They were unable to go on and win, losing their second game for the season to North Sydney, who they had beaten only once before.

During the season the best players were Sourabh who was the top goal scorer with Jatin a close second. The captain was once again, Evan, who was relentless in both defense and attack. Special mention must go to Dharshan who stepped in as goalkeeper for the final four games - for someone who had never played he was an outstanding success. For a team that never had training it was a great effort to get so far. I would like to thank the boys who are leaving this year for a most enjoyable two seasons Evan, Sourabh, Jatin, Haran, Dharshan, Jana, Karthi, Mannu, Supreet, the two Sai's, Kandeepan, Suren, Ragu and of course "Da Manager" Thulaisi for all his Support throughout the season.

C.Halkidis.
Coach

JUNIOR HOCKEY A (REDS)



The team consisted of G.Andrews, S.Azmi, B.Churton, P.Kalra, D.Nassif, M.Ng, D.Paynter, J.Paynter, W.Qudrat, M.Satti, D.Singh, N.Singh, P.Sran, V.Verma.

A team with an inexperienced coach, these boys played very hard throughout the season; unfortunately we missed out on the final. However, the team learned the great value of team work, discipline and positional play. Well done boys!

A special thank-you to Senior Hockey coach, Mr.Halkidis, and senior referee student - Rishiv Rathore, who helped with the team throughout the season.

Well done to the whole team and thankyou for an enjoyable season.

Ms.A.Hsueh
Coach

JUNIOR HOCKEY 'BLUES'



It was a fantastic year for the Hockey Blues. We came from being second last on the ladder in 2002 to playing in the Semi-finals in 2003. Unfortunately, we drew with Epping in the semi-final so they won on past points.

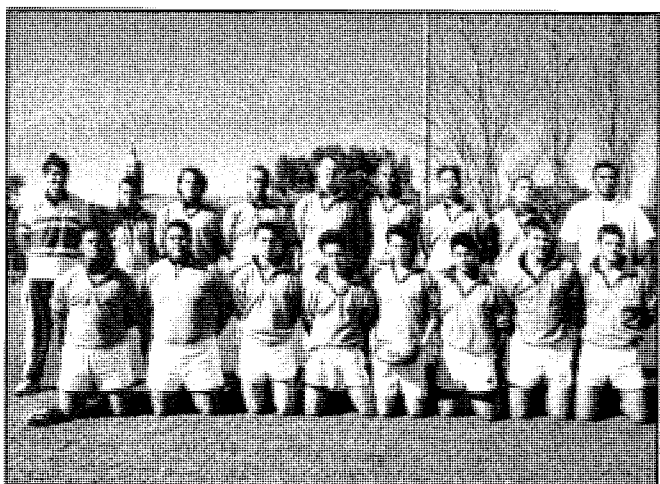
Our team play was stunning this year and this resulted in us winning game after game by 2 nil, 4 nil, 6 nil and even 7 nil. Not one particular player made the difference this year - it really was a big team effort. Our defence was brilliant, our centre field never stopped running and our forwards were just stunning in setting up goal after goal. To name individuals would mean having to list the entire team because they were all great. I will however say a huge THANK YOU to the whole team and I look forward to us being even better next year.

Best and Fairest was awarded to Chris Pooley because he played with enthusiasm and without complaint, game after game irrespective of pouring rain, swampy-knee-height grass or heat and, like his team mates, he never stopped running or trying.

Well done for 2003 Hockey Blues.

Miss Gobel
Coach

FIRST GRADE RUGBY First XV Zone Runners-up.



The First XV kicked off a promising season with a great victory against Epping at their school. It was a great start with Pascal Wallace setting up a few tries with superb ball skills and Rhys Tozer showing some outstanding try saving defence.

We progressed through the season with our dominating forward pack. David Mapapalangi and our fearless captain, Johnny Lemoto, allowed our talented back-line, full of talent, to capitalise on try-scoring opportunities.

We met Randwick at their home-ground twice in the rounds. The first match was very close with great defensive performances by Lyle Taualai and Matthew Helou. The second match was a different ball game with a convincing Randwick win despite great efforts by 2nd Graders - Huu Nguyen, Karl Malek and Ali Morgan as well as regular First Graders - Paul Latu and Carl Nygryn.

John Lemoto, Tim Winitana, Phillip Havea and David Mapapalangi represented our Zone in the CHS Carnival. David Mapapalangi was awarded 'Most Valuable Player of Carnival' and a spot in the CHS side. North West Zone reached the final but lost to Sydney West. Pascal Wallace and Lyle Taualai played for Northern Suburbs and did well there too.

Then it was back to the Zone Competition - with wins over Asquith and Normanhurst. A win over Ashfield saw Darren Thompson show great talent in his debut as a forward and Dean Montone and Phillip Havea make plenty of metres.

We made the semi-final - annihilating Epping by over fifty points with Omar Tarabyn delivering great ball from the ruck.

We faced Randwick in the Zone Final. It was a great match but we went down 19-26 with great games by Dean Montone, Luke Pracy, Tim Winitana and John Lemoto. Carl Nygryn and Andrew Little scored great tries after great driving work up-field by the forwards.

After several weeks of needed rest we played an international match against Windhoek College, the top Namibian school side. We went down 0-21 in the friendly match but a good time was had by all - especially David Mapapalangi and Tim Winitana who put on a few big hits in the final minutes.

**Mr.A.Mitchell
Coach**

SECOND GRADE RUGBY



2003 was a successful season for a very good team of quality players who were good sportsmen throughout the season. Referees commended the team for their fair play and commitment. Pressure from a good oversupply of reserves meant that the pressure was on every player to perform - which they did.

Special mention needs to go to Ali Morgan who proved to be a capable and cool captain. He lead an enthu-

siastic team that was often inspired by brilliant play and magnificent ball skills from Mahuta Mareta and electric runs from fullback by Hassin Trad.

A strong pack of forwards took the ball forward vigorously. Rocco, Elias, Mohammed and Phillip made many powerful runs up the middle.

Results for the season were as follows

away game	Epping	loss	0-19
away game	Randwick	loss	0-19
home game	Randwick	win	31-5
away game	North Sydney	win	22-5
home game	Epping	washout	
away game	Randwick	win	15-12
home game	North Sydney	win	31-3
Semi Final	Epping	win	12-7
FINAL VS RANDWICK		loss	10-27

The team played very well to reach the final and were beaten on the day by a very skilled Randwick team. Overall the two best teams in the competition were Homebush and Randwick and the final tally was two wins each.

Thanks for the season and thanks to Mr Mitchell and the 1st XV for their support.

The team was Rocco Musumeci, Elias Taouk, Cihan Ozgen, Raby Gharibeh (props); Ali Morgan (hooker); Mohammed Zaoud, Carl Imer (second row) Phillip Browne (lock); Robert Tang, Isaac Kapodistrias, Roland Tungka, Sam Allam, Mayouran Sriharan, Chanakya Sandilya,(flankers); Mahuta Mareta, Andrew Piper, Abdul Moussa (halves); James Matthew-Stubbs, David Tran, Huu Nguyen, Andy Radai , Haydar Zeineddine (centres); Karl Malek , Sam Chan ,Tim Bates, Peraseelan Punniyamoorthi, (wing)Hassin Trad , Colin Ma , (fullback)

**Mr A Doolan
Coach**

15 YEARS RUGBY



What looked to be a promising season by players who had an introduction to the game in the previous year, turned out to be a rather disappointing end to a season hampered by bad weather and injury. The few experienced players such as Robert, Cameron and Shaun tried valiantly throughout the season to keep us in the top four, but could not win against the uncontrolled factors mentioned previously.

The back-line were slow to get going, but soon found confidence and determination inspired by their forwards who displayed the best lineout throughout the competition, and their hard-hitting outspoken leader, Lindsay.

Unfortunately, with our captain Shaun, injured and

overdue for surgery, the cancellation of our last few games due to inclement weather and a tight schedule, we were prevented from making the cut to the semis and final.

Although, very disappointing, this team I am sure, will be a force to be reckoned with in the not too distant future. Players like, Daniel D, Matt L, Edwin L, Marvin L, Abrar, Kareem, Stuart, Ryan K, Sam R, Morgan, etc... are all young players who with a little determination and a lot of hard work will make an excellent 1st team to represent the school at the highest level.

Thanks for playing.

Mr. S Martin
Coach

14 YEARS RUGBY



Kosapeli took the ball to the line and turned enabling Ryan and Sam to block the maul moved forward and Mitchell ripped the ball he ran diagonally to the goal-posts and off-loaded to Beau who passed to Adam Morgan who put Adam Imer into a gap the last pass went to Grishma who scored.

The scenario was often repeated.

In the true traditions of Homebush Boys' Rugby, the 14 Years team had a successful and rewarding season. Seven wins ... five wash-outs ... and one loss left them second on the competition table and defeated semi-finalists.

The 'tight five' formed a robust group who provided possession for the team. This group of hard-working players was made up of Kosapeli Mapapalangi, Joshua Tate, Josiah Kavoa, Oner Kasap, William Poliopolous, Maheer Saquar, Sam Everett and Ryan Beattie. We were very well served by Mitchell Ried, Ibrahim Tarybyn, Omar Youssef and John Vaitaiki, who made up a back-row responsible for many breaks and try scoring opportunities.

A quality half-back in Sean Treweek joined the school in 2003 and he gave great service to Beau Payne, Adam Imer and Adam Morgan. Many new players tasted success in the back-line and they included Grishma Tamang, Tim Nicholls, Daniel Edgerton, Damian Shannon, Daniel Lameri and Michael Clarke.

The important full-back position was covered by Joshua Hilliard who has a genuine Rugby pedigree. In a season of many highlights our 'most valuable player' was John Vaitaiki, our 'most improved' was Grishma Tamang, and Joshua Hilliard received the 'Coach's Award for following instructions'.

I look forward to Season 2004 when, as 15 Year olds, the boys will continue their improvement. Each parent should be proud to have sons who tried so hard and were always fair in their dealings with the opposition, the referee and with each other.

Mr.W.Hilliard
Coach

13 YEARS RUGBY Undeclared Zone Premiers



The team were undefeated minor premiers for 2003. Throughout the season, the team displayed fiery tenacity on many occasions, especially in a hard-fought match against Epping when trailing into the second half, they rallied to achieve a drawn result.

On yet another occasion against Macquarie, the team were behind in the scoreline, but the desire to win, together with the never-say-die attitude instilled at Homebush resulted in a triumph.

The final against Macquarie was a great win for the boys against bigger opponents - fortitude and resilience the winners on the day.

Special mention should also be made of the individual brilliance of Edward "Teddy" Bates and Nathan Massey in the backs, while the entire forward pack are to be commended for their relentless pursuit of possession throughout the season.

Coaches Richardson and Rodi provided inspiration, technical know-how and oranges culminating in final victory.

The squad comprised of Akunyare, Bates, Chan, Danylak, Dinopoulos, Djurichkovic, Edington, Essaghir, Fischbeck, Green, Hati, Hazelbrook, Lees, Mansfield, Marino, Massey, Parker, Paterson, Pluis, Roqich, Shute, Singh, Smedley, Sozen, Tuite.

FIRST GRADE SOCCER



What can we say about the 2003 season?

Well for a start this was the first team I have been involved with which has not made the semis. Other minor triumphs included not being able to beat North Sydney or Normanhurst, thumping one of the finalists (Asquith), not losing to the other finalist (Epping) and not losing to the third placed Randwick.

So much for the negatives as they were far outweighed by the positives. This was one of the kindest and most gentle sides (too nice really) that I have been associated with as their sportsmanship and willingness to play as a team was never in question. There was only one player who crossed the line - great save Daniel! - and he took it well.

The real challenge in the season was actually being able to get on to the park as much of the season was washed out. We only played five of the allotted twelve matches.

Match by match the season went very erratically.

Round 1 v Normanhurst (0-2).

Both goals came from embarrassing defensive bloopers, which were to be repeated on numerous occasions. The defensive wall is not a strength of Homebush football.

Round 2 v Asquith (1-3) Mathew Craig

The biggest mistake we made here was to score first but then the rot set in. Penalty, lob, deflection = three goals.

Round 3: v North Sydney (0-1)

Again a non-existent wall and a deflection. This match was characterised by eccentric refereeing and highlighted by the boating prowess of Jim Chao and Marcin Wierzbicki paddling away in Sydney Harbour to rescue four of the five footballs which were making their way out to sea.

Round 4 v Epping (washed out)

Round 5 v Macquarie (double points - washed out)

Round 6 v Randwick (double points - washed out)

Round 7 v Normanhurst (1-1)

Our first genuine points in a pulsating performance, which we dominated for long periods but could not hold out after the dismissal of Daniel Craig in the 37th minute. It was a lovely save but for the fact that Daniel was wearing the #5 shirt at the time.

Round 8 v Asquith (4-3) Erdal Ak, Mohamud Qasin 2, Mustafa Simsek.

This was the best performance of the season as Homebush took it to Asquith to thrash them everywhere but on the scoreline. Everyone played well and the team finally functioned. However, the old problems were there with another penalty and two deflections.

Round 9 v North Sydney (washed out)

Here the season effectively ended as there was no hope of making the semis.

Round 10: v Epping (washed out).

Puma Cup

Round 1: bye

Round 2 v Carlingford (2-0) Alen Hodzic, Qasin Mohamud

This was a match in which we hammered the opposition but could not put them away. Still we won and were into the third round.

Round 3 v Normanhurst (1-2 AET) Stephen Ly

See Round 7 above. We were a mere two minutes away from the penalty shoot out and the unlikely possibility of a win when the usual freak goal was scored. The highlight of the match was Stephen Speirs' inspiring debut performance playing for some 70 minutes after a full game in the 15s. He and four or five others are the future of HBHS football.

The players involved were:

Erdal Ak - A very gifted player who will be the backbone of the 2004 team.

Costa Arvanitopoulos - Goalkeepers are supposed to be crazy and Costa reinforces this viewpoint by making great saves and horrendous mistakes all in the same match. There's always next year for redemption

Mathew Craig - Good ball skills, pace and an eye for goal. Unlucky.

Alen Hodzic - Strong in the tackle with a fierce shot.

Harry Karadimas - Injured early in the season but a strength in defence. Never gave up even when all seemed

lost (and it often was)

Stephen Ly - The find of the season and the player of the year. Inspirational in defence, midfield and occasionally attack.

Ryan Marks - Settled in well from the 15As to develop into a strong tackling defender with a keen eye.

Qasin Mohamud - Erratic. Brilliant one match, hopeless the next. Needs to curb his exuberance

Matthew Ng - Good ball skills. Played well when he had not indulged in his pre match weakness.

Mustafa Simsek - Always gave 120% and worked hard.

Anthony Solaese - An inspirational captain, strong in the air and the tackle.

Junji Tai - Worked hard.

Con Trantis - Improved out of sight when converted to the midfield.

Hader Albatat, Jim Chao, Daniel Claveria, Thomas Mustafa and Ricardo Rais all came on as substitutes during the season and acquitted themselves well.

Congratulations also to the second grade who were inspired in their magnificent victory in the final against Epping.

We can only look forward and with the many talented players coming through the lower grades a return to the halcyon days of the nineties seems assured.

Roger Doenau:

Manager, mentor and coach (of sorts)

SECOND GRADE SOCCER Zone Premiers



The team consisted of H.Albatat, J.Chao, D.Claveria, M.Craig, L.Gray, A.Hodzic, A.Kim, H.Mehmet, Q.Mohamud, T.Mustafa (c), A.Ozturk, R.Rais, R.Shanmugan, V.Shanmugan, G.Siomos, J.Tai, M.Wierzbicki.

The season commenced with the team aiming to give a respectable performance during the season. They certainly did this - finishing with the Zone Premiership.

The first match resulted in a good 3-0 away win over Normanhurst with two goals by M.Craig and one by H.Albatat. A 2-0 away win over Asquith followed with goals by Q.Mohamud and A.Kim. However, a good start was followed by a 0-7 home loss to the strong Ashfield team. A surprising 1-3 away loss to North Sydney put us on the back foot

- one goal by J.Chao.

A wash-out against Epping followed. Double points match against Randwick followed but a wash-out was the result.

The second round commenced with 4-2 home win over Normanhurst and saw J.Chao score a hat-trick and A.Ozturk score one goal. Another lapse in form resulted in a 2-4 home loss to Asquith - one goal each to D.Claveria and J.Chao.

We hit top form in the away match against Ashfield with goals by Q.Mohamud & A.Hodzic giving us a good 2-1 win. Wash-outs against North Sydney & Epping followed.

We qualified for the semi-final in third place and our opponents were second placed Ashfield. We knew that the match would be difficult. We hit top form in a high standard match to win 3-0 with two goals by Q.Mohamud and one by J.Tai.

Our opponents in the final were Epping who were Minor Premiers and as expected were strong opponents. Once again our team lifted their game on the day to win 2-0 with goals by J.Chao & H.Albatat.

The team possessed a strong and reliable goalkeeper in Lindsay Gray. In defence, captain, Thomas Mustafa and Ricardo Rais were a tower of strength. They were well supported by Marcin Wierzbicki, Rajev Shanmugan and George Siomos.

Junji Tai, Alen Hodzic, Anil Ozturk, Daniel Claveria & Aaron Kim worked hard in mid-field gaining valuable possession with enthusiastic tackles, often turning defence into attack. Hader Albatat, Halil Mehmet and Vishnu Shanmugan (until injured) displayed versatility by playing in mid-field and attack. Our attack was led by Jim Chao and Qasin Mohamud.

In a close competition our team scored nineteen goals for and eighteen against. Goal-scorers were J.Chao 6, Q.Mohamud 4, M.Craig 2, H.Albatat 2, D.Claveria 1, A.Ozturk 1, A.Hodzic 1, A.Kim 1 & J.Tai 1.

The team showed great determination and reliability to win the competition, but just as pleasing was the cooperation and well mannered behaviour. The team played well above themselves as the season progressed and it was obvious that the boys enjoyed themselves.

The team can be pleased with their performance in finishing Zone Premiers and should look forward to continued improvement and enjoyment next season.

**Mr.J.Evans
Coach**

3RD GRADE SOCCER

'Only big eagle stay all' a time on topmost tree.'



(19th cent. proverb from the Crow, a North American Indian tribe). Our Third Grade Soccer team knew that there were teams determined to jostle Homebush off its perch after last year's Final 1-0 win over big bird Epping but in the cycle of soccer life that had to be confronted. Our raw new team wait-

ed for the onslaught.

Confidence was boosted by an easy first game win over Normanhurst but it came as a bit of a shock to be pipped at the post (3-2) by a significantly improved Asquith. From this point of time, there was deterioration as we swept up against the old rivals, Epping 3rds and 4ths, the 4ths proving their potential as top eagle by a well-synchronised attack, downing us 6-0, an ominous sign.

Even in its defeats, the team showed courage under fire while their talents - and weaknesses - emerged. Tenacious in defence were Ben Pooley, James Mann and Ashkhan Ahourdan; unflinching in fiery tackling were Adem Agar and Mrigesh Tamang. Solidly reliable in the centre and a valuable kicker from goal was Biray Ipek, while sometimes fleetwinged in attack, were Ashwin Sunderaj, Amlan Sharma, Saul Han and Stephen Lai. Shoring up defences and marshalling the team was captain Harsha Jayavajji while experienced goalie Janahan shut out many goal attempts.

Surprisingly enough wins and rain cancellations were to allow the Thirds to scrape into the semi-finals where they faced a confident Asquith at Epping Boys High oval. A couple of quick goals in reply to Asquith's first had the team grimly hanging on. In the end it was the lightning fast defence in the goal mouth by Janahan against six point blank goal shots (a true warrior, he had no gloves!) which slipped us into the Final.

Surprised we were again, but not pleasantly, the Epping 4ths playing machine went into high gear and efficiently penetrated our defences 8 times despite valued encouragement from Homebush 4ths players. Featherdustered, we thanked them for the game, they smiled to the skies and we watched them to their cars. The eagle (or battered owl) had toppled to the dust.

Next year, our young eagle, older and better sinewed, will rise into the skies and challenge for the top perch once again.

**Mr.M.Klein
Coach**

FOURTH GRADE SOCCER



The 2003 team boasted names like J.Encarnacao, D.Garan (c), T.Jacob, T.Jeong, P.Karakostanti, J.Ly, D.Mahmud, T.Man, J.McIntyre, P.Papas, B.Sahebektihar, U.Santhikumar, S.Sivarajah, E.Tran, O.Wang, R.Yassa, A.Zhu.

The 2003 try-outs consisted of around sixty-five hopefuls trying to get a kick at the ball. Except for Allan Zhang and a few other lost individuals the talent present was overwhelming. This led to a dilemma as there were only three teams planned meaning that about twenty applicants would be rejected. Things were looking pretty gloomy but fortunately the valiant Mr.Sivasothy came to the rescue and developed a whole new concept - a Homebush 4th Grade Soccer team!

Prior to this 3rd Grade was the lowest rank in our soccer hierarchy.

The team had no separate league of its own and had to compete with the 3rd Grade teams, leaving us at an obvious disadvantage. The question remained - could this team of mixed talent and minimal co-ordination cause an upset and win the Premiership? ... Well sadly the answer was NO, in fact we lost every single game except for a 3-3 draw against a team whose name I cannot recall.

In this game all three goals were scored by our top, if not our only, goal scorer, Peter Karakostantis, who scored a total of 8 goals during the season. The other goal scorers included Daniel Garan, who is our captain, stamping his authority with a goal in the first game of the season, Peter Papas with a header from close range and myself with a shot from outside the box (solo effort). Not to be out-done was Daani Mahmud, who snuck in TWO OWN GOALS, which booked him a permanent position on the bench.

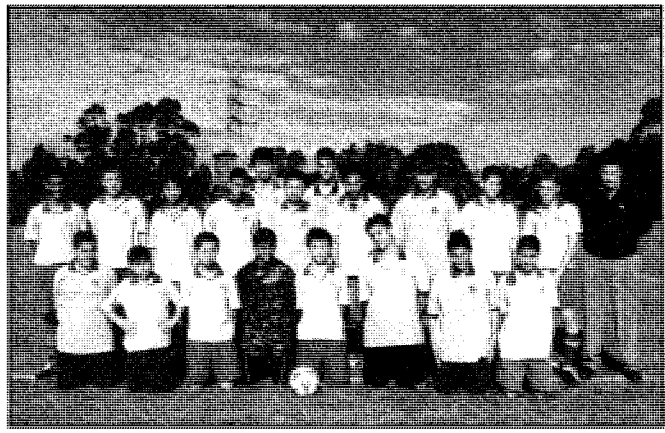
Our goal-keeper seemed to change from time to time but Joseph Encarnacao was the most prominent.

Our defence co-ordinator was the lanky Ramy Yassa who did an excellent job intimidating the opposition. Other stand-out players included Owen Wang, Thomas Man and Thomas Jeong.

All in all the season was a pretty disappointing one as explained by our captain, Daniel Garan - 'They are lazy and lack discipline'.

In the case of there being a 4th Grade Soccer team next year then it is assumed that things can only get better.

Thomas Jacob



motivated and talented team of aspiring young players came together to improve their soccer talents and understanding of the game.

Although a general overall improvement was noticed towards the end of the season culminating in the occasional win, the improvement in form was left too late to make it into the semi finals

The team consisted of M. Agar, R. Amir-Khan, S. Barkat, A. Bektas, S. Blanco, S. Boulekraout, J. Chong, A. Chur, M. Di Val, H. Doganci, T. Guo, M. Han, D. Lekanic, A. Osman, A. Romero, K. Sevgi, K. Thevapalan, D. Truong, T. Uysal, E.Wu, R. Yassa.

**Mr J. Coskerie
Coach**

14 A SOCCER

15A SOCCER



The team consisted of Stephen Speirs, Joe Vermiglio, Chris Mustafa, Michael Dagiantis, Shariful Islam, David Craig, Raymond Park, Ron Chan, Fuat Sezgin, Mina Wanis, John Hua, Jayanth Stanley, Vinod Jacob, Yohan Kim.

We started the season well with a few wins and the season looked promising. However, not everything went to plan and we lost our way and as a result missed out on the semi-finals.

The year was still enjoyable. Everyone put in 100% when on the field. Even though we did not win every week we still enjoyed playing.

Finally, I would like to thank Dr.Balan for all the time and effort that he put in to make our season possible and enjoyable.

Stephen Speirs

15B SOCCER

The 2003 soccer season was one in which a highly



Despite losing only twice during the season, both times to Minor Premiers Normanhurst, the team failed to reach the semi-finals by finishing equal 4th and being eliminated on a count back system with 2 points separating 1st to our eventual 5th. A couple of washed out games seemed to work against us.

The boys produced some entertaining and skilful soccer and racked up some impressive score lines including a 14-1 demolition of Macquarie and an 11-1 defeat over Ashfield. The boys were good team-mates and did themselves proud with their efforts throughout the season.

Player Review - Goals indicated in Brackets

Preston (13) - Often beat 3-4 defenders with damaging runs, great striker.

Mitchell (6) - Bent in a superb goal from a corner, dangerous upfront

Kenan (4) - Produced some valuable goals, a first time volley from 15 metres his best.

Matt (1) - Played well up front and in the midfield

Neal (3) - Excellent control and distribution in midfield

Stephen (5) - Good runs and crosses when up front and a solid defender

Deniz (3) - Very skilful with a cool head under pressure
 Brandon (2) - Played the best game of the year Vs Asquith - Unstoppable
 Andrew (0) -Very dependable. Great marking and creative in the midfield
 David (2) - Acrobatic goalkeeping and scored 2 goals when given a run
 Dylan (0) - Midfield terrier, never stopped running
 Yunki (0) - Great skill and effective passing game
 Htet (0) - Good hustling in midfield, always gave 100%
 Sean (1) - Scored a great 40 metre looping goal, the shot of the year.
 Ano (0) - Always beat the first man, very dependable at the back.

Players of the Year: Brandon Costa and Preston Shehadie .

**Mr Wilson
Coach**



the final score 3-1 to Homebush. Hasan Meslemani provided inspirational captaincy throughout the season and it was always a great team effort from the boys.

**Mr.S.McFarlane
Coach**

14B SOCCER



The World Game thrives at Homebush and no more so than with the 14B's Soccer team. The team was a mixture of experienced practitioners and first time enthusiasts whose combined talents saw us make the semi-final and give a real scare to the Minor Premiers - North Sydney.

Skill, speed, intelligence and team-work were the corner stones of our approach to each match that we played.

Perhaps what impressed me about our play was the sportsmanlike attitude that was displayed towards our opponents and to each other. I have no doubt that this season has fostered a love of soccer for many of the players involved.

**Mr.J.Kozlowski
Coach**

**13A SOCCER
Zone Premiers**

D.Amarasingham, J.Avery, S.Cheng, B.Eldejany, P.Elliott, E.Kedicioglu, B.Kelly, I.Kerem, I.Kwak, E.Mehmet, H.Meslemani (c),M.Modasser, G.Speranza, S.Tonkin.

The 13A's won the premiership with their usual display of skill and determination.

When Normanhurst scored within the first five minutes of the final there were some rattled nerves but Emre Mehmet pushed forward from the mid-field and powered a shot into the back of the net to bring the equalizer. The second goal to Homebush by Piers Elliott had everyone breathing more easily at half-time. With the wind behind them in the second half it was all Homebush's way and Scott Tonkin, the star striker of the season sealed the match with a decisive goal making

13B SOCCER



This season proved to be a tough challenge. Throughout the season we had some challenging matches and we ended up finishing third. Every team member made a valuable contribution and there were some outstanding moments. The team gave it their all and should be commended for their effort.

Thank you to all the boys who played with determination, enthusiasm and always enjoyed the game. Good luck for next season.

**Mr Tserpes
Coach**

13C SOCCER

The Homebush Boys 13C grade team played a small competition of only five teams, Ashfield, Normanhurst, Epping, Randwick and Homebush. So keen were Normanhurst to play, they entered a 14s team in the 13C competition even though they would not earn any points from their matches.

This years team was an enthusiastic bunch, ably captain by Ron Moubayed who usually had all the team positions and rotations calculated before the coach arrived at the game each week. With mixed success and quite a few cancelled games due to wet weather we managed to sneak into the semi finals.

The boys played a terrific game in the semi-final however the opposition proved too strong and we ended up



with a loss.

Overall the boys were perhaps the most enthusiastic team I have coached to date. Congratulations to all the boys on a great season and for some outstanding sportsmanship.

Mr.B.Crosweller
Coach

FIRST GRADE TABLE TENNIS Zone premiers



It was an exciting year for First Grade Table Tennis. Competition among the top four teams was intense, particularly between Homebush and our arch rivals Normanhurst.

Due to consistent application to training and considerable natural talent, the team of Robert Chan (captain), Andrew Chau, Willis Koh, Yi Wu and Dennis Lu defeated Normanhurst in a tense, dynamic final.

Congratulations in particular to Robert Chan whose sterling effort as captain was essential in so many matches, replacing the need for a teacher!! He also proudly captained our highly successful knockout team and was selected for the CHS team, with Xiao Wang. Also many thanks to Dennis Lu (Year 12), who has given many years service to table tennis at HBHS.

Ms Dwyer
Team Manager

SENIOR 2ND GRADE - TABLE TENNIS

Second grade had a highly entertaining year in table tennis. A few changes to the mid season did not deter their sense of fun.

Although the team consisting of the calm, collected Jason Alim and Tony Bui; the laconic yet highly effective, Kevin Huang; the comic talent of Briant Joi and the ever-reliable Eric Dai was defeated in the semi-finals, they always displayed the utmost sportsmanship.

A special thank you has to go to Eric Dai, for his outstanding commitment to training.

Ms Dwyer
Team Manager

JUNIOR 15 YEARS - TABLE TENNIS Zone premiers



This season of table tennis was really exciting and challenging. The team consisted of captain, Xiao Wang, and the members, Bosco Ryan, Matthew Robson, Jas Singh and Eric Liao.

We learnt a lot from this experience and our efforts paid off when we won the championship! Sportsmanship played a big role, as it is what the spirit of sport is made up of. We would like to thank Ms Dwyer for all her hard work and preparation over the last season. By chance, we might even play again next year as the same team!

A special congratulations to Matthew Robson and Xiao Wang, for their success in the knockout team.

Eric Liao

JUNIOR - 14 YEARS TABLE TENNIS

This year the 14's table tennis team who competed in the grade table tennis competition were Michael Elassi, Heung Ghe Stone, Min Hyo Stone, Haydar Shakara and Kevin Zhu.

We played well, narrowly missing out on the grand finals, losing to Epping in the semi-finals, 3 sets to 4. Hopefully we will do better next year!

On behalf of the 14's table tennis team, I would like to thank Ms Dwyer for her coaching and support.

Min Hyo Stone
Captain

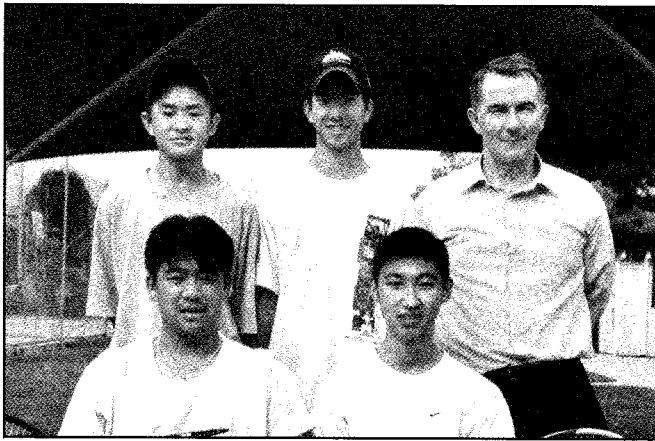
FIRST GRADE WINTER TENNIS

First Grade has been an outstanding team for Homebush. They have always played in a fine manner being friendly and sportsman-like to their opposition but always playing to their ultimate ability. In the 02/03 Summer Season the team won the Zone Final and reached the third round of the Stan Jones State Competition so commenced the Winter competition with optimism.

The team had a great season reaching the Final and although they played well, Epping were victorious by 5 sets to 2 sets.

Jonathon Lim was an outstanding player and super captain who encouraged his players. He was always bright and cheerful. Many thanks for all your efforts over the years.

Andre Rangiah will be missed - he is a player who



never gave away a point and was very competitive in every match. Jason Truong is a naturally gifted player who played many fine matches. Tony Phung will be remembered for his ability to think a player out. Many thanks to Jason Tran for being such a fine team member playing in any position in the team.

It was good to see a new rising star with the introduction of Adem Mumcu who won his match in the finals.

Many thanks to all of the players for a fine season and some great memories of fine tennis as well as of great young men.

**Mr.J.Taggart
Coach**

SECOND GRADE WINTER TENNIS



Second Grade also had a great season finishing third after the rounds. However, a draw in the semi-final saw the second placed North Sydney progress to the Final.

The team learnt many lessons and improved their tennis over the season. Noel Atputharajah learned that you need to think out a match. Joy Thivarajah tennis improved over the season. Jiabin Gong is a fine self made player and a good captain as well as an all round good guy. Jesse Martin's tennis continues to progress and is one of the few naturally gifted volleyers.

Many thanks to all of the players for a fine season.

**Mr.J.Taggart
Coach**

15 YEARS WINTER TENNIS

The 15s tennis team was Samater Ali, Jack Castrique, Sam Musumeci and Janan Satkunanatha.

The boys were semi-finalists and are to be congratulated on their many wins. The boys worked well together as a team and showed good sportsmanship on all occasions.

**Ms.W.Dare
Coach**



14 YEARS WINTER TENNIS



The 14s tennis team consisted of Peter Bijjani, David Schimke, Sudhager Sivabalan and Danny Truong.

The boys worked well together as a team and showed good sportsmanship on all occasions.

**Ms.W.Dare
Coach**

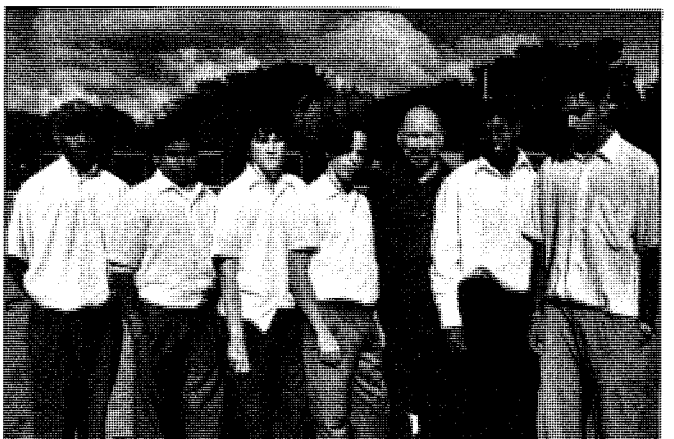
HOUSE VOLLEYBALL WINTER

Nothing special for Year 11 & 12 House Volleyball.

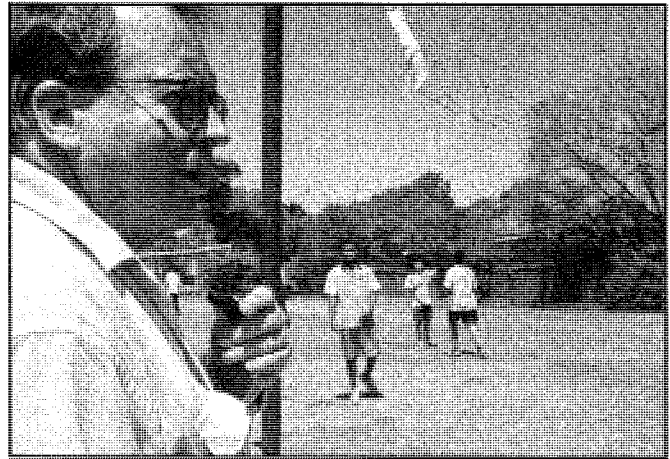
Each week the students are persuaded to stand on their feet and play Volleyball. Even with their inertia they become motivated and manage to play a match which brings hope to their teacher.

Mr.K.Pathan

SENIOR LAWN BOWLS

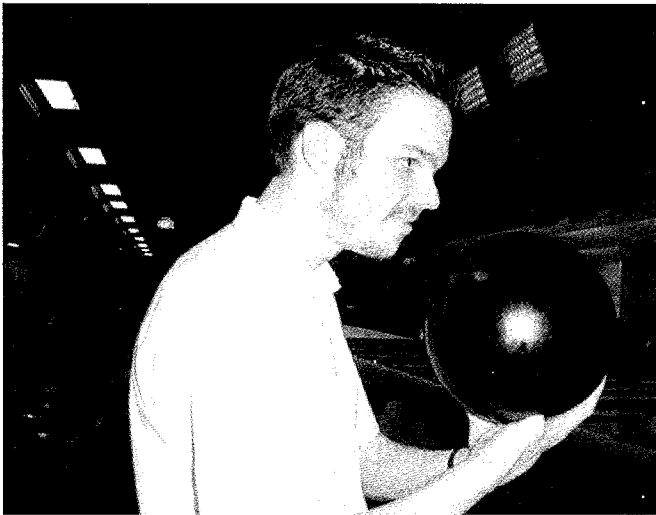


JUNIOR LAWN BOWLS



Mr Renyard

TEN PIN BOWLING



Gregg McCaul

Ten Pin Bowling is a fun and energetic sport. Every week around 40 students from our school form several groups of up to 6 people who compete in an attempt to knock down as many pins as they possibly can while still remaining friendly. It all really comes down to where you aim the ball and where it hits the pins (duh!).

For the past 6 years of school I've been playing Ten Pin Bowling. I've gradually improved to a point where I have regularly been scoring in the mid-200s. This is probably the reason why I received several Sportsperson of the Week awards during that time. They don't call me "The Master" for nothing, you know! I have participated in bowling comps beyond school sport allowing me to mix with fellow bowling enthusiasts across a diverse age range. I was recently awarded a trophy by Enfield AMF Bowling Centre.

Bowling even gets better when you're able to play against the teachers such as Mr Albertson and Mr Gold. Several times Mr Gold gave me a run for my money but in the end I ended up defeating him one week 210 to 129.

The best results achieved in Ten Pin Bowling over the past six years are: Andreas Polychroni with 163 pins, Mitchell Kerr with 139, Michael Richardson with 133 and "yours truly" on a high 273 pins.

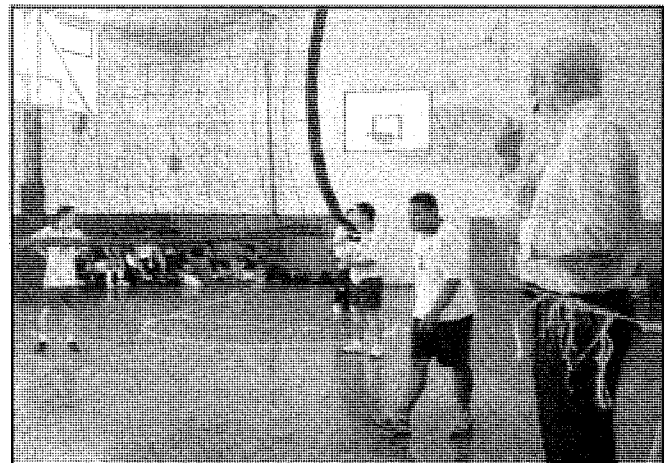
Gregg "The Master" McCaul



Ms Degney



Ms McGuinness



Mr Pinkey

2003-2004 SPORTSPERSON OF THE WEEK AWARDS

26/3/2003	David Paterson	12's Cricket Player of the Year	Stephen Ly	1st Grade Soccer
			Costa Arvanitopoulos	1st Grade Soccer
2/4/2003	Robert Chan	1st Grade Table Tennis	Stephen Speirs	15's & 1st Grade Soccer
	Willis Koh	1st Grade Table Tennis	Mubbasher Satti	Junior Reds Hockey
	Nathan Massey	13's Rugby - scored 2 tries	Shehzad Azmi	Junior Reds Hockey
	Vitale Rodich	13's Rugby	Jim Chao	2nd Grade Soccer
	Taran Singh	13's Rugby	Mousa Saeed	Junior Blues Hockey
	Sam Musumeci	15's Tennis - won both singles and doubles matches	11/6/2003	
	Moussa Saeed	Junior Blues Hockey	Jeremy Pinto	Junior Reds Hockey
	Amlan Sharma	3rd Grade Soccer - scored 3 goals	Nikola Kovac	Senior Lawn Bowls
			Rizwan Amir-Khan	15B Soccer
			Brandon Costa	14A Soccer
9/4/2003	Samater Ali	15's Tennis	13/6/2003	
	Omer Kasap	14's Rugby	Shariful Islam	Buchan Shield Rugby
	Chris Pooley	Junior Hockey Blues	Mark Ibrahim	Buchan Shield Rugby
	Ross Bryant-Payne	Junior Hockey Blues	18/6/2003	
	Mina Wanis	15A Soccer	Sean Little	15's Rugby
30/4/2003	Nathan Crighton	14B Soccer	Robert Kang	15's Rugby
	Joshua Tarrant-Windt	14B Soccer	Abrar Ahmad	15's Rugby
	Sourabh Jain	Senior Hockey	Daniel Davoren	15's Rugby
	Mahuta Mareta	2nd Grade Rugby	Cameron West	15's Rugby
2/5/2003	Jamie Sherson	School X-Country Champion	Jiabin Gong	2nd Grade Tennis
			Noel Atputharajah	2nd Grade Tennis
7/5/2003	Jashan Sekhon	Junior Hockey	Jeremy Pinto	Junior Reds Hockey
	Stephen Ly	1st Grade Soccer	Daniel Nassif	Junior Rede Hockey
	Jim Chao	2nd Grade Soccer	Thomas Mustafa	2nd Grade Soccer
	Marcin Wierzbicki	2nd Grade Soccer	Halit Mehmet	2nd Grade Soccer
	Ron Chan	15A Soccer	Adrian Alim	Junior Blues Hockey
	Joseph Vermiglio	15A Soccer	Ross Bryant-Payne	Junior Blues Hockey
	Noel Atputharajah	2nd Grade Tennis	Danny Truong	14's Tennis
	Jiabin Gong	2nd Grade Tennis	Janan Satkunanathan	15's Tennis
15/5/2003	Matthew Robson	1st Grade Table Tennis (K.O. vs Manly)	Amlan Sharma	3rd Grade Soccer - 4 goals
			2/7/2003	
21/5/2003	Jason Tran	Junior Blues Hockey	Adrian Alim	Junior Blues Hockey
	Chris Mustafa	15A Soccer	Chris Pooley	Junior Blues Hockey
	Joseph Vermiglio	15A Soccer	23/7/2003	
	David Craig	15A Soccer	Lindsay Gray	2nd Grade Soccer
	Jeremy Pinto	Junior Reds Hockey	Robert Tang	14's Rugby
28/5 2003	Jeremy Pinto	Junior Reds Hockey	Josh Hilliard	14's Rugby
	David Tang	Junior Hockey Blues (scored 3 goals)	Grishma Tamang	14's Rugby
	Justin Paynter	Junior Hockey Reds	John Vaitaki	14's Rugby
	Vishal Verma	Junior Hockey Reds	Jannah Jayadevan	3rd Grade Soccer
	Peter Karakostas	4th Grade Soccer	Dharshan Kulendranathan	Senior Hockey
3/6/2003	Jamie Sherson	1st Place 14's Zone Cross Country	30/7/2003	
	Prasanth Ambikapalan	Zone Cross Country	Nathan Massey	13's Rugby
	Tim Bates	Zone Cross Country	Teddy Bates	13's Rugby
4/6/2003	Jiabin Gong	1st Grade Tennis	Ben Green	13's Rugby
			Thomas Mustafa	2nd Grade Soccer
			Scott Tonkin	13A Soccer
			Hasan Meslemani	13A Soccer
			Robert Chan	1st Grade Table Tennis
			Dennis Lu	1st Grade Table Tennis
			Matthew Robson	15's Table Tennis
			Dean Montone	1st Grade Rugby
			Luke Pracey	1st Grade Rugby
			Matthew Helou	1st Grade Rugby
			John Lemoto	1st Grade Rugby
			Tim Winitana	1st Grade Rugby
			6/8/2003	
			Robert Chan	CHS Table Tennis
			Xiao Wang	CHS Table Tennis

14/8/2003

David Gonzalez 15's KO Basketball

10/9/2003

Marvin Lim 2nd Grade Volleyball
 Ali Morgan 1st Grade Basketball
 Mehran Modasser 14's Volleyball
 Andy Liu 15's Basketball
 Tim Butler Senior Oz Tag 2 Scored hat trick

David Paterson 14A Cricket Scored 88 N.O.
 Taranpreet Singh 14B Cricket
 Andrew Nguyen 15's Volleyball

24/9/2003

Shaun Treweek 14's Volleyball
 Sae-Hwan Kim 15's Volleyball
 Alan Williams 1st Grade Baseball
 Nathan Crighton 15's Basketball
 Vishnu Sarpeshkar 1st Grade Cricket scored 65 runs off 32 balls
 Luke Churchill Junior Baseball
 Andrew Roy Junior Baseball
 Joey Fraser Junior Baseball
 Dinesh Karunanithy 14's Basketball

15/10/2003

Robert Huish 14's Basketball
 Nicholas Siomos Junior Baseball
 Joey Fraser Junior Baseball
 Daniel Evans Senior Oz Tag scored a hat trick of tries
 Cameron West Senior Oz Tag
 Eric Au 14's Volleyball served 10 aces
 John Vaitaiki 15's Volleyball
 Vishal Verma 15A Cricket took 3 for 6 runs from 5 overs

Josh Lott 14A Cricket scored 61
 Nicholas Lennings 3rd Grade Cricket scored 74
 Mahesh Vuppalapatti 14B Cricket took 3 wickets for 10
 Phillip Havea NSW All Schools Athletics 2nd in 19's Hurdles
 Jamie Sherson NSW All Schools Athletics
 Adem Mumcu Winner of Under 12's & Under 14's Singles & Under 14's Doubles at the Launceston Tennis Open

Shariful Islam 1st Grade Cricket scored 38 not out and took 2 for 2

22/10/2003

Eric Fong 15's Basketball
 Mayuron Arasaratnam 2nd Grade Cricket scored 3
 Aravinth Selventhiran 2nd Grade Cricket took 3 for 16
 Sorupan Sivapalan 2nd Grade Cricket took 4 for 5
 Ramesh Shanmugasund 14A Cricket took 5 for 8
 Mitchell Starc 14A Cricket took 3 for 6 scored 35 including 5 sixes
 Pawalpreet Sran 15A Cricket took 4 for 14
 Samater Ali 15A Cricket scored 43 no
 Alex Burjan 14's Basketball
 Alex Hazelbrook 14's Basketball
 Niruthan Shanmuganathan 3rd Grade Cricket took 4 for 3

27/10/2003

Vishnu Sarpeshkar Davidson Shield Cricket scored 92
 Janahan Jeyadevan Davidson Shield Cricket took 5

29/10/2003

David Craig Senior Oz Tag 2
 Mathew Craig Senior Oz Tag 2
 Darren Thompson Senior Oz Tag scored 3 tries
 Adam Morgan 15's Basketball
 Emre Mehmet 14's Volleyball
 Brandon Costa 15's Volleyball
 Matthew Pluis 14's Basketball
 Chad Watkinson 14's Water Polo
 Wilson Lam 2nd Grade Volleyball won 7 serves including 6 aces
 Simon Lam 2nd Grade Volleyball won 8 serves
 Edward 'Teddy' Bates Junior Oz Tag

5/11/2003

Sunny Cheng 14's Basketball
 Rajat Sethi 2nd Grade Basketball
 Will Parker 14's Water Polo
 Naveed Khan 3rd Grade Cricket took 5 for 10
 Matthew Helou Senior Oz Tag scored 5 tries
 Henry Gu 15's Volleyball
 Song Mahn Babb 14's Volleyball

12/11/2003

David Gonzalez 1st Grade Basketball
 Tim Winitana 1st Grade Basketball scored 20 points
 James Lee 15's Volleyball
 Andy Liu 15's Basketball scored 24 points
 Elijah Chan 14's Basketball
 Mahuta Mareta Senior Oz Tag
 Rizwan Amir-Khan 15A Cricket took 4 for 8
 Simon Watson 1st Grade Cricket
 Roy Hui 2nd Grade Basketball
 Jason Li 2nd Grade Basketball
 Nicholas Siomos Junior Baseball

18/11/2003

Shariful Islam Davidson Shield Cricket scored 125 N.O.
 Vishnu Sarpeshkar Davidson Shield Cricket took 5 for 48
 Rajiv Shanmugan Davidson Shield Cricket took 4 for 28
 Daniel Davoren 15's Water Polo scored 10 goals in 3 games

19/11/2003

Lawrence Pene 14's Basketball
 Nathan Crighton 15's Basketball
 Abdullah Akgul 14's Volleyball
 Hasan Meslemani 14's Volleyball
 Andrew Nguyen 15's Volleyball
 Rizwan Amir-Khan 15A Cricket scored 110 N.O.
 Joshua Tarrant-Windt 15B Cricket scored 50 N.O.
 Jas Singh 15B Cricket scored 41
 Senthuran Anandarajan 15B Cricket scored 50 N.O.
 Qasin Mohamud Senior Indoor Soccer
 Daniel Nassif Junior Baseball
 Gerard Teo 1st/2nd Grade Basketball
 Henry Liang 2nd Grade Basketball
 Dhilip Nallainathan Senior Baseball
 Zafrul Ahmed 14B Cricket took 3 for 15
 Jack Avery 14's Water Polo
 Kaan Sozen 14's Water Polo
 Ryan Beattie 15's Water Polo

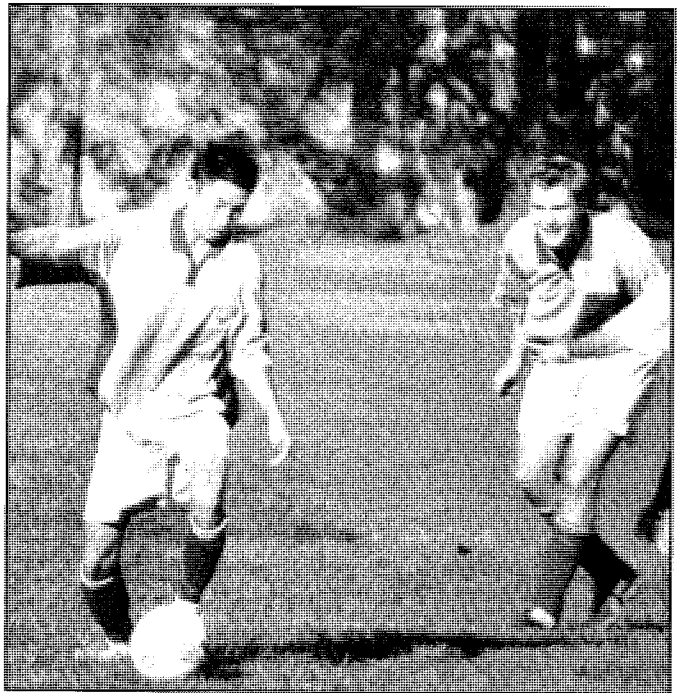
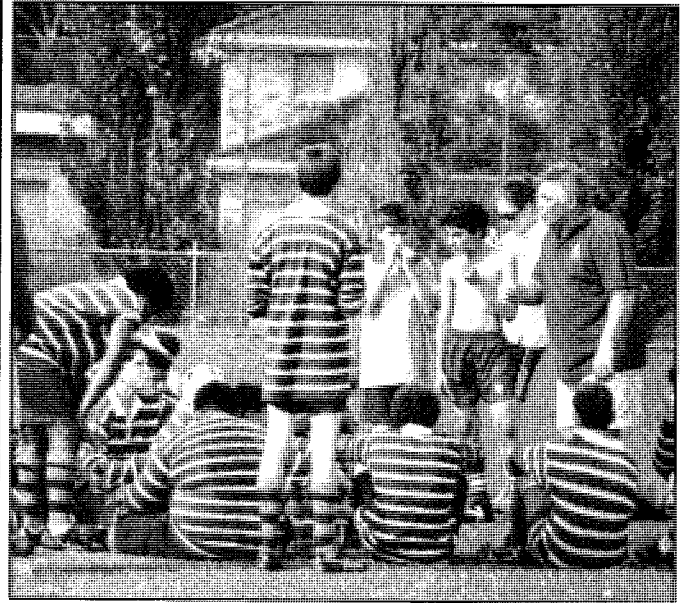
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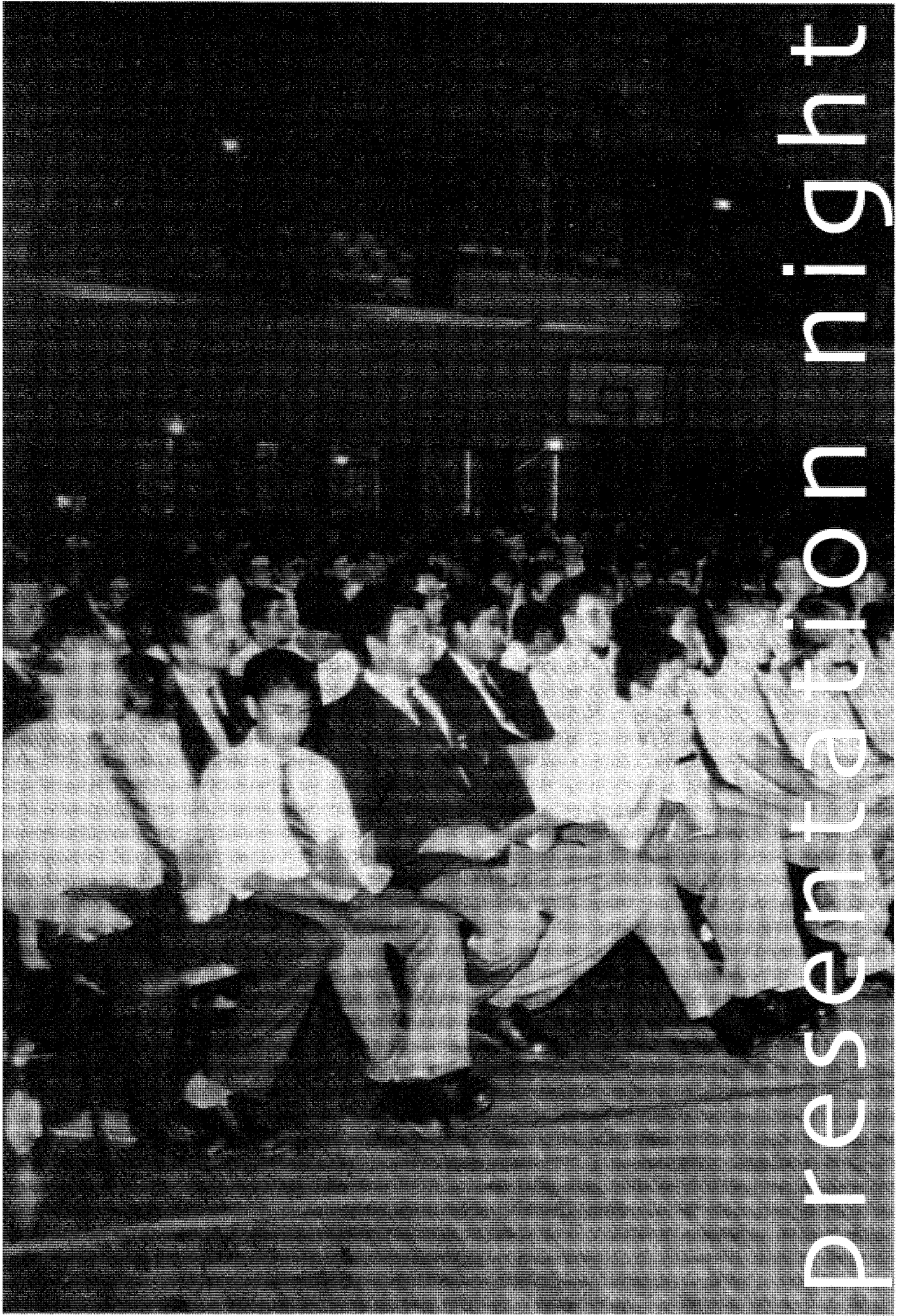
26/11/2003

My Gunaratnam	2nd Grade Cricket scored 109 N.O.
David Gonzalez	1st Grade Basketball
Ali Morgan	1st Grade Basketball
Tim Winitana	1st Grade Basketball
Henry Gu	15's Volleyball
Hamid Faizi	15's Volleyball
John Vaitaiki	15's Volleyball
Simon Dinopoulos	14's Volleyball
Simon Watson	1st Grade Cricket scored 43 and took 3 for 23
Nathan Massey	Junior Oz Tag
Charlie Kang	Junior Oz Tag
Chris Pooley	Junior Oz Tag
James Smedley	Junior Oz Tag
Lawrence Ly	14's Basketball

3/12/2003

Yang Cui	1st Grade Basketball
Abdigibar Omar	1st Grade Basketball scored 26 points
Jason Li	2nd Grade Basketball
Rajat Sethi	2nd Grade Basketball
Vishnu Sarpeshkar	Davidson Shield Cricket scored 23 runs and took 5 for 24
Nava Navaretnaraj	14B Cricket took 4 for 8
Zafrul Ahmed	14B Cricket scored 40 N.O.
Sam Everett	15's Volleyball
Shaun Treweek	14's Volleyball
Mehran Modasser	14's Volleyball
Adrian Nugent	14's Basketball
Matthew Helou	Senior Oz Tag scored 4 tries (six consecutive game scoring 3 or more tries)
Orest Danylak	14's Water Polo
Senthuran Anandarajan	15B Cricket took 4 and catch
Anil Ozturk	Senior Indoor Soccer
Ben Pooley	2nd Grade Volleyball
Aravinthan Selvandran	2nd Grade Cricket took 3 for 7
Nick Siomos	Junior Baseball
Daniel Nassif	Junior Baseball
Sam Tait	Junior Baseball





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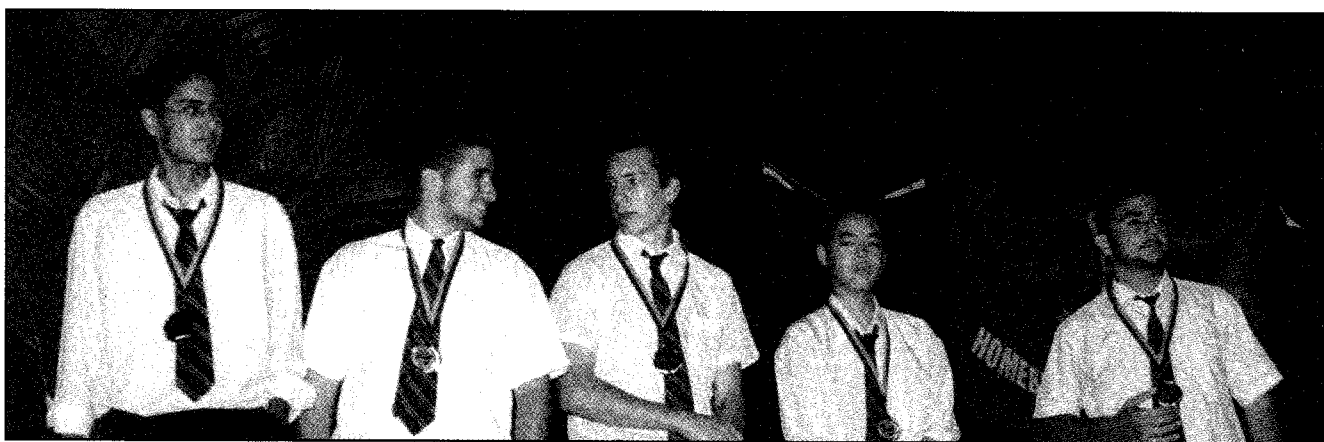
OFFICIAL GUESTS

Councillor Andrew Ho
 Mr John Abi-Saad
 Mr Barry Higgins
 Mr John Murphy & Mrs Adriana Murphy
 Mr Brian Greene

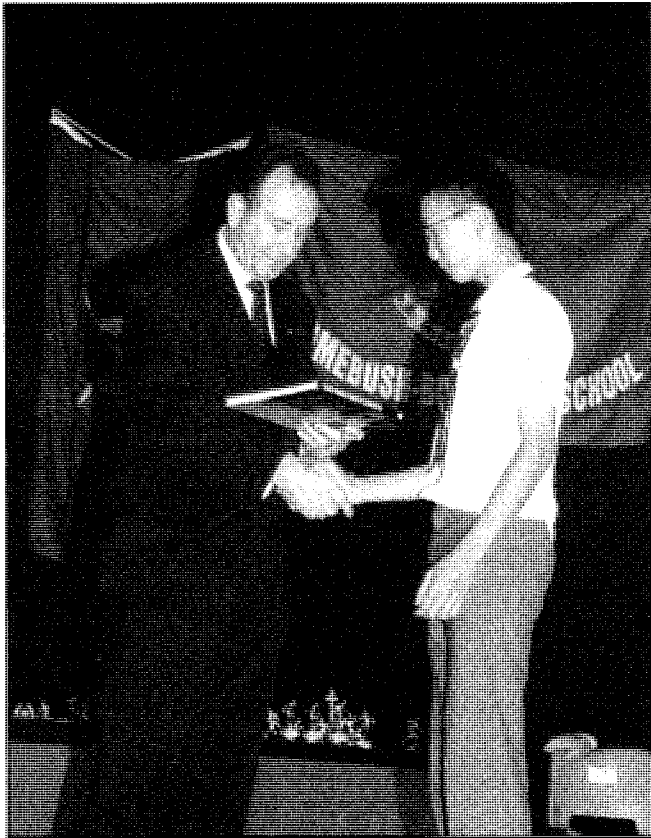
Strathfield Municipal Council
 Mayor Strathfield Council
 District Superintendent
 Federal Member for Lowe
 Former Principal of HBHS

Ms Virginia Judge MLA
 Ms Bilyana Kovac
 Mr Richard Webster
 Mr Malcolm Brown
 Mr Mike Kiddle

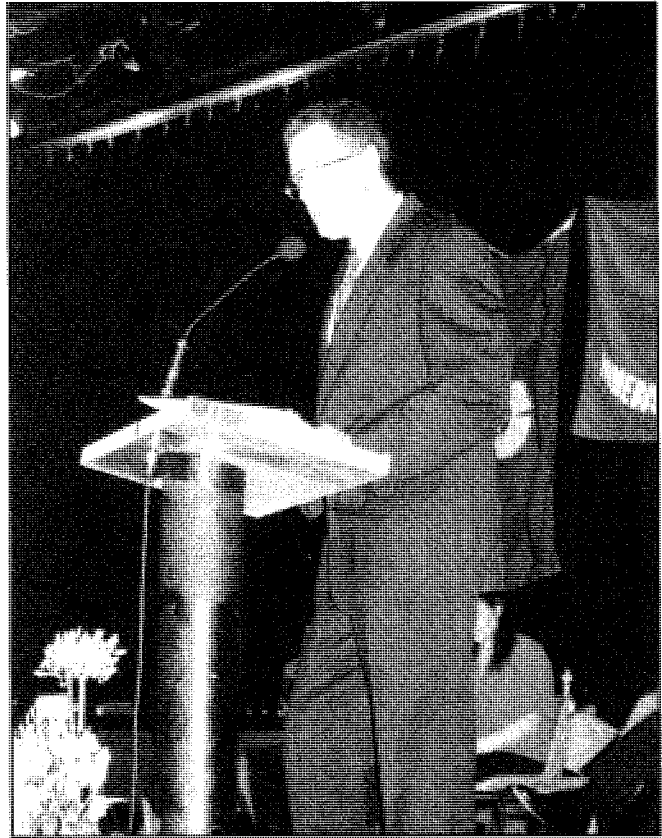
State Member for Strathfield
 President of the School Council
 President of the P & C
 Former Principal of HBHS
 Hwa Tsang Monastery



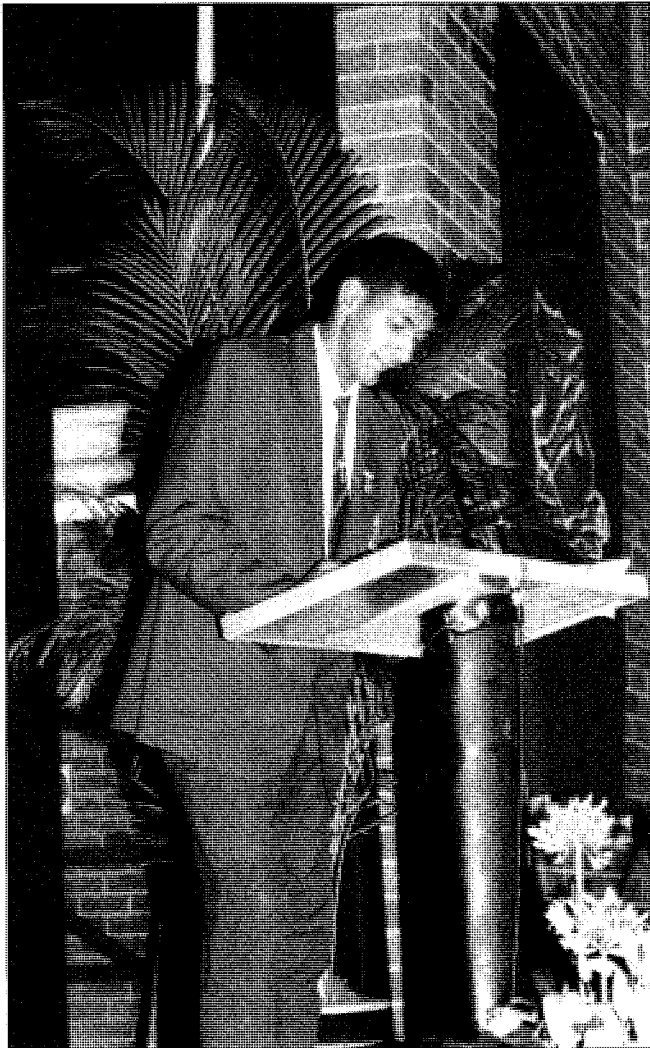
Proud Award recipients of the Principal's Medal



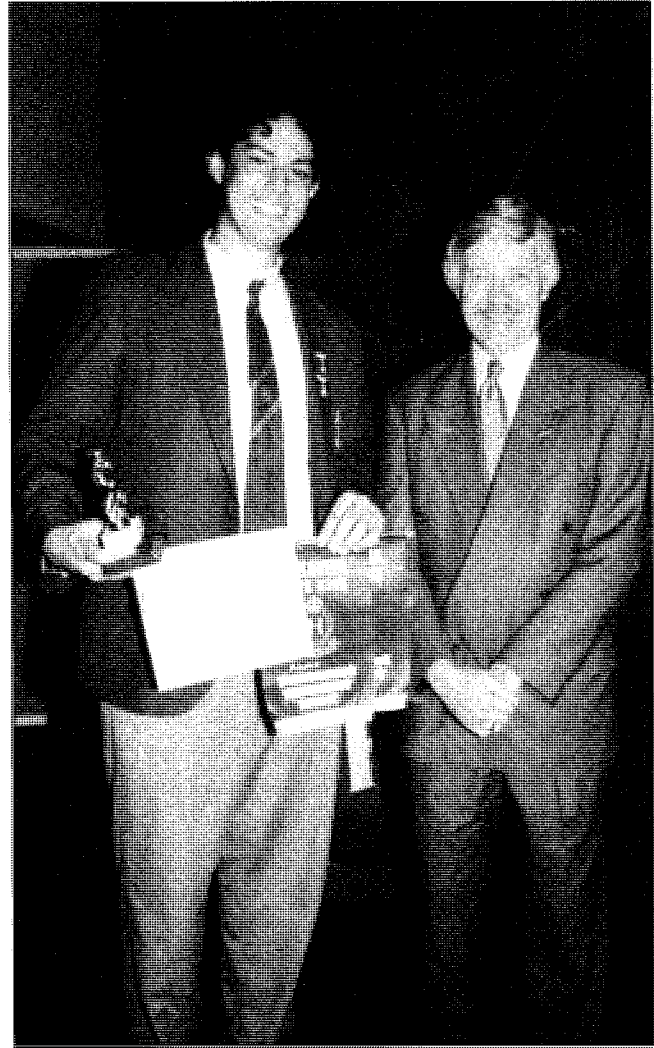
Member for Lowe, John Murphy, presents a book prize to one of many worthy recipients.



Mr Tedford reading out the Sports Report.



Lucky Shanmugan addresses the assembled audience at the Presentation Evening.



School Captain, Anthony Solaese with District Superintendent, Mr Barry Higgins.

presentation night

PRESENTATION EVENING

15th December 2003

FACULTY AWARDS

--- ENGLISH ---

Year 7

First in English
Outstanding Efforts in Wide Reading Program

Daniel Choi
David Paterson

Year 8

First in English
Martin Gabor

Year 9

First in English
Blair Hardaker

Year 10

First in English
David Mang

Year 11

First in Standard English
Ravender Sandhu
First in Fundamentals of English
Peter Chen
First in English (ESL)
Bohui Li

First in English Extension 1
Isaac Kapodistrias
First in Advanced English
Jia Chen (Jacky) Zhang

Year 12

First in Unit English Extension 1
James Kipritidis
First in English (ESL)
Kevin Cheng
First in Standard English
Kali Cama
First in Advanced English
Ashwin Gore

--- HISTORY ---

Year 7

First in History
Abdul Shamari

Year 8

First in History
Hayder Shkara

Year 9

Equal First in History
Chris Pooley
Stephen Speirs

Year 10

First in History
Cameron West

Year 11

First in Ancient History
Henry Zhong
First in Modern History
Isaac Kapodistrias

Year 12

First in Ancient History
James Kipritidis
Equal First in Modern History
Harry Karadimas
Carl Nygryn
First in History Extension
Carl Nygryn

--- CREATIVE ARTS ---

Year 7

First in Visual Arts
Kevin Zhu

First in Music

Daniel Choi

Year 8

First in Music
Adrian Clement
First in Visual Arts
Evan James

Year 9

First in Computers in Music
Danny Kim
First in Photo, Digital Media
Danny Kim
First in Visual Arts
Kobe Tsang

Year 10

First in Music
Roy Hu
First in Visual Arts
Gaven Lin
First in Photo Digital Media
Matt Small
Excellence in CAPA
Matt Small

Year 11

First in Music 1
Andrew Chau
First in Visual Arts
Marcus Harvey
First in 1 Unit Photography, Video & Digital
Ronald Tran

Year 12

First in Visual Arts
Christian Rodriguez
First in Music 1
James Kipritidis

--- SOCIAL SCIENCE ---

Year 7

First in Geography
Nicholas Stomas

Year 8

First in Geography
Shahrooz Sarwar

Year 9

First in Geography
Qijia Wang
First in Commerce
Gregory Lee

Year 10

Equal First in Geography
David Mang
Matt Small
First in Commerce
Simon Watson

Year 11

Equal First in Business Studies
George Stomas
Jia Chen (Jacky) Zhang
First in Legal Studies
Rahul Chaudhri
First in Studies of Religion
Chetan Pursabi
First in Economics
Chetan Pursabi

Year 12

First in Business Studies
James Wakefield
First in Legal Studies
Edmond Chu
First in Studies of Religion
Edmond Chu
First in Economics
Martin Fang

--- LOTE ---

Year 7

First in Language
Mehran Modasser

Year 8

First in Italian
Ethan Rizos
First in French
Tandeep Singh
First in German
Simran Singh
First in Chinese
Adrian Clement

Year 9

First in Italian
Samuel Ali
First in Chinese (Non Background Speakers)
James Yoon
First in Chinese (Background Speakers)
Liu Chen
First in French
Victor Lai

Year 10

First in French
Mohammed Zaoui
First in Chinese (Beginning Speakers)
Mark Ten
First in Chinese (Non-Background Speaking)
Azhar Ahmad
First in Italian
James Man

Year 11
First in Chinese (Background Speakers)
Solih Li

Year 12
First in Chinese (Background Speakers)
Ken Wang Dung

--- **MATHEMATICS** ---

Year 7
First in Mathematics
Kevin Zhu

Year 8
First in Mathematics
Eric Fong

Year 9
First in Standard Mathematics
Murali Agar
First in Intermediate Mathematics
Yuki Tanaka
First in Advanced Mathematics
Xueshan Ma

Year 10
Equal First in Advanced Mathematics
Shyam Sharma
Muhammed Zayed
First in Intermediate Mathematics
Dhulip Naranathan
First in Standard Mathematics
Scott Andrews

Year 11
Equal First in Mathematics Extension 1
Solih Li
Cristen Pirasbi
Equal First in Mathematics
Hassan Kadous
Huu Du Nguyen
First in General Mathematics
George Simoes

Year 12
First in General Mathematics
Michael Kirby
Equal First in Mathematics
James Wakefield
Bans Erockuz
First in Mathematics Extension 2
Martin Feng
First in Mathematics Extension 1
Sourabh Jain

--- **SCIENCE** ---

Year 7
First in Science
Peter Ayre

Year 8
First in Science
Ankit Sharma

Year 9
Equal First in Science
James Yoon
Ru Zhang
Hai De Luo

Year 10
First in Science
Abhinav Khanna

Year 11
First in Biology
Hassan Kadous
First in Chemistry
Mithun Sri Ganeshan
First in Physics
Mithun Sri Ganeshan

Year 12
First in Chemistry
Kevin Cheng
First in Biology
Kevin Cheng
First in Physics
Martin Fong

--- **COMPUTING STUDIES** ---

Year 9
First in Computing Studies
Jamie Scott

Year 10
First in Computing Studies
Nanthanan Jegatheeswaran

Year 11
First in Software Design & Development
Henry Zhong
First in Information Processes & Technology
Peter Chen
Information Process & Tech Excellence
Peter Chen

First in Information Technology VET
Michael Ku

Year 12
First in Software Design & Development
Sourabh Jain
Information & communication Technology Award
First in Information Processes & Technology
Sourabh Jain
Jason Cheung

First in Information Technology VET
Ken Jiang

--- **PD/H/PE** ---

Year 7
First in PD/H/PE
Noah Essaghir

Year 8
First in PD/H/PE
Adam Imer

Year 9
First in Sports Science
Chris Pacey
First in PD/H/PE
Stephen Spars

Year 10
First in Sports Science
Pascal Wallace
First in PD/H/PE
Simon Watson

Year 11
First in Sport, Lifestyle & Recreation 1 Unit
Ani Ozturk
First in PD/H/PE
Isaac Kapodistrias

Year 12
First in PD/H/PE
Philo Antunes

--- **TECHNICAL & APPLIED STUDIES** ---

Year 9
First in Electronics
First in Wood Technics (Cabinet work)
Celia Wang
Jack Atkins
First in Food Technology
Jack Atkins
First in Technical Drawing
Adrian Alim

Year 10
First in Technics (Cabinetwork)
Daniel Evans
Junior Craftsmen Award
First in Technical Drawing
David Mang
Equal First in Technics (Electronics)
Asfend Khan
Gaven Lin
First in Food Technology
Nicholas Jennings

Year 11
First in Hospitality Operations
Hassan Kadous
First in IT - Timber & Furniture
Tim Butler
Senior Craftsmen Award
First in IT - Multimedia
Henry Zhong
First in Engineering Studies
Monit Bhanabhar

Year 12
First in Hospitality Operations
Kai Gana
First in Industrial Technology (Timber)
Harry Karadimas

presentation night

Most Outstanding Design Project
 Equal First in Industrial Technology
 (Multimedia)
 Harry Karademas
 Ashwin Gore
 James Karalitsa

— **SPORTING AWARDS** —

North Western Metropolitan High
 School Blue Award for Table Tennis
 Xiao Wang
 Best & Fairest - Junior Table Tennis
 Xiao Wang
 Captains Banner - Hayes House
 Junji Tai
 Coaches Trophy - Volleyball
 Feras Cheema
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade
 Volleyball
 Andrew Ngo
 Captains Banner - Howe House
 Mohamed Edris
 Hymen Trophy - 16 Years Champion
 Swimmer
 Lyle Taulala
 SD Coates Trophy Champion
 Swimmer - Howe House
 Lyle Taulala
 James Vialle - Most Outstanding
 Water Polo Player
 Lyle Taulala
 1987 Year 12 Trophy - Most
 Outstanding Junior Sportsman
 Lyle Taulala
 Pascal Wallace
 Best and Fairest Junior Volleyball
 Brandon Costa
 Captains Banner - Greening House
 Carl Nygren
 Doug Thornton Trophy - Best &
 Fairest Soccer
 Stephen Ly
 Hymen Champion Swimmer - Hayes
 House
 Jack Avery
 Ingersol Trophy - 12 Years Champion
 Swimmer
 Jack Avery
 ABC Engineering Trophy - 14 Years
 Champion Swimmer
 Joshua Heard
 Abbott Trophy Champion Swimmer
 Vaughan House
 Joshua Heard
 Drumoyne Rugby Union Club
 Trophy - Most Improved
 Omar Tarabayn
 Captains Banner - First Grade Hockey
 Evan Fencous
 Brans Cricket Shield - Outstanding
 Cricket Player
 Ross Shaumagan
 Ken Kyles Trophy - 12 years
 Champion Athlete
 Nolan Essaghir
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Table
 Tennis
 Robert Chen
 Best & Fairest - Table Tennis
 Robert Chen

Charles Waine Trophy - 13 years
 Champion Athlete
 Shaun Treweek
 Champion Athlete - Vaughan - Old
 Boys Cricket Trophy
 Shaun Treweek
 Belding Trophy Champion Athlete
 Greening House
 Jason Tran
 Lewis Berger Trophy - 14 Years
 Champion Athlete
 Jason Tran
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Tennis
 Jonathan Lim
 Samuels Trophy - Senior Champion
 Tennis Player
 Jonathan Lim
 Bell Trophy - 13 Years Champion
 Swimmer
 Ben Green
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Rugby
 John Lemoto
 Drumoyne Rugby Union Club
 Trophy - Best & Fairest
 John Lemoto
 Vaughan Trophy Champion - 15 Years
 Swimmer
 Daniel Davoren
 Brans Hockey Shield Most
 Outstanding Player
 Sourabh Jain
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Water
 Polo
 Andrew Little
 Best & Fairest Lawn Bowls - 1st
 Grade
 Nikola Kovac
 Captains Banner - Lawn Bowls
 Sorupan Sivapalan
 Grace Bros Trophy - Champion
 Athlete Howe House
 Preston Shahadi
 West Strathfield Bowling club Trophy
 - Champion Athlete - Hayes
 House
 Qasim Mohamed
 John Hargrove Trophy - 18 Years
 Champion Athlete
 Karl Malek
 AP Ward Trophy - Cross Country
 Champion
 Jamie Sherson
 Western Suburbs Soccer Club
 Trophy Best and Fairest - Junior
 Stephen Spars
 Harry Gunn Trophy - Junior
 Champion Tennis Player
 Adam Munro
 Western Suburbs Soccer Club
 Trophy - Most Improved
 Ryan Marks
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Touch
 Football
 Abdul Mousa
 Brans Rugby Union Shield - Most
 Outstanding Player
 David Manopalang
 Five Dock Hotel - Best & Fairest
 Touch Football Player
 Mahuta Mareta

Greening Trophy Champion Swimmer
 William Nguyen
 Hambleton RSL Trophy - 15 Years
 Champion Athlete
 Ryan King
 Angus & Robertson Trophy - Senior
 Champion Swimmer
 Ben Davoren
 Captains Banner - Senior Indoor
 Soccer
 Thomas Mastafa
 Best & Fairest - Senior Indoor Soccer
 Con Trente
 Best & Fairest - Junior Cricket
 Sharif Islam
 Best & Fairest - Junior Hockey
 Chris Pacey
 Best & Fairest - Junior Indoor Soccer
 Joseph Vezniga
 Best & Fairest - Junior Lawn Bowls
 Har Raza
 Best & Fairest - Junior Touch Football
 David Craig
 Best & Fairest - 15s Rugby
 Robert Tang
 Best & Fairest - Junior Baseball
 Walter Jones
 Best & Fairest - Junior Basketball
 Jimmy York
 Best & Fairest - Junior Water Polo
 Saan Lita
 Best & Fairest - Senior Baseball
 Eugene Harrison
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade Soccer
 Anthony Sraese
 Malcolm Brown Trophy - Most
 Outstanding Summer & Soccer
 Sportsman
 Anthony Sraese
 Captains Banner - 1st Grade
 Basketball
 Anthony Sraese
 Peter Litchfield Memorial Trophy -
 Basketball
 Anthony Sraese
 Captains Banner - Vaughan House
 Philip Hayes
 Champion House (To be accepted
 by Philip Hayes)
 Vaughan
 Eastwood Rugby Union Trophy
 Sportsman of the Year
 Philip Hayes
 Sutton Trophy - Senior Athlete
 Champion
 Philip Hayes
 KJ Myers Trophy - Most Outstanding
 Summer Sportsman & Rugby
 Philip Hayes

— **CO-CURRICULAR AWARDS** —

Most Outstanding Junior Boy in
 Detailing
 Nicola Kovac
 Jas Singh

Junior Public Speaking Award

Chris Pooley
Stephen Spiers

Prize for Senior Debating

Michael Kerr
Aerwin Gore
Timothy Bates

Senior Public Speaking Award

Rabih Chahbah
Timothy Bates

Peapack F Sport Award for Commitment

Mohammed Zaoui

Cabex Air Rounder Award

Sourabh Jain

--- YEAR AWARDS ---

YEAR 7

Principal's Medal

Vasanth Buvanathan
Josh Lott
Lawrence Pene
Mehran Modasser
David Paterson
Mehran Modasser
Kevin Zhu

Gold Awards

Tharac Arunthavanathan
Anrou Bishara
Andrew Brnfield
Vasanth Buvanathan
Daniel Choi
Simon Chung
Harsharan Elankovan
Michael Huz
David Huang
Paul Kan
Vasil Koungovlas
Josh Lott
Bob Lee
Jake Mansfield
Emre Mehmet
Mehran Modasser
Prakash Nagarathane
Hao Ni
David Paterson
Lawrence Pene
Susan Sahasvelan
Jamie Sherson
Nicholas Somas
Kean Sozen
Jeff York
Jason Yuan
Richardson Zhu
Kevin Zhu
Ben Green
Aman Fazl
Narasanth Kuterandanehan
Lawrence Ly
Jamie Kitharas
Mathew Plus
Scott Tonkin
Philip Truong
Nathan Mazon
Ibrahim Kerem
Jitresh El-Ahmad

Academic Excellence

Andrew Brnfield
Jeff Wong

Dux of Year 7

Daniel Choi

YEAR 8

Principal's Medals

Ethan Rizos
Marc Di Val
Jas Simran Singh
Peter Bijan
Oliver Pasa
Achraf Clement
Omer Kassab

Gold Awards

Adam Attays
Aruna Awan
Peter Bijan
Jacob Chandrasekar
Achraf Clement
Sean Craig
Marc Di Val
Khaled El-Ahmed
Sam Elayoubi
Danny Huang
Omer Kassab
Tandeep Singh
Jake Mansfield
Dwayne McKay
Finn Mercat
Oliver Pasa
Arun Pavanichandran
Jhandishan Ravinthiran
Krishna Rupadas
Ethan Rizos
Aayush Sharma
Jamie Sherson
Jas Simran Singh
Shahar Khan
Hui Yan
James Jeong

Academic Excellence

Tandeep Singh
Oliver Pasa

Dux of Year 8

Hayder Shkara

YEAR 9

Principal's Medals

Andrew Nguyen
Mural Agar
John Dai
Kobe Tsang
Roden Vuong
Brendan Churton
Philip Qin
Arunth Nagappan

Gold Awards

Mural Agar
Brendan Churton
John Dai
Max Ibrahim
Aman Jaiswal
Jaharaj Jeyarathnam
Vlad Katskay
Gordon Lai
Gregory Lau
Hui De Luo
Arunth Nagappan
Philip Qin
Kobe Tsang

Roden Vuong

Jin Yu
Chris Mustafa
Andy Pham

Academic Excellence

Dux of year 9

YEAR 10

Principal's Medals

John Mahajan
Jackie Ly
Nicholas Lennings
Mohammed Zaoui
Daniel Evans
Tang Huang
Hal Mehmet

Gold Awards

James Baxter-Latham
Harry Chan
Nicholas Lennings
Jackie Ly
John Mahajan
Thomas Man
Babak Sanjakhian
Mohammed Zaoui
Ken Wong
Tang Huang

Most Improved Student in Studies in Society

Michael Chung
Ki Lee

Excellence in the Junior School

Ashley Krishna

Most Improved in Year 10

Mohammed Zaoui

Academic Excellence

Abdul Jamal

Academic Excellence

David Meng

Dux of Year 10

Daniel Mahoney

YEAR 11

Principal's Medal

George Somas
Ashraf Singh
Peter Morice

Gold Award

Mihir Srinivasan
Rajiv Srinivasan
Candice Simons
Ashraf Singh
Peter Morice

Most Outstanding Student in Year 11

Mihir Srinivasan

Third in year 11

Chetan Purgabi

Second in year 11

Henry Zhong

Dux of Year 11

Ben Li

YEAR 12

Special Medal

100% Attendance

1998-2003

Gregg McCaul

presentation night

presentation night

Principal's Medal
Gregg McCair

Gold Award
Gregg McCair
Carl Nygren

Michael Richardson
Jason Fran
William Nguyen

Most Improved Student
William Huynh
Luka Pracy

Meritorious Service to the School
Jung Tai

Third in Year 12
Martin Fong

Second in Year 12
Kevin Chang

Out of Year 12
James Kienfoc

CITIZENSHIP & SCHOOL SERVICE AWARDS

Chess Awards
Year 12
Jim Liu

Year 11
Danis Mahmud

Year 10
Louis Tran

Year 9
Wason Pusushanao

Year 8
Matthew Ng

Year 7
Davis Wong

Andrew Ho Citizenship Award
Jas Simran Singh
Arash Ahmad

Excellence in Mentoring
Habib Ghannou
Abdul Jamal
Mohammed Zaoua

Old Boy Prize for All Round Merit
Harry Karadeniz

Charlton Family Shield Best All Rounder
Soudhin Jais

Bandman of the Year
Michael Kirby

Exemplary School Performance
Phung Chi
David Babashy
Michael Kirby

Soros Family Award for Public Relations
Cristian Rodriguez

Outstanding Contribution to the School
James Vithalath

P & C Award Most Outstanding Boy in the School
Anthony Sciacca

Mayor's Award for Citizenship
Ketan Bhatt

OFFICIAL GUESTS

Councillor Andrew Ho
Mr John Ab-Saad
Mr Barry Higgins
Strathfield Municipal Council
Mayor Strathfield Council
District Superintendent
Mr John Murphy &
Federal Member for Lowe
Mrs Adelaide Murphy

Ms Virginia Judge MLA
State Member for Strathfield
Ms Bayana Kovac
President of the School Council
Mr Richard Webster
President of the P & C
Mr Malcolm Brown
Former Principal of HBHS
Mr Richard Webster
Representing the P & C Association
Mr Mike Kutcha
Mr Brian Greene
Hwa Tsang Monastery
Former Principal of HBHS

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For the musical performances

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For his understanding and crowd control

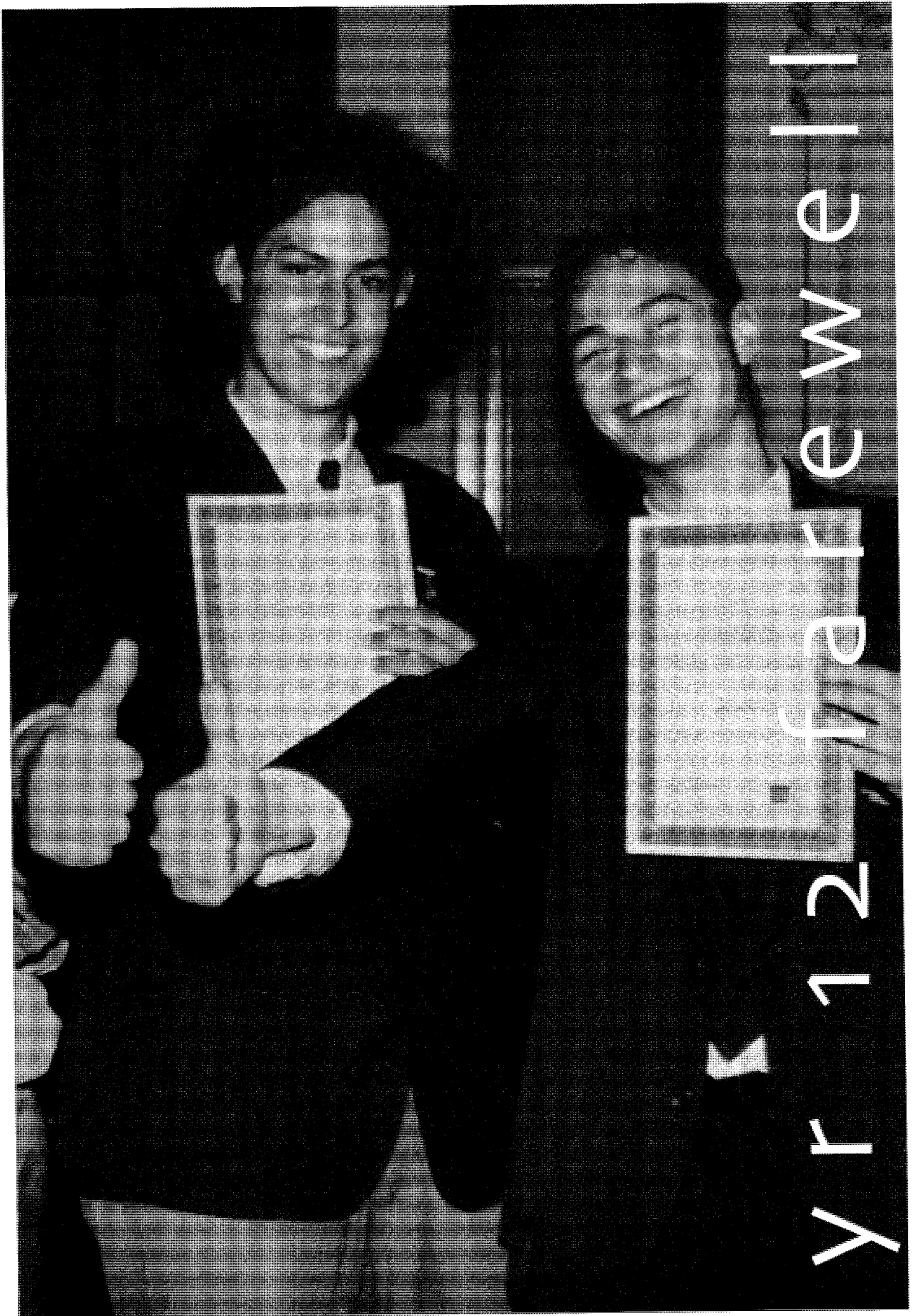
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For the flower arrangements

Mrs Donohue
For the typing of the booklet

Office Staff
For the printing of the booklet

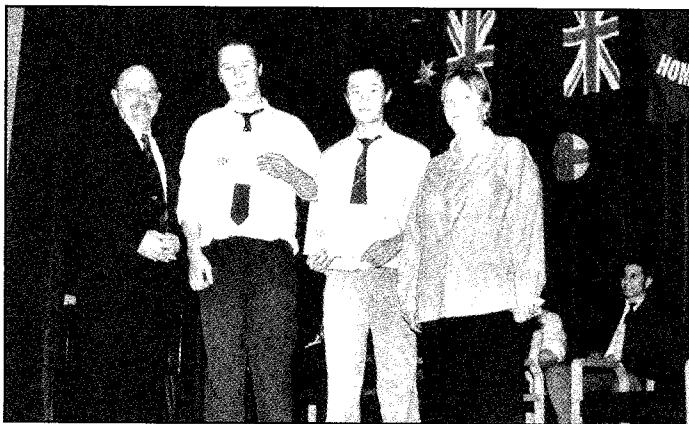
Abdul Jamal
Mohammed Zaoua
For assisting with proceedings

Mrs. Stapwick
For her tireless efforts in organising tonight's proceedings

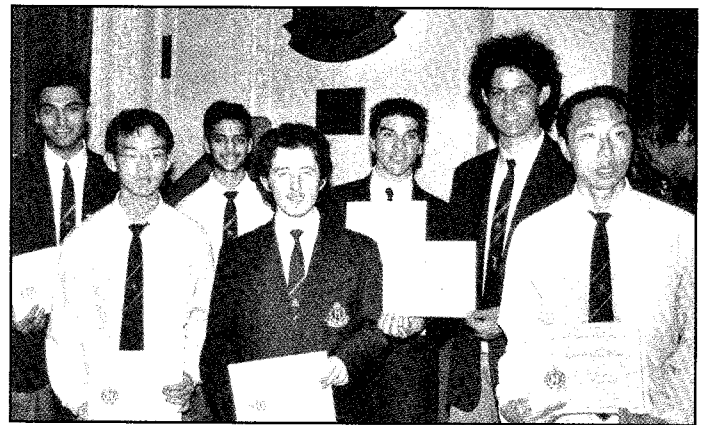




School Service Award recipients for 2003



Luke Pracey awarded in Hospitality



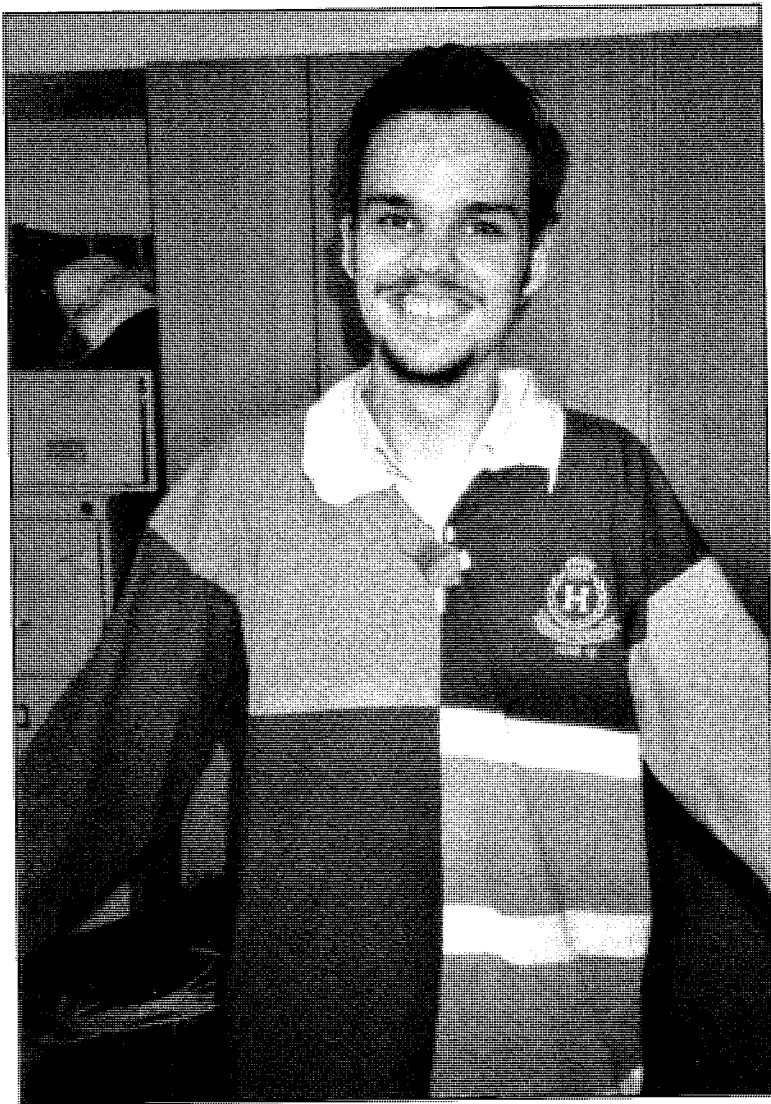
Senior Academic Achievers



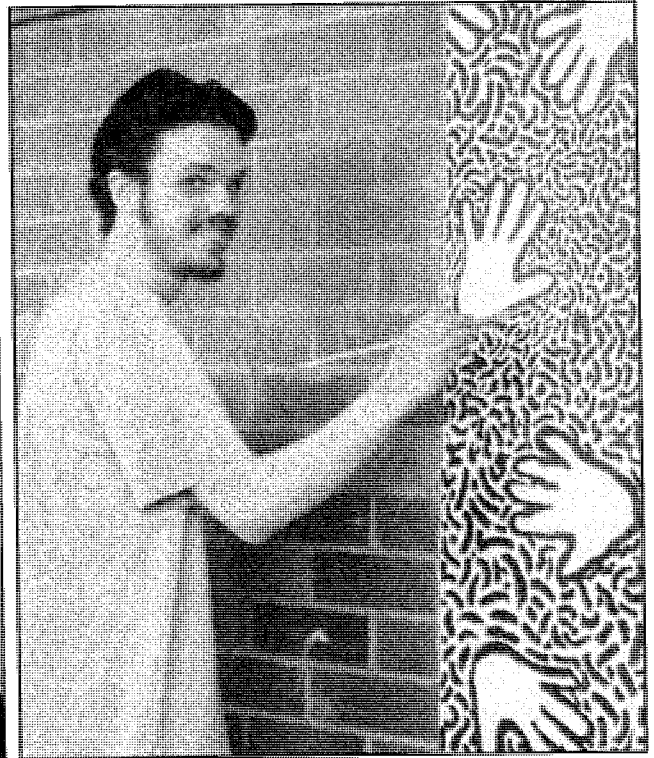
Ketan Bhatt



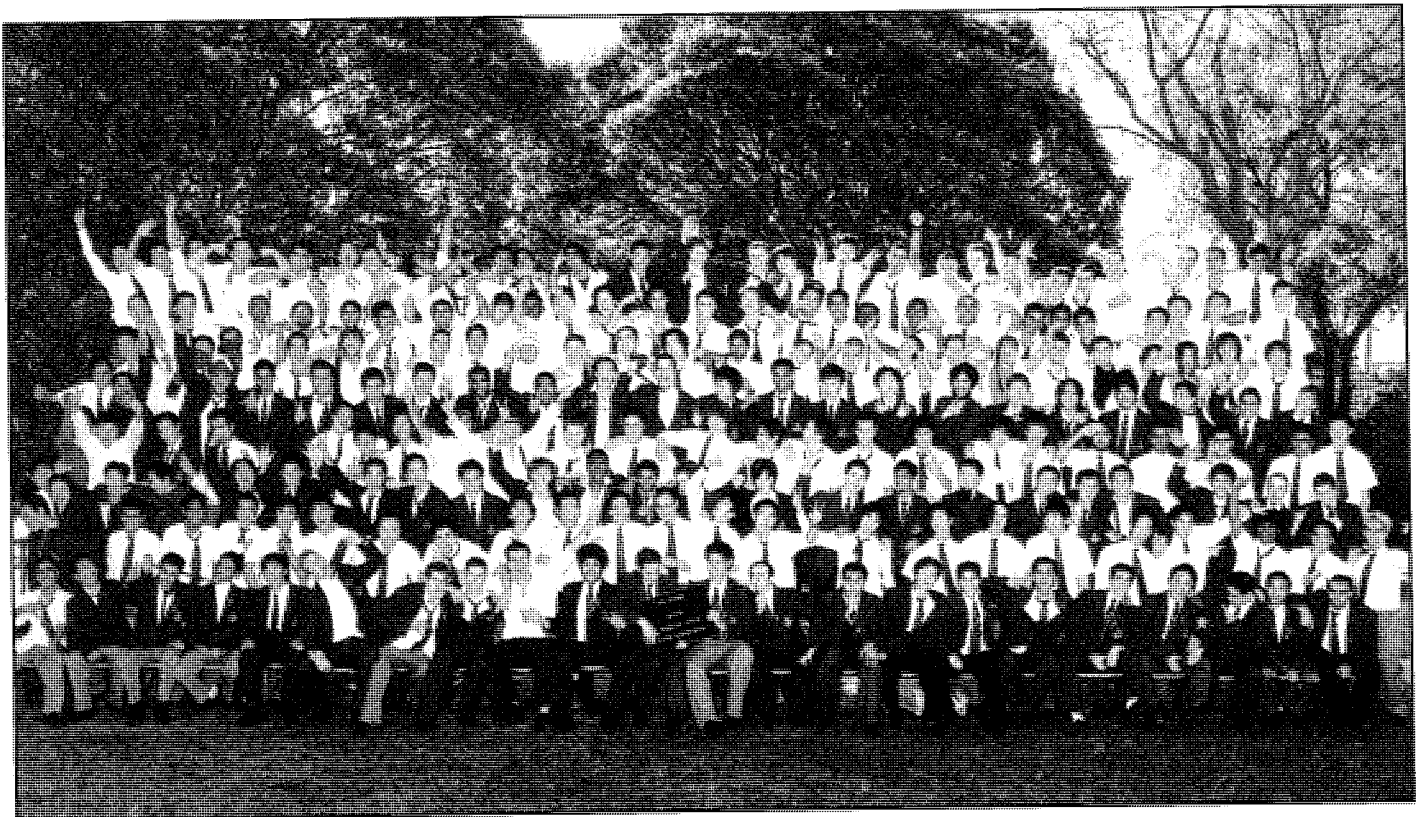
Sourabh Jain



Gregg McCaul did not miss a day in six years of school that's dedication for you.



After his HSC, Greg spent time painting around the Visual Art rooms leaving a reminder of his years spent at the school.



The 'Muck Up' photograph for Yr 12, 2003



99 credit maths comp
99 credit English comp
99 grade soccer
03 UNICEF collection
01 money collection for gym
03 clean up Australia day

**AHMAD
Rehan**



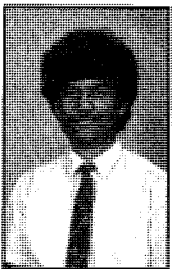
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**AHMED
Tauseef**



Saturday school
Maths comp
Clean Up Australia day

**AHOURDAN
Arash**



School to work program 2000-2002
Maths comp 1998-2003
Science comp 1999
English comp 1998
Chemistry comp 2003
School work experience 2001
School certificate 2001
Cross country 2003
Grade soccer 1998
40 hour famine school fun run charity raffle tickets catering for MCL career expo 2002

**AMBIKAIPALAN
Prasanth**



Royal life saving society of Aust
Senior first aid officer
Sports medicine of Australia level 0
sports scientist

Australian geography comp 2001
High Distinction
2001 3rd in year 11
1st in woodwork
1st in metal work
2002 1st in woodwork
2001 jnr craftsmanship award
2002 snr craftsmanship award
2000, 2002 zone athletic teams
2000 zone squash team

**ANTUNES
Phillip**



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**ARORA
Karan**



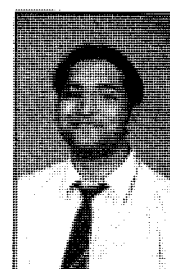
PD/H/PE Excursion
Sports Medicine Award
Prizes in Reading, Writing and Sports
Charity Collection and Donation (Overseas)

**ARORA
Raman**



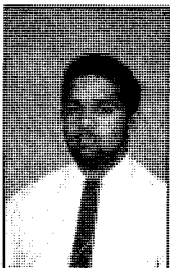
Maths comp
Science comp
House sports
Door knock appeal
Tamil study centre speech comp

**ARUL
Mariathas, Paulinus**



Variety night
Maths comp
1st grade hockey
Junior hockey coach assistant
Collected on bandage bear day

**AYAZ
Khurran**



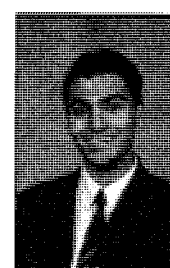
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**AZIZ
Khanmahmoodshahrior**



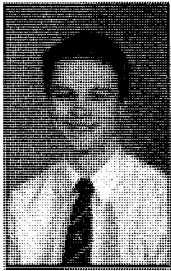
Chess team 98
Winner computing studio debate 2000
Credit maths comp 01-02
Credit maths challenge 01
Basketball champs 2000
Cross country 1998

**BHALLA
Rahul**



2003 Prefect
computer science school
2001-2003 debating team
2002 Australian business week
2002 physic Olympiad
2001 Year 10 speaking award
Maths comp distinction 1998, credit 1999-2002
Chemistry comp distinction 2001-2002
English comp credit 2002
2002 1st in 2u advanced English, extension English
2003 careers expo preparation
2002 peer tutoring
2000 SRC leadership comp

**BHATT
Ketan**



Debating 2001
Drum Corps 2001

International science Olympiad 02
1st 1998 Australian student mineral venture
1998 2002 maths comps distinction
1998 2003 science comp

Chem comp award High distinction
Naval day comp 2001

Sydney maritime museum volunteer

BRAWLEY
George



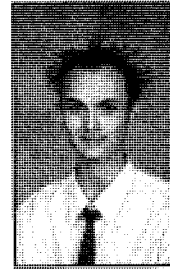
2001 2003 Peer mediator
2003 school magazine
2002 2003 hospitality school function catering
2001 year 10 public speaker competition
2002 interviewee Australian business week

2002 first in hospitality
2001 first in visual design
Certificate of credit AMP business competition
AMP economics competition
2002 2003 maths comp

2002 zone swimming

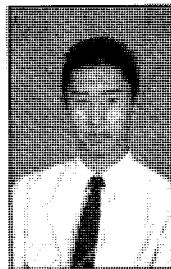
2001 2003 church youth secretary
2002 exodus food donator
2002 step into the future leadership forum
2002 charity collector

CAMA
Kaliova



Blood donor

CHAMPLEY
Ryan



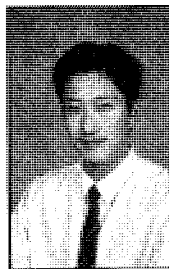
First aid certificate
Tertiary district careers expo

Credit maths comp 1999 distinction
2000 2002
Credit science comp 1999 distinction
1998

Grade soccer 1998 2000, 2001 2003
Grade volleyball 2002, 2001, 2000
2001 bill Turner cup
Zone cross country 2001 2003

UNICEF Iraq appeal collector
Red cross collector
40 hour famine

CHAO
Jim



2002 House Vice captain
Career expo

Table tennis 2000 and 2001
1999 Grade tennis 14s

Red cross 40 hour famine

CHAU
Victor



1st grade cricket captain
1st grade cricketer of the year
Davidson shield represented school

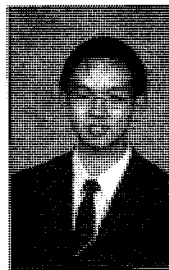
Salvation army

CHEEMA
Firas



Prefect 2003
Step to the Future Youth Leadership Forum organising committee.
Australian Newspaper 2003
2003 District Tertiary Career Expo
2002 Young Achievers Manufacturing Award
2002 Australian Young Achievers Award
Maths Comp. Credit - 2000, '01, '02
First Grade Tennis - '01, '02, '03
Second Grade Tennis - 2000
District School Tennis Knockout
Red Cross Charity Collection - '01, '02
40 hour Famine - '03
Red Shield Appeal Collection - '02

CHEN
Michael H.



2003 - Accepted into Computware Computer Science School
2002 - School Web Site Competition - 2nd place
Maths Comp. - Distinction - 2000, '01, '02
2003 - Science Comp. - Distinction
2002 - Chemistry Comp. - High Distinction
2001 - Australian Geography Comp. - High Distinction
2003 - 40 hour Famine
2003 - Red Shield Appeal
2002 - 1st in Year 11
2002 - Red Cross Collector.

CHENG
Kevin



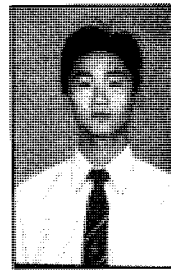
Peer Tutoring Program
Distinction Maths Comp. '98, '99, '00, '01
Distinction Science Comp. 00, '01, '02
Distinction - Computer Comp. 03
Distinction - Chemistry Comp. - 02
Distinction - Geography Comp. - 01
Third Dux 00 1st in Visual Design 00
1st grade Tennis - 03
2nd grade Tennis 02, '03
1st grade Waterpolo 01, '02
15's Waterpolo 99, 00 state knockout
openswaterpolo 01-02 state knockout
Red shield appeal collector 03, '02
Redcross collecto02
National Tree day02
Young Achievement Australia Business skills program02

CHEUNG
Jason Cyril



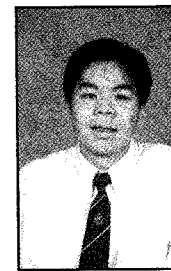
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CHEUNG
Sui Wai, Jason



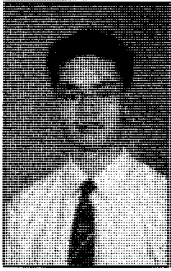
2nd grade soccer 2002,

CHOI
John



1st prize-legal studies 2002
1st prize-studies of religion 2002
Credit-maths comp

CHU
Edmond



Chess 2000-2001
All Boys Public Speaking 2003
Debating 2001-2003

First In Physics 2002
Excellence in Yr 11 2002
Maths Comp High D 2001
Maths Challenge High D 2000-2001

Grade Tennis 2001
Table Tennis 2001-2002

Red Shield Appeal 2003
UNICEF Donation Collector 2003

**CHU
Philip**

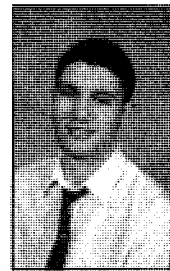


Maths Comp Credit 2001
Economic Comp Certificate 2001

1st Grade Indoor Soccer 2001

Blood Doner

**CHUNG
Junkyu**

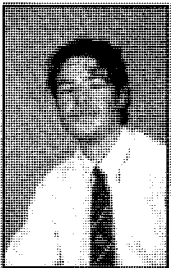


Function Catering 2000-2003
Catering Function at MLC for Career Expo.

Work Placement 2001-2003 for Hospitality/Information Technology Function for SRC/Principal Lunch

Maths Comp. Credit 2002
First Aid Certificate Completion 2002
Excellence in Hospitality
Excellence in Industry Technology
1st in PD/H/PE 2001 Gold Award 2002
Geography Comp. 1998 Sports Carnival
1st in Shot Put 1998 Grade Soccer
Experienced Basketball Volley Ball
Zone Swimming Carnival Career Expo.
2003 Charity Fund-raising for Valentines Day 1999

**CITTON
Luke (Luca)**



Distinction maths comp-2002
High distinction maths comp-2001

13A's, 14A's & 15A's 2nd grade soccer-2001, 2002, 2003
Senior indoor soccer 2002, 2003

**CLAVERIA
Daniel**



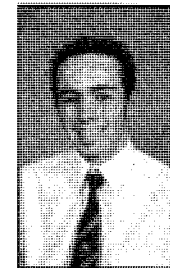
Vice President SRC 2003
Siemens Science Experience 2001

Maths Comp. Distinction 1998-2003
Science Comp. Distinction 2001

1st Grade Soccer 2001-2003
13A, 14A, 15A Soccer 1998-2000
1st Grade Water Polo 2002-2003

Red Shield Appeal Collector
Red Cross Collector
Daffodil Day Collector
Bandage Bear Day Collector
Jeans for Genes Day Collector
Stuart House Collector

**CRAIG
Daniel**



Senior Prefect
School Function Catering

English Comp.
Maths Comp.

Grade Indoor Soccer
Grade Soccer

MLC Career Day Helper
Participated in the World Vision
Young Leadership Connection
Red Cross Door Knock Appeal

**D'ASPROMAITE
Frank**



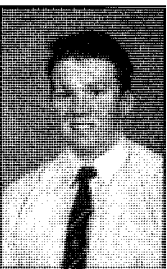
School Web Team

Maths Comp. Credit 2001-2002

Grade Tennis

Red Cross
Salvation Army

**DAS
Lioni (Ajay)**



School ANZAC Day Drum Corps.

1st in Metal Technics 2001
1st in PD/H/PE 2002
1st in Royal Australian Navy Youth Comp. 2001

Zone Swimming Team 1998, 2000-2003
Regional Swimming Team 2003
School Swimming Champion 12 Years 1998, 16 Years 2002 and 17 Years 2003

Red Cross Door Knock

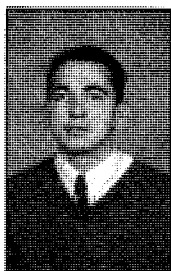
**DAVOREN
Benjamin (Ben)**



Maths comp

Rugby Union Involvement

**EL-HUSSEINI
Nazih**



2000-2001 Greek Theatre

2001-2002 Credit Maths Comp.

2nd Grade Rugby 2002

**EROKSUZ
Baris**



Senior Chess Team 2003
Runner-up in Regional Division in Chess National School Share
Market Game 2001-2003 National Business Enterprise Comp. 2003
School Cross Country 2003

Prize Maths Comp. 2002
High Distinction Economics Comp. 2002
Distinction Maths Comp. 2000-2001

Zone Cross Country 2003
Open Grade Soccer 2001-2002

Salvation Army 2002-2003
Red Cross Appeal 2002
40 Hour Famine 2003

**FENG
Zi Cai (Martin)**



School musical yr 7

Distinction in Geography comp 2001
Credit in maths comp 2001-2003
Distinction in science comp 2001-2003

School senior hockey captain 2002-2003

UNICEF Iraq organiser
Salvation Army red shield appeal
School gym fundraiser collection

**FERDOUS
Evan**



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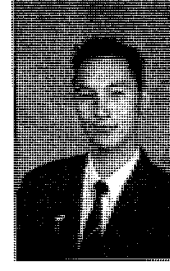
GANESHALINGAM
Suren



Gold Award 2003
First in IT 2002
First in visual arts 2000-2001
Credit in maths comp 2001-2002

Represented the school at
Campbell town art gallery 2001

GANESHAN
Shayanthan



Maths comp, science comp

Grade sport, basketball 2nd
grade

Charity collection Redcross
Salvation Army
Cleanup Australia day
40 hour famine

GERUNGAN
Jason



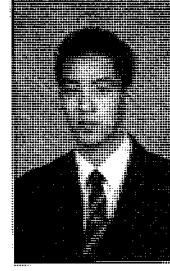
Ciso TAFE course
Chess

Economics comp 2003
Credit maths comp 1999

2nd grade basketball 2001-2003
1st grade basketball
football knockout comp
15's basketball
1st grade 2003
State basketball knockout comp

Red shield appeal
Salvation army
Exodus foundation

GHANIME
Edward



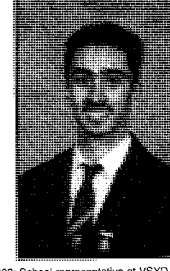
Work Placement 2003
Work Experience 2001
Science Comp. Achievement 2000-2002
English Comp. Participation 2002

Australian National Chemistry Quiz 2002
Computing Comp. 2002 Geography Comp.
2001 Maths Comp. Distinction 1998-2000
Maths Comp. Credit 2001-2002 Maths
Challenge Distinction 1998

16's Tennis 2001 15's Volleyball Summer
Premiers 1999-2000 Zone-Regional
Swimming Carnival 2000 Cross Country
Team 1998

Red Cross Calling Appeal 2002
"Good Friday Appeal" (Royal Childrens
Hospital) 2002 Tree Planting Day 2001
Exodus Foundation Participant

GIANG
John



2003 prefect
2001-2003 Debating
2002 SRC
2001 History Debating
2002 Public Speaking(Highly Commended)

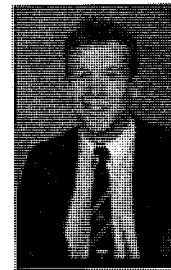
Maths Competition: Credit:
1998,2000,2001 Distinction:1000 2002
Maths Challenge: Credit: 2000 High
Distinction,2001 English Competition: Credit:
1998,1999,2000,2002

1st in Language(1998)
1st in Drama(2000-2001)
1st in English(2001)
1st in Multimedia(2002)

2003: Careers Expo Preparation
2002: Collected for Bandage Bear Day, Jeans
For Genes Day, Dafodi Day, Stewart House
2002: Organised School Activity to raise money
to buy new microphones (SRC)

2003: School representative at VSYD Degreee in a Day
2002: Gifted and Talented Careers Day At UNSW

GORE
Ashwin



Prefect-2003

1st PD.H.PE-2000

14's & 15's rugby-age champi-
ons
14's Athletics
14's & 15's water polo
1st grade water polo-1998
Regional athletics
2nd grade soccer- 2001,2002,
2003
Regional cross country

Zone swimming
Under 14's NSW water polo
15's tennis
Swimming squad

GRAY
Lindsay



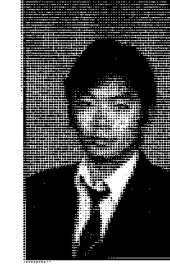
Young Achievers Australia-2002

Gold award-2002
Credit Maths Comp-1999

Squash comp-1998

Red Cross Collector

GRIMSLEY
Randal



Credit maths comp-2001,2002

Hwa Tsang Monstery Inc

Youth Fellowship

GUAN
Rui, Richard



School Maintenance

Credit Geography comp-2001
Distinction maths comp-1998,
1999

Credit maths comp-2000,
2002
Credit science comp-2001

Council local paper run
Red cross collection

GOU
Nelsen, Zhi Wie



Dux of Year 11
High Distinction Chem comp
First in Biology-year 11
Distinction maths comp-2001,
2002

Peer tutor program-2002
School/gym fundraiser
40 hour famine-2000 ,2001 ,
2002, 2003

HABASHY
David



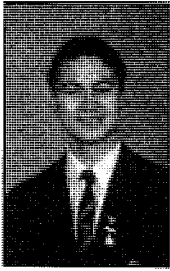
Prefect-2003

CCNA TVET
Maths comp
English comp

Volleyball

40 hour famine
UNICEF collection
Careers day (set up)

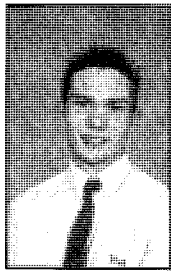
HAIDER
Sabbi, Ahmed



School Vice Captain - 2003
 School Drum Corps - 1999 - 2003
 SRC - 1998, 2001-02
 SRC President - 2002
 Variety Night 2002 / MAD 2002
 1st in - Food Tech, PD/H/PE, Sport and Rec.- 2001
 2nd in Year 10 - 2001
 Pierre de Coubertin Award. Most improved in Year 10 - 2001
 Rugby - 1998, 2001 - 02
 Zone Regional / State Athletics - 1998 - 2003

Soccer - 1999 - 00, Indoor Soccer - 2000
 Touch Football - '01, '02
 Basketball - 1998, 2002, 03

HAVEA
Phillip Akapei



School Co - ordinator Gym Fundraiser - 2002
 Mad Music Performance - 2002, 03
 Year 10 Work Experience at Defence Force
 Variety Night
 Maths Comp. - 1998 - Ccredit, 2003 - Distinction
 Gold Award
 NSW Indoor Soccer Player
 First Grade Soccer since Year 9
 Football Player - Monday Night

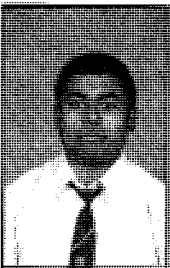
Comp, and Waratah Shied
 Regional Cross Country - 1998- 2002
 Regional Athletics - 1998- 2002

HODZIC
Alen



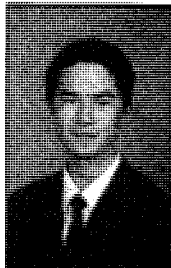
Work Experience Program 2001
 TAFE Work Placement Program 2003
 Geography Comp. 2000
 Maths Comp. 2001-2003
 Business Studies Comp. 2002-2003
 Economics Comp. 2003
 Grade Table Tennis 2001-2002
 TAFE TVET Ultimo Course 2003

HONG
Zi Can (Tony)



Science Comp. (Distinction) 1999
 Maths Comp. (Credit) 2001, 1999
 2nd Grade Cricket 2000-2001
 1st Grade Cricket 2001-2002
 2nd Grade Cricket 2002-2003
 Senior Hockey 2003
 Red Cross 2002

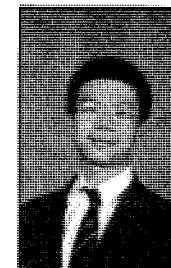
HOSSAIN
Ziad



Assistance in Careers Expo 2003
 Young Achiever Australia 2002
 Sharemarket Game 2001, 2002
 Maths Comp. (Credit) 1999-2003
 Science Comp. (Credit) 2003
 Business Comp. 2002-2003
 Computer Comp. 2002-2003
 Red Cross 2002
 Salvation Army 2002, 2003

National Tree Day 2002

HUANG
Nelson



Maths Comp. (Distinction)

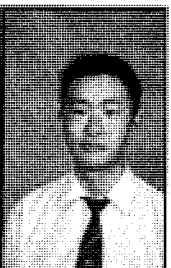
HUANG
Yi (Fei)



Step to the Future organising committee - 2003
 Performed Variety Night as breakdance - 2002
 St. John's First Aid
 Maths Comps.
 House Volleyball
 40hr. famine
 Red Cross Door Knock
 Bandage Bear Day

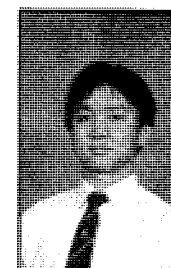
National Tree Planting
 Jeans For Genes Day
 Clean Up Australia Day
 Red Nose Day

HUNG
Danny



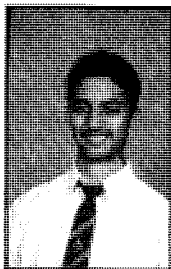
Maths Comp Credit 1998-2002
 Science Comp Credit 1999 & 2000
 1st Grade Tennis Premiers (Summer) 2002-2003
 1st Grade Tennis Semi Finalists 2002
 14's Vollyball Finalists 1999
 15's Vollyball Semi Finalists 2000
 Red Sheild Appeal 2002-2003
 40 Hair Famine 1999

HUYNH
William



Maths Comp. (Credit) 1999
 Red Cross
 Salvation Army

IP
Christopher



Prefect
 SRC member 2002
 Public speaking 2002
 English Debating 2001
 History Debating 2001
 Chess team 1999-2001
 Variety Night 2000-2001
 School Marching Band 1998
 1st in SDD 2002
 1st in Economics 2002
 1st in Photography 2002
 1st in History 2001
 Most outstanding boy in junior school 2001
 1st in Science 2000
 DUX of the year 1999
 Economic Comp -Distinshon 2002
 Computing Comp -Distinshon 2001-2002
 1st Grade Hockey 2002-2003
 1st Grade Lawn Ball 2000-2001
 15's Tennis 2000
 14's B Cricket 1999
 13's A Soccer 1998
 Zone Athletics Carnival 1999
 Member of School Council 2002
 Collection for Charities 2002
 Gym Fundraser 1998

JAIN
Sourabh



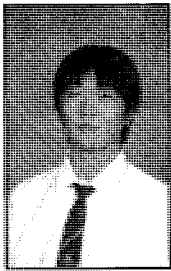
Maths Comp 2000-2003
 Science Comp 2001
 Merit Certificate Maths 2002-2003
 House Cricket 2001
 3rd Grade Cricket 2002
 1st Grade Crivket 2002-2003
 Merit Bronze Awards in PDHPE 2001-2002
 40 Hour Famine 2003
 Salvation Army 2003.

JEHANATHAN
Dusiyanthan



Maths Comp Distinshon 2001
 Maths Comp Distinshon 2002
 Maths Comp Credit 1998
 Maths Comp Credit 1999
 Maths Comp Credit 2000
 14's A cricket
 15's A Cricket
 2nd Grade Cricket
 1st Grade Cricket
 1st Grade Hockey team 2002
 Salvation Army 2001
 School Gym Fundraiser
 Exodus Foundation

JEYANANDARAJAH
Dharan



Business Comp 2002
 1st Grade Basketball 2002-2003
 Shell Cup Knock Out Basketball
 State Knock Out Basketball
 Comp
 1st Grade Volleyball 2002
 Blood Donor

Ji
Dae Young, Alex



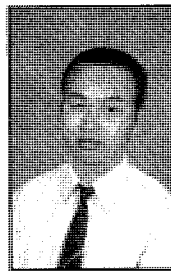
Stock Comp. 2003
 Maths Comp. (Distinction) 2001-2002

Ji
Yi



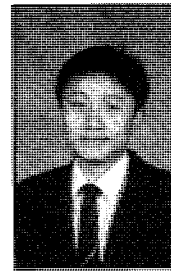
TEIstra Advertisement
 District Tertiary Careers Expo
 Maths Comp Distinction 2002
 Computer Comp Distinction
 2002-2003
 Maths Comp Credit 1998-2002
 Science Comp
 1st Grade Basketball 2002-2003
 Basketball Shell Cup knockout
 2002
 2nd Grade Basketball 2001
 2nd Grade Basketball(captain)
 2002
 Zone Athletics Team 1998-2002
 15's Basketball 1999-2000

JIANG
Tao



First Aid Certificate 2002
 Maths Comp. (Credit) 1998-1999
 Swimming Carnival Award 1999
 Basketball Award 1999

JIANG
Simon



Maths Comp. (Distinction)
 2002

JIN
Hui



Assistant in IT Teacher Tafe
 Certificate
 Catered 2003 Src Investiture
 Distinction in the Science Comp
 in 2001
 Tafe Certificate in IT
 Hospitality Certificate
 Hockey Team 2000-2003
 Blood Donor
 Held a Stall at Kitchen Garden
 Festival 2002

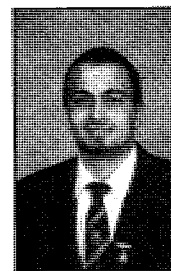
KASAGASABAPATHY
Karthig



Public Speaking 1999
 Young Achievers Australia 2002
 Tafe Course 2002
 Bourke Work Experience 2002
 Distinction Geography Comp
 2001
 Credit Maths Challenge 2000
 Maths Comp Credit 1999-2001
 Maths Comp Dist 2002
 Science Comp 2002

1st Grade Cricket 2002-2003
 Senior Hockey 2001-2003
 2nd Grade Cricket 2001-2002
 Davidson Shield 2003
 Hockey State Knock Out Comp 2002-2003

KANDASAMY
Jananthan

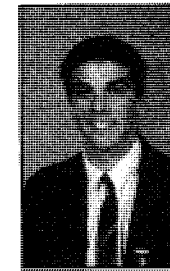


SRC Secretary 2001
 Peer Support Co-ordinator 2001-2002
 Anzac Drum Corp 1999-2000
 SRC 1999

First IPT 2002
 History Debating 2001
 Waterpolo 1999-2001

Participated in Careers Expo

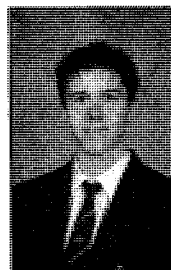
KAPODISTRIAS
Shridhar



Prefect
 School musical 99
 Western suburbs career expo
 03
 Senior and junior craftsmanship
 award 2001-2002
 Math comp credit 01-02
 English comp credit 01
 Science comp credit 00-01
 Grade soccer 98-03
 Grade water polo 01-03
 Touch football premiers 00

15's waterpolo premiers 01
 NSWCHS Athletics rep 2002
 NSW all schools athletics rep 01-02

KARADIMAS
Haralambos



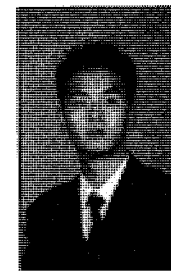
Public speaking Winner - 2002
 Outstanding debater - 2000-02
 MC for TAFE Awards & Variety
 Night - 2002
 Greek theatre - 2000-01
 1st in Macquarie Ancient History
 comp
 Function catering - 2002-03
 Rostrum public speaking comp -
 2002
 Eisteddford public speaking comp -
 2000-01
 History Debating 2001
 1st in Hospitality
 Rugby Union - 2000-01
 Zone Swimming - 2001
 Vacluse House Food & Garden
 Festival - 2002
 40 hour Famine
 Career Expo Function Catering

KERR
Mitchell



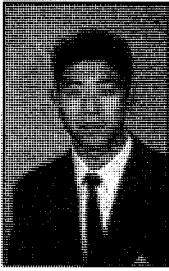
School Prefect - 2003
 SRC District Camp
 Maths Comp - Credit - '98 - '02
 English Comp - Credit - '98 - '01
 BHP Science Award: Certificate of
 Merit - 2001 + \$50 prize
 1st Italian - '99
 Sydney North Metropolitan Regional
 Volleyball team - '03 CHS Volleyball
 Carnival at Tamora: May 20th - 22nd
 1st grade Volleyball - Zone &
 Regional Premiers - '02, '03
 State Knockout Volleyball:
 Steve Birt Memorial Trophy - 7th/32
 2nd Grade soccer team - '03
 Athletics Carnival - '98 - '03

KIM
Aaron



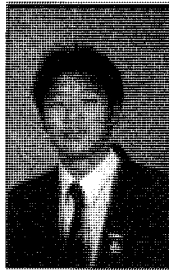
Maths Comp. (Distinction)
 1998, 2002

KIM
Bongsik



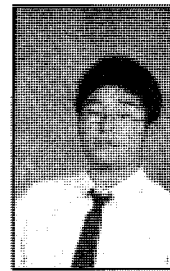
Senior First Aid Certificate
 Grade Golf 2003
 NSW Match Play Golf
 Championships Representative
 2003
 Grade Volleyball Team 2003
 NSW State Knock-out Volleyball
 Representative 2003

**KIM
 Daniel**



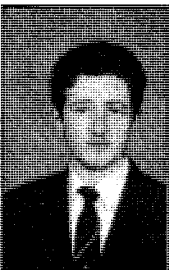
HSC

**KIM
 Daniel Eunwoo**



Maths Comp. (Credit) 2000
 2nd Grade Rugby
 Blood Donor

**KIM
 Peter**



School Band
 Chess
 School Magazine 2001
 Marching Band 2001
 Regional Finalist in the 'Young
 Designers Award'
 1st in Grade in English 1998-
 2001
 1st in History 2001-2002
 1st in D&T 2001-2002

House Champion in Year 7
 Tennis

Participated in Exodus Food Drive
 Collected for Red Shield Appeal

**KIPRITIDIS
 James (Dimitri)**



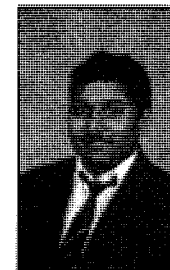
MAD Performance (Guitar)
 2001-2002
 ANZAC Drum Corps. 2001-
 2003
 Variety Night 1999-2003
 Recital Night 2000, 2002

1st in Music 1998-2002
 1st in General Maths 2002
 Excellence in Year 11 2002

14's Volleyball Premiers 1999

40 Hour Famine 2001

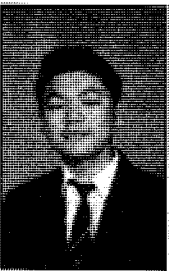
**KIRBY
 Michael**



Year 9 Chess
 Year 11 Chess
 School Magazine Year 10

Year 9 Maths Comp. Credit
 Year 9 Science Comp. Credit
 Year 10 Maths Comp. Credit
 Year 10 Maths Challenge Credit
 Year 10 Computer Comp. Credit
 Year 11 Maths Comp. Credit
 Year 11 1st in Information
 Technology
 Distinction Excellence Award for
 IT Year 11

**KIRUHAGARAN
 Venkata ramana**



Maths Competition Credit (98,
 02)
 Maths Competition Distinction
 (99, 01)
 Computer Competition Credit
 (2002)
 Science Competition Credit (98,
 99, 00, 01)
 Chemistry Competition Credit
 (2001)
 Maths Challenge (98, 99)
 English Competition (2000)

**KOCHETKOV
 Simon**

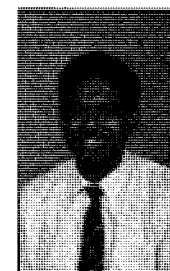


Maths Competition
 Science Competition

3rd grade captain for cricket,
 2002

Red cross,
 40 hour famine
 Exodus

**KULENDRANATHAN
 Dharshan**



Choir Leader (2001)

GCE Oil (Shri Canka)
 Maths Competition - Distinction
 Social Studies
 English Competition

Tennis House Captain (2001)

Chapel Sturel
 Secretary of Traffic Society
 Red Shield appeal, salvation
 Army (2003)

**KURUKULASOORIYA
 Praveen, Nivendra**

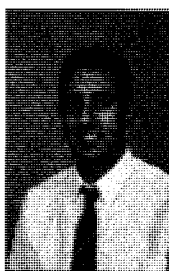


Maths Competition Credit 98
 - 02

Regional vollyball 02-03
 3erd Grade Soccer 2002
 14 - 15 grade Soccer 99 -
 2000
 15 Basketball

Red Cross Collector 2202
 Ypung Australia Achiever
 2002

**LAI
 Sam**



UNICEF
 Clean Up Australia Day
 MLC Career day Helper

**LAKMAS
 Bassam**

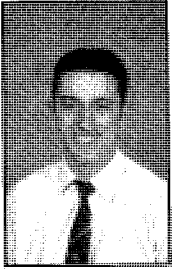


Assisted in Publication of
 School Magazine 2001
 TAFE Certificate for Web
 Designing 2002
 TAFE Certificate for
 Information Technology 2003
 TAFE Certificate for Literacy
 Tutoring 2003

Maths Comp. Credit 1999-
 2003
 English Comp. 2003
 Science Comp. 2003
 Computer Comp. 2001
 1st in Studies of Religion

2003

**LAMBA
 Ajit Singh**



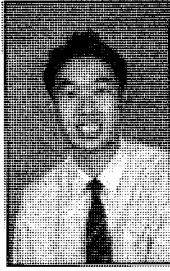
Rugby League - Burwood United Super 10's

Course at Billy Blue School of Arts
Work Experience

2nd Grade Rugby
15' Rugby
Grade volleyball

Clean up Australia

**LANGADINOS
Andreas**



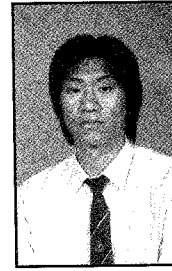
Tertiary Careers Expo 2003
Certificate of Recognition Music 2001
Certificate of Participation in Variety Night Music 2001
Variety Night Musical, 2001
Certificate of Painting The Backround (MAD) 2001

Certificate of Merit Music 2001

State Volleyball Team 2003
1st Grade Volleyball 2003
3rd Grade Soccer 2003
House Volleyball Champions 2001

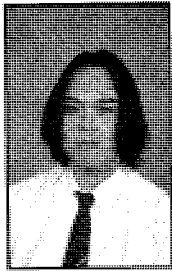
Red Cross Solvation Army 2003

**LEE
Daniel**



Blood Donor

**LEE
Min ouk**

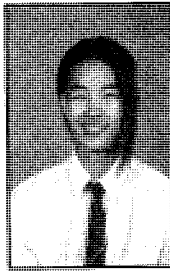


Variety Night Setup

Credit Maths Competition 1998

Lawnballs
Grade Tennis 98

**LEE
Nicholas**

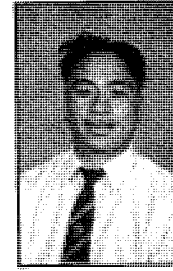


MAD Musical Production 2002
Catering For School Teachers and Prefects 2002

Grade Lawn bowl 1999
Grade Soccer 1998

40 Hour Famine 2003
Work Placement at Nicks Bar and Grill 2003

**LEE
Young, Hun**



School Band

1st Grade Basketball 2002 - 2003 Underfated Chomps
1st Grade Rugby 2002 - 2003
Rugby Captain 2003
North West Metropolitan
1st Grade regional Zone
Touch School Competition 2003

Red Cross

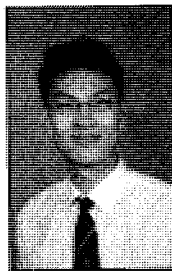
**LEMOTO
Johnny**



Grade Soccer Year 7

Red Cross

**LENH
Khiem Tay**



HSC

**LI
Hang**



Chess Team

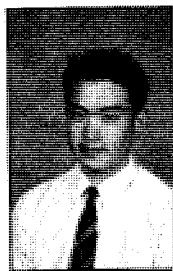
Aust Maths Comp Distinction

**LI
Zhao, Jimmy**



HSC

**LIANG
Winston**



Prefect 2003
Sports Medicine Cert
First Aid Cert
District Teriary Careers Expo

Maths Competition Credit
1998 - 2003
Business Competition Com[
2003
English Comp 1998 Credit

1st Grade Basket 2001, 2002, 2003
Shell Cup Knock Out Basketball
State Knockout Basketball Comp
16 Basketball 1999

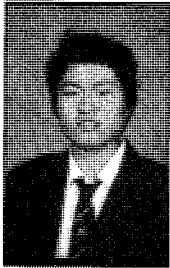
**LIM
Jefferson**



Maths Competition - Credit 2002

Captain of 1st Grade Tennis
1st Grade Tennis
Premiership Winners 2003 (Summer)
1st Grade Tennis Finals 2003 (Winter)

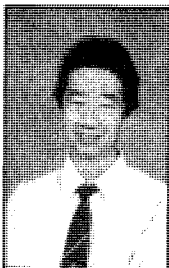
**LIM
Tse Hau, Jonathon**



Science Competition Credit 2003
Maths Competition Credit 2002

Clean Up Australia Day 2001 - 2002

LING
Victor



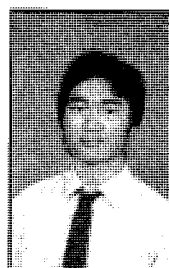
School Musical
Chess Captain 1998-2003

Maths comp Credit 1998-2002
Science Comp
Chemistry Comp

School Chess Team

Charity Collection
40 hour Famine
Chess (out side school)

LIU
Yuan Jim

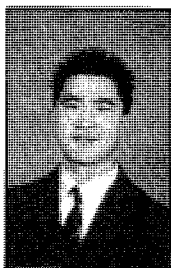


School Chess Team 1999 - 2002
School Web Design Comp (2nd) 2002

Maths Comp Dis 2002
Chem Comp Dis 2002
Maths Comp High Dis 2001
Maths Comp Dis 1999 - 2000

Clean Up Australia day 2001-2002

LIU
Zheng Xian, Jacky



Work Experience

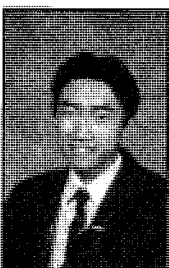
Maths Comp Dishinction2001
maths Comp credit1998-2000
English Comp 2001-200
Business Studies Comp 2002-2003
Science Comp 2001
Geography Comp 2001

Grade Table Tennis 2000-2003

40 hour famine
Red Cross Collector

Bandage Bear Day
Jeans For jeans Day

LU
Dennis

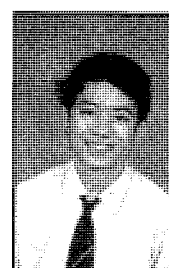


S.R.C 2001
S.R.C 2003
Help in MLC career exp
M.A.D 2000
M.A.D 2001
Variety Night

Maths comp Credit 1999-2002
exodus Foundation
Red Cross Collector
School Funds (chocolate Selling)
Charity Collection

Local Counsin Citizen introduction

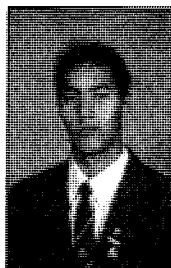
LU
Jason



Maths Comp distinction 2001
Science Comp Credit 2001

GBA's Badminton Winter opens A grade 2002
GBA's Badminton Junior open D grade 2001
GBA's Badminton Represent in scholl 2002-2003
school Carnival 2002

LU
Wei William



SRC

1st Grade Soccer 2001-03
1st Grade Basketball

LY
Stephen

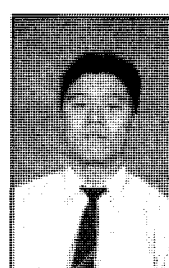


2001: work Experience (year 10)
2002 Workplacement (Electrotechnology vet)
2002 Workplacement (Information Technology VET)

Maths Comp 1998-2003 Silver Award
Science Comp 1998-1999
2nd in Italian 1998 (year 7)
And Cisco CCNA TVET 2003
Electrotechnology TVET 2002 (2nd)

Zone Athletics 1998-2001
13C Grade Soccer 1998
15B Grade Soccer (Captain)

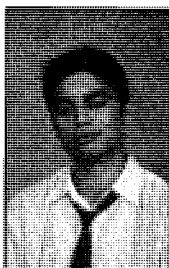
LY
Vinh



40 hour Famine
Salvation Army door Knock appeal
Salvation Army door Knock appeal 2003
Maths Comp Credit
15 Grade tennis
2nd Grade Tennis
1st Grade Tennis
15 Rugby

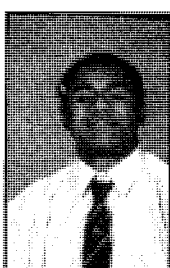
Tree Planting 2002

MA
Colin



HSC

MALIK
Shoaib



Credit Maths Comp - 2002
Certificate of first aid - 2002

Most improved player - 2002
1st grade rugby - 2002
CHS 2nd grade rugby - 2003
1st grade rugby - 2003
Zone shotput

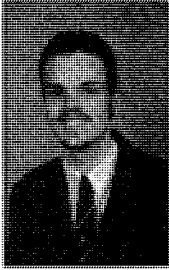
Collection - Salvation Army
Collection - Red Cross

MAPAPALANGI
David



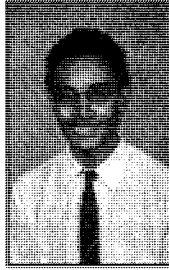
Maths Comp Credit 2002
Computer Comp Credit 2002

MARSH
Johnathan



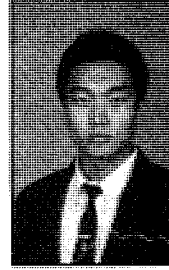
Yr12 Jersey design
 Interschol representative sci-
 ence week
 Variety night painter 2003
 2 gold awards
 100% attendance Yr7-12
 Principles medal 2003
 Sports person of the week ten
 pin bowling 2001
 Sports person of the week ten
 pin bowling 2002
 Strathfield Eco art prize
 40hr famine 2003
 RedCross Appeal 03
 Salvation army

**McCAUL
 Gregg**



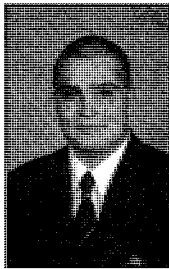
Contributed to School Magazine
 2003
 Variety Night 2001, 2003
 Greek Drama 2000-2001
 1st in Poetry Comp. 1999
 Zone Cross Country 2003
 Responsible Effort and Active
 Community Help (REACH)
 Certificate and T-shirt for
 Fundraising

**McGOON
 Damien**



HSC

**MIAO
 Ruben**



Maths Comp. 2003
 1st Grade Rugby
 2nd Grade Rugby
 Red Cross Appeal

**MONTONE
 Dean**



Public Speaking
 Drama Competition- Greek
 Drama - Highly Commended
 Maths Comp Participation
 Grade Junior Lawn Bowl
 Competition
 Rugby Grade

**MOUSKOS
 Michael**



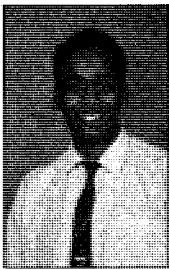
2nd Grade Soccer 2001-03
 Indoor Soccer

**MUSTAFA
 Thomas**



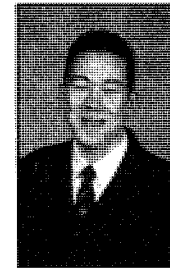
HSC

**NADARAJAH
 Haran**



S.R.C Executive Secretary
 Maths Comp 2002
 Hockey 2002 - 2003
 3rd Grade Cricket 2002
 Charity Collection
 Leadership Forum

**NARAN
 Jatin**



Variety Night Co-ordinator
 Charity Collection for School
 Gym
 Debating 2000
 Credit Maths Comp. 1999-2003
 Band 6 English School
 Certificate
 English Comp. 1999-2002
 Regional Swimming 2000-2001
 1st Grade Soccer 2003
 1st/2nd Grade Rugby 2002
 Participated Red Cross Shield
 Appeal 2000-2002
 Can Drive 1999-2003
 Participated Career Expo.

**NG
 Mathew**



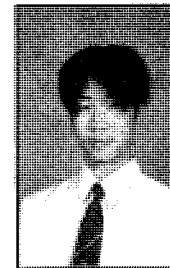
Maths Comp. Credit 1998,
 1999, 2000, 2002
 Maths Comp. Distinction
 2001
 2 Sportspersons of the Week
 1st Grade Volleyball Captain
 2002-2003
 Volleyball State Knockout
 Team 2001-2003
 Captain State Knockout
 2002-2003
 13's Grade Soccer
 15's Grade Volleyball
 1st Grade Volleyball 2001-03
 Regional Volleyball 2001-03
 Captained Regional Team '03
 Tree Planting Day

**NGO
 Andrew**



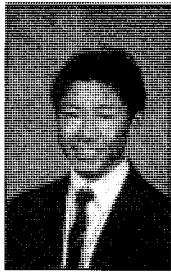
St. John First Aid Course
 Business Comp. Distinction
 Blood Donor, Red Cross
 Collector 2002
 Salvation Army 2002-2003
 40 Hour Famine

**NGO
 William**



Gym Chocolate Fund-raising
 1998-1999
 2001 Work Experience
 Designed Anti-Littering Poster
 (Geography) 1999
 2002-03 Hospitality Work
 Placement
 Painted Mural Outside Rm 41
 2000-2001 Maths Comp.
 Credit Maths Comp. 2002
 2nd in 12's Backstroke 1998
 Catering for MLC Careers
 Expo. 2002
 Catering SRC/Prefect/Parents
 '02
 Catering Kitchen, Garden
 Festival 2002
 Strathfield Eco Art Prize

**NGU
 Jack**

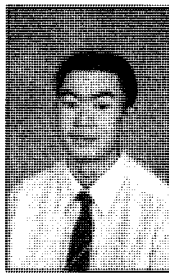


St. Johns First Aid
 Maths Comp. Distinction 1998, 1999 and 2001
 Englis Comp. Distinction 2001
 Science Comp. Distinction 2001
 Computer Comp. Credit 2002

House Volleyball
 1st Grade Senior Study

Red Cross Door Knock Appeal
 National Tree Day Tree Planting
 Clean Up Australia Day
 Charity Donations

**NGUYEN
 David**



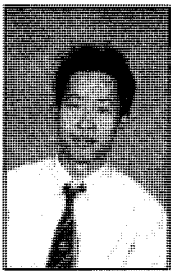
Maths Comp. Credit 1998-2001
 2nd Grade Soccer 2002-2003
 Red Cross Appeal

**NGUYEN
 Minh-Hien (Henry)**



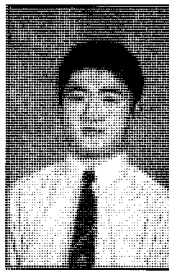
Maths Comp credit 2002
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 House Soccer Captain 2002
 Red Cross Collector 2002
 Red Cross Collector 2001
 Salvation Army 2001
 Salvation Army 2002
 Salvation Army 2003
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 National Tree day Voluenteer'01
 National Tree day Voluenteer'02
 40 hr famine 1998
 Gym Fundraser 1998-2002

**NGUYEN
 William**



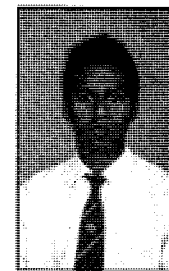
House Volleyball
 Red-cross Door Knock appeal
 Salvation Army
 Clean Up Australia Day

**NGUYEN
 Bang**



First in Yr 11 Chinese
 Background Speakers
 Credit Maths Comp - 00, 01
 Badminton comp - 02, 03

**NI
 Zheng, Derek**

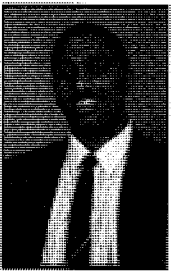


2001 ANZAC Drum Corps.
 Band
 Maths Comp. 1998-2002
 Maths Challenge 1998-1999
 Chemistry Comp. 2003

1999-2003 Grade Cricket
 2002-2003 Senior Hockey
 Hockey Knockout

1999-2001 Salvation Army Red
 Shield Appeal
 2002 Blood Donor (Red Cross)
 1998-2000 Gym Fundraising
 Chocolate Selling
 2003 Ashfield Soup Kitchen

**NITHIASEEIAN
 Raguragavan**



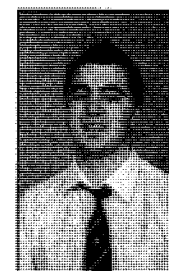
Website Production Certificate
 Volunteer Peer Tutoring
 Information Technology Certificate
 Bourke Countryside Work Expo. 2002
 Maths Comp. Distinct 1999, 2000,
 2002
 Maths Comp. Credit 1998, 2001
 Science Comp. Credit 1999-2001
 Maths Challenge Credit 1998-99
 Grade Cricket 14's, 15's and 3rd
 Athletics (Javelin)
 Red Cross 2000-2003
 Salvation Red Shield Appeal 2000-03
 World Vision 40 Hour Famine 2000-
 2003
 UNICEF (Collection for Iraq Appeal)
 2003
 Exodus 1998-2003
 Gym Fundraiser 1998-2000

**NITHTHIYANDANDAN
 Mayooran**



Variety Night Backdrop 2001
 1st Modern History 2002
 1st Ancient History 2002
 2nd English 2002
 Greening House Captain 2002-
 03
 15 Yrs Rugby Union 2001
 1st Grade 2nd Grade Rugby
 Union 2002-03
 Gold Award 2003
 Zone Athletic Team 2001-03
 Women's 10 Km Sponsoring
 Breast Cancer

**NYGRYN
 Carl**



Music & Drama - Variety Night
 2002
 Greek Theater - 2001

1st, 2nd & 15's Rugby
 14's Volleyball

**OZGEN
 Cihan**



Involved in local Tamil
 Language Center
 SRC - 02

**PARALOGARATHAN
 Sharujan**



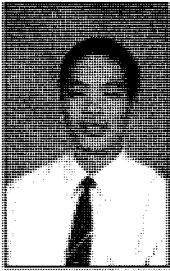
Credit Maths comp - 02
 Computer Driving licence
 Distinction Intro to aviation and
 OHS
 Rock climbing - 02
 Weights training
 Blood Donor
 Salvation Army collection

**PEIRIS
 Dinuka**



SRC 2002
 Prefect 2003
 Anzac Drum Call 2000 - 02
 Youth Leadership Sydney
 Convesntion Centre 2001
 Rugby Union
 Under 16's Basketball
 House Captain
 Volleyball
 Door Knock Appeal
 Red Cross
 40 Hour Famine
 Chocolate Sales
 School Representative

**PETERS
 Roscoe-Lee**



1st in Geography - 02
Gold Award
Distinction maths comp - 01

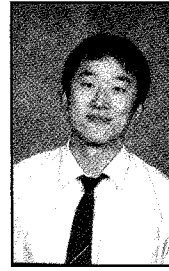
Red Cross Door Knock Appeal
02

**PHAM
Vu**



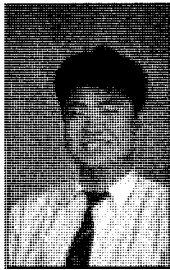
Young Achievement 2002
Regional Athletics/Swimming Volunteer
2002
School Music Performance 1998-2001
Junior Chess Team 1998
Vanity Night 2000-2001
Fundraiser 2000
Music Certificate 2001
Maths Comp. Credit 1998-99,'01
Maths Comp. Distinction 2000
Science Comp. Credit 2001
Certificate of Merit Music 2001
1st Grade Tennis 2003
2nd Grade Tennis 2002-2003
Open Grade Soccer 2001-2002
Zone Cross Country 1998, 2000, 2003
House Tennis Champion 1998
40 Hour Famine 1998-2003
Red Shield Appeal 2002-2003
Red Cross Collector 2002

**PHUNG
Tony**



Distinction Maths Comp - 2002
Salvation Army Collection

**PIAO
Lance (Jun zhe)**



Salvation Army collection

**PIAO
Wen Long**



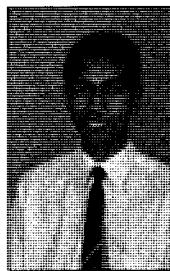
TAFE Literacy Yutoring-02-
Merit Award-Literacy tutoring-
02
Homebush Boys-Gold Award-
02
First AID Certificate-02 to 05
Introduction to teaching Corse
(soccer)-01
Kitchen Garden Festival-02
Strathfield Eco Art Prize-02
Function catering Certificate-
Certificate of Merit-02
SRC-(Help cook)- Certificate
40 hour Famine
Assistance in Athletics,
Swimming at Sydney North
Schools.

**POLYCHRONI
Andreas**



School Musical
Chess
1999-02 Lakemba Blother's Rugby
League team
Maths Competition 2001, 02, 03
English Competition 2001, 02
Business Competition 2003
Science Competition 2001
Business Studies Stock Exchange
Competition
2001-Second Grade Rugby
2002- Second Grade Rugby (Vice
Captain)
2003- First grade rugby
Balmain Knockout 2001, 02 Waratah
Swield
St Mary's Coucad Fundraising
Bankstown Speals Netball Team-
Fundraising
Petersham Creek- Kindergarten-
Volunteer

**PRACY
Luke,**



School magazine cover- 2003
Involved in Eiodrs Drive-2003

Maths Comp-2001-Credit
Science Comp-2003-
Participation
Business Comp-2003
Maths Comp-1999-Credit

Participation in cross country
2003

Red Cross door Linoch appeal-
2003
40 hour Famine 2003

**PREMASHANDRA
Anusha**



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**PURSWANI
Grish**

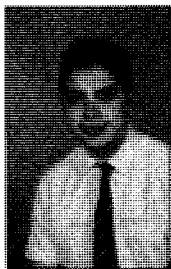


School to work Photograph
2000-2001
Maths 2000-2001

School certificate

40 hour Famine

**RAGHONAZH
Arjuna**



Maths Comp 2003
Maths Comp 2002
Maths Comp 2001 Credit
Maths Comp 2000 Credit
Maths comp1999 Credit
Maths Comp 1998 Credit
Senior Indoor Soccer Team
2003
1st/2nd grade Soccer 2003
Senior Indoor Soccer Team
2001-2002
2nd Grade Soccer 2002
3rd Grade Soccer 2001
15A Soccer 2000
14A Soccer 1999
13B soccer 1998

**RAIS
Ricardo**



Science Comp Distinction
2000
Science Comp Gifted and
Talented
Maths Comp Credit 2000
Maths Comp Credit 2001
Maths Comp Credit 2002

Hockey Grade Manager 2002

Red Cross Blood Donor 2002

**RAJAN
Saidev**



School to Work 2000-2001
English Comp 1998 - 99
Science Comp 1998 - 2000
Gold Certificate 2000
Maths Comp 1998 - 2003
Chemistry Comp 2002
14A Cricket 1998-1999
15A Cricket 1999-2000
3rd Grade Cricket 2000 -2001
2nd Cricket 2002-2003
Cross Country 2003
Athletic Carnival 2003 1500m
400m 800m metropolitan
40Hour Famine 2001
Salvation Army 2003
Money for Iraq War 2003
Fundraising Cross Country
2003
World Vision

**RAJAYOGAN
Shayanthan**



B.O.B leader 2001-2003
Gold Award 2001

Zone Cross Country 2001 - 2003
Zone Athletics 2003
Zone Athletics 2001
House Sport Person of the Week 30/5/2001
World Vision 1999 - 2003

RICHARDSON
David



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RICHARDSON
Michael



School Magazine 2002 - 2003
Prefect
Catering Certificates - Hospitality
Variety Night - Lighting 2002
1st in Photography 2002
Gold Award 2001
Maths Comp. Credit 2000
15's Grade Volleyball 1999
14's Grade Volleyball 1998
2nd Grade Volleyball Premiers 2001
Sportsman of the Week in Volleyball 1998
Eco Art Prize 2002
40 Hour Famine 2001
Red Cross Door Knock Appeal 2002
Red Shield Appeal 2003

RODRIGUEZ
Christian



Work Experience
Maths Competition in Yr 7-10
Maths Comp Credit in Yr 7
Chocolate Fundraiser
School to Work Program Yr 9 - 10

RUPAMOORTHY
Jeykreshna



Maths Comp - Credit - 1999/02
Science Comp - Credit - 1999/01

Senior Hockey 2002 - 2003
Junior Hockey 2001

Red Shield Appeal 2002 - '03

RUTHIRAKUMAR
Saipriyadharshan

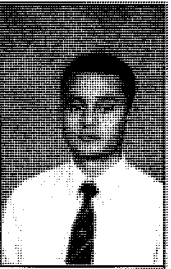


MAD Performance
Gold Award

15 Years Water Polo

Charity Collection (Red Cross)
40 Hour Famine
School Gym Fundraising

SADARANGANI
Raunak



Chess

BHP Science Award
Physics Olympiad
Chemistry Comp.
Maths Comp. 1999-2002

Grade Basketball

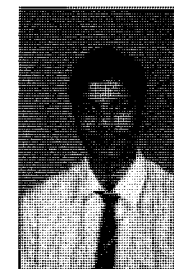
40 Hour Famine
School Gym Fundraising
Exodus Foundation

SEIF
Matthew



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SELLADURAI
Alfred Vimelendran



High Distinction Maths Comp. 2000-2002
High Distinction Science Comp. 1999, 2001
Distinction Science Comp. 2000, 2002

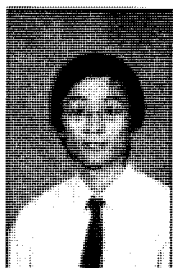
1st Grade Rugby 2003

SHAHEED
Obeidullati



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SHEN
Da Wei

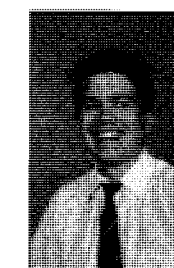


Maths Comp. 2000-2003
Business Studies Comp. 2002
School Website Design Comp. 3rd Prize

Sportsperson of the Week for House Volleyball in Year 10

Double Tenth Day Web Design Comp. Australia 2002
1st Prize
Assistance in 2002 Tafe NSW Quality Awards
3rd Prize in Chinese Composition Comp. 2001

SHI
Xiao Ying

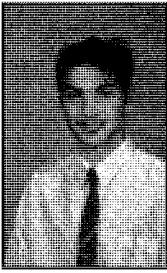


Chocolate Gym Fundraising

1st in General Maths Year 10
Distinction Maths Comp. 2002

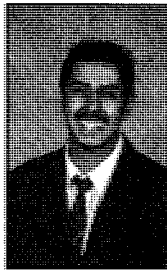
Year 10 Union

SIMPSON
Lewis



School Prefect 2003
 Young Achievement Australia 2001
 Physics Olympiad Training at Sydney University 2002
 National Qualifying Exam in Physics (Credit) 2002
 1st Grade Soccer 2002-2003
 Senior Indoor Soccer 2002-2003
 Zone Athletics (100m, 200m, 400m) 2002-2003
 School Representative UNICEF Fundraising 2003
 World Vision Youth Leadership Convention 2003
 Clean Up Australia Day 2003
 Amnesty International Conference 2003

**SIMSEK
Mustafa**



Debating - 2000 - 2001
 Peer Tutor - 2003
 Variety Night - 2001

 1st in Visual Arts - 2002
 Gold Award - 2002

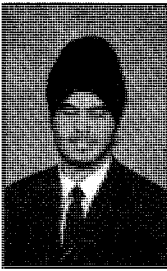
 Participation in Cross Country - 1999
 Red Cross Collection - 2001, 2002
 Represented School in Eco Art Prize - 2002
 40hour famine - 2001
 Represented school in Visual Art Comp - 2001

**SINGH
Bhim Raj**



Prefect
 Youth Leadership Forum
 Maths Comp. Credit 1998-2002
 Science Comp. Credit 1999-'01
 English Comp. Credit 2000-'01
 Athletics State Rep 1998-2001
 Shot Put & Discus 1999-2001
 Javelin & Cross Country 1998-99
 Davidson Shield Cricket
 1st Grade Cricket Final 2002
 2nd grade cricket 2001
 Junior Hockey 2000-2001
 Senior hocky 2001-2003-09-02
 Briars Hockey Shield hockey
 Red Cross Representative
 Salvation army
 Youth Leadership Forum

**SINGH
Mannu**



Variety Night 2002

 Maths Comp. 2002
 Science Comp. 2002
 Chemistry Comp. 2001

 1st Grade Hockey 2002

 Salvation Army Door Knock Appeal 2003
 Red Cross 2002
 Salvation Army 2002
 Exodus Collection
 40 Hour Famine 2001
 Gym Fundraising

**SINGH
Preetraj**



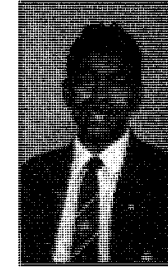
Chess Team 1998

 Excellence in IPT in 2002
 Maths & Computing Competition
 8 Silver Awards
 1 Gold Award

 15 B Cricket
 Junior & Senior Hockey

 Red Cross
 Salvation Army
 Exodus Foundation

**SINGH
Surpreet**



Inner West Eisteddfod 2000-01
 Greek Drama 2000-01
 Performance Night 2001
 Lawn Bowls National Tournament 2003
 Young Achievers 1999
 Credit Maths Comp 2002
 Distinction Maths Comp 2001
 Distinction Science Comp 2000
 Credit English Comp 1999
 14 & 15's Credit 2002
 3rd & 2nd Grade Captain 2002
 Lawn Bowls 2000-2001
 Grade Hockey 2002
 40 Hour Famine 2002
 Red Shield Appeal 2000-03

**SIVAPALAN
Thulaisinavau**



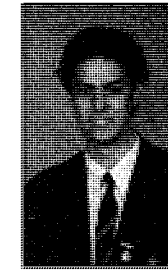
Anzac Day March - 1999
 Economics Comp - Credit - 2002
 Maths Comp - Credit - 2002
 Maths Comp - Distinction - 2001
 Science Comp - Credit - 2001
 2nd Grade Cricket - 2002/03,
 Bowler of the season - hatrick
 1st grade Hockey - 2002/03
 3rd grade Cricket - 2001/02
 15's B Cricket- 2000/01
 14's B Cricket - 1999/00
 Sportsman of the week - 2003
 Exodus Collection
 Red Cross Doorknock Appeal
 Gym Fundraiser

**SIVARAJAH
Kandeepan**



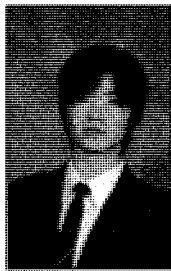
School Rock Band 2000
 Best Band at Variety Night
 1st in Visual Arts 1998
 Excellence in Visual Arts 1998
 Maths Comp. Credit 1998, 2003
 1st Grade Cricket Davidson Cup
 2nd Grade Cricket Premiers
 1st Grade Hockey
 Sportsperson of the Week in 3rd Grade Cricket
 Salvation Army 1998-2003
 Red Shield Appeal 1998-2003
 National Tree Planting Day 2002-2003
 Clean Up Australia Day 2001-03
 Soup Kitchen Involvement
 Exodus Food Drive 1998-2003

**SIVARAJAH
Sujan**



School Captain 2003,
 SRC Vice-president 2002,
 SRC Member 2002-2003,
 School Marching Band 1999-2001, 2003,
 Siemens Science Experience 2001,
 Sydney, Uni. Gifted Talented Enrichment Program 2001
 Lion's Youth of Year Nominee 2003
 Maths Comp-HD(1998)D(1999)C(2000-2002)
 English Comp (1998)
 Credit(1999, 2000) D(2002)
 Science Comp-D(1998-2001)
 First English(1998)
 1st Grade Basketball (Captain 2002-2003,2001-2003)
 1st Grade Soccer (Captain 2003,2002),
 Sydney North Basketball Regional Team (2002, captain 2003)
 1st Grade volleyball Knockout (2003)
 Stewart House Collector, Daffodil Day
 Bandaged Bear Day
 Red Shield Appeal, Red Cross Collector,
 Jeans for Genes Day,
 40 hour famine.

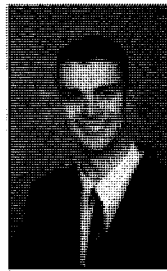
**SOLAESE
Anthony**



Maths Competition Credit 2001
 Maths Competition Credit 2000

 Blood Donor

**SON
Ki Hyun**



Drum Corps. 2000-2003
 Variety Night Set Up 2000-03
 Lucas Enterprises
 Senior First Aid Certificate
 Surf Awareness Skills
 Maths Comp. Credit 1998-'01
 Police Workplacement
 Business Comp. Finalist
 2 Gold Awards
 Principal Award
 Grade Soccer 1998-2000
 Grade Lawn Bowls 2000-2003
 State Lawn Bowls Knockout 2003
 Zone Athletics 2000-2003
 Swimming Official 2000-'03
 Red Cross Red Shield Appeal

**STAINES
William**



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**TAHSEEN MOID
Saad**



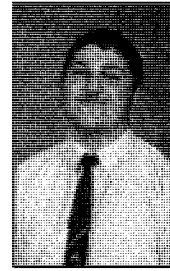
Prefect 2002-2003
 House Captain 2002-2003
 SRC 2001-2002
 House Vice Captain 2001-2002
 Leader Of BOB 2001-2003
 Music Production 2002
 Scholarship for Professor Harry Messels' International Science School 2003
 Maths Comp High Distinction, Distinction 1998-2003
 Science Comp Distinction, Credit 1998-2003
 Economic Comp Credit 2002-03
 BHP Science Awards 2001
 Chemistry Comp Distinction, Credit 2000-02
 English Comp 1998-2001
 Regional Cross Country 2003
 Zone Cross Country 1998-2003
 Zone Athletics 1998-2003
 Zone Swimming 1998-2003
 1st Grade Soccer 2001-2002
 Knockout team 2001-2003
 NSW indoor Soccer team 1999-2000
 1st Grade waterpolo Team 2001-2002
 Netball Team 2002-2003
 Grade Soccer team 1998-2000

TAI
Junji



Zone Volunteer Coordinator 2002
 Regional Athletics Carnival Official 2002
 Maths Comp. 1998, 1999, 2001, 2002
 3rd Grade Soccer Zone Championship Winner 2002
 Zone Cross Country 1999
 Red Cross 2001-2002
 Salvation Army 2003
 Clean Up Australia Day 2001
 40 Hour Famine 2001

TANG
Alan



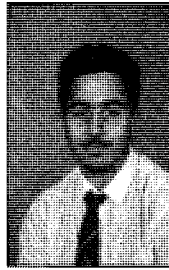
1999 Regional School Gathering
 Grade Rugby 2001-2002
 Grade Soccer 1999-2000
 Soccer Manager 2000
 Sport and Recreational Soccer Coach 2000
 Sport and Recreational Fishing Expedition 2000-2001

TANIAN
Omar



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TAOUK
Elias



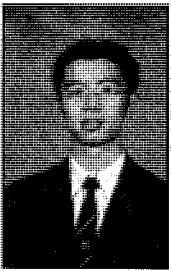
Maths Comp. Credit 2000
 1st Grade Rugby 2003
 2nd Grade Rugby 2002
 2nd Grade Rugby 2001
 15 Years Rugby 2000
 15 Years Rugby 1999
 2nd Grade Basketball 2002
 13C Soccer 1998
 MS Read-A-Thon 2000
 40 Hour Famine 2002

TARABAYN
Omar



Standard Maths Comp - Distinction - 2003
 Maths Comp - Credit - 2002
 Maths Challenge - 1998
 English Comp - 1998
 Science Comp - 1998
 Grade Soccer - 1998, 1999, 2000

TATAR
Murat



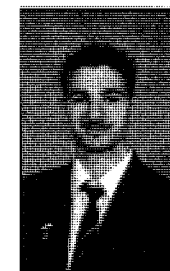
Function Catering 2002-2003
 Work Placement Hospitality IT 2002-2003
 Function For SRC / Principal Lunch
 Maths Competition 2000-2003
 Maths Competition Credit 1998
 Official For Sport & Rec
 Exodus Foundation Participant

TENG
Pei - Lei, Leo



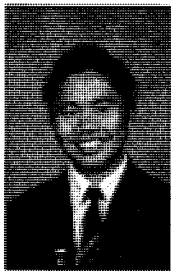
2002 Variety Night Performer
 2001 2nd Grade Rugby Semi-finals
 2002 1st Grade Rugby Semi-finals
 2003 1st Grade Rugby Finals
 2003 North-west Metropolitan Rugby Development Squad (got dropped)

TOZER
Rhys



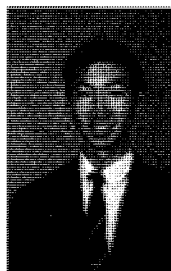
Maths Comp.
 English Comp.
 Business Comp.
 1st Grade Sport
 2nd Grade Sport
 Zone Cross Country
 Zone Athletics
 Zone Swimming
 Charity Collection
 Balmain Rugby Comp.

TRAD
Hassin



Prefect 2003
 SRC 2000
 Environmental Workwise Workshop 2000
 Credit Science Comp. 2003
 Credit Maths Comp. 1998-2002
 Grade Rugby 2001, 2003
 Salvation Army 2003
 Red Cross 2002
 Blood Donor

TRAN
David



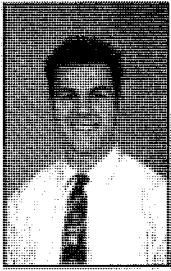
2003: Sir - School Environmental Committee
 2000, 01, 03: School Musical - Piano
 2001-03: National School Share Market Game
 2001: School Cross Country
 1999-2002: Credit for Maths Comp
 2001: Maths Challenge Credit
 1999: Award for Visual Arts
 1998: 1st in Maths, Distinction in Maths Comp.
 1999: Young Australian Achievement Award
 2002-03: 1st in Grade Tennis
 2003: Score for Regional Volleyball Game
 2001-2002: Grade Tennis
 2000: Runner up for Grade Soccer, house volleyball
 1999: Runner up for house tennis competition
 2003: First aid course
 2003: Raised for Bandsage Bear Day, Stewart House, raised for Jeans for Genes Day
 2001: Fundraised for the Red Cross

Tran
Jason



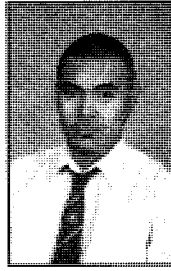
2003 Careers Expo. Assistant
 Computing Studies Comp. 2002-2003
 Chemistry Comp. 2002
 Maths Comp. 2000
 English Comp. 2000
 2nd Grade Tennis 2002-2003
 4th Grade Soccer 2002
 2nd Grade Tennis 2001-2002
 14B Soccer 1999
 Zone Cross Country 1998
 Salvation Army Red Shield Appeal 2002-2003
 Red Cross Collector 2002

TRAN
Kevin



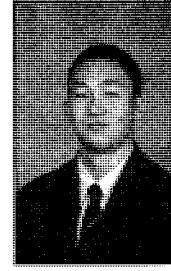
School Prefect
1st Grade Soccer 2003
Senior Indoor Soccer 2002-2003
School Representative

**TRANTIS
Con**



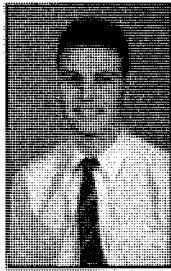
First XV's 2002-2003
Community Service

**TUIFUA
George**



MAD Music And Dance
Competition 2002
Credit Maths Competition 2002
Grade Basketball 15's Premier
98-2000
Grade Soccer 98-99
1st & 2nd Grade Rugby 99-2003

**TUNGKA
Roland**



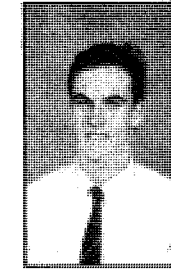
School Prefect
English Comp.
Credit Maths Comp. 2002
Grade Soccer 1999-2003
Participated in Careers Expo. at
MLC
2002 Door Knock Appeal
2002 Red Cross

**UREN
Max**



Chess 2002
Peer Tutor 2002
Bio Olympiad Training 2003
Science Workshop at Sydney
University 2001
Bookprize - School Science
Quiz 2000
Tafe Certificate - Peer Tutoring
Science Comp. 2000-2002
Chemistry Comp. 2000-2002
Maths Comp. 2000-2002
Geography Comp. 2001
2nd in History 2000
2nd in Science 2000
Biology NQE 2002
Chemistry NQE 2002

**VANATHEVA
Sajevan**



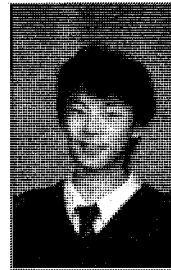
Canberra Science Trip 2000
Sydney University Degree In a Day
Distance Education Course For
Engineering Studies
Economics Comp Dist 2002
Business Comp High Dist 2003
1st In Business Studies Yr11
1st In Standard English Yr11
1st In 2 Unit Maths Yr 11
1st Engineering Studies Dist Yr11
Gold Award 2002
Excellence in Technical Drawing 2000
Maths Comp 1999-2002
Science Comp 1999-2002
Excellence in Engineering Studies
2002
Swimming 1998-2003
House Tennis 1999-2001
Exodus Foundation Donator
Chocolate Drive 1998
Tree Planting in Airey Park 1999

**WAKEFIELD
James**



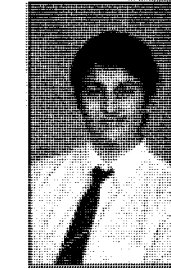
HSC

**WANG
Owen**



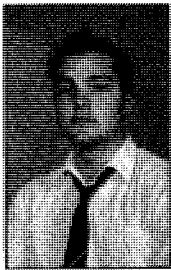
Runnerup Badminton
Competition

**WANG
Dong Ken**



Debating 2002
Maths Comp Credit
Science Comp Credit
40 hr Famine
Exodus

**WELCOME
Richard**



Yr 7-10 Maths comp distinction
Yr 8 maths challenge distinction
Yr 11 maths comp credit
Yr 11-12 1st and 2nd grade
soccer
Turner cup competition yr 10
Commonwealth bank cu p
team

**WIERZBICKI
Marcin**



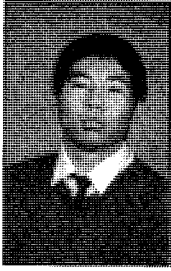
Regional Swimming Carnival officials 00-02
Regional Athletic Carnival officials 01-02
Distinction maths comp 98-01
Credit maths comp 98-02
Credit chemistry comp 98-01
Distinction business comp 02
1st grade volleyball zone champion 03
3rd grade soccer zone champion 02
2nd grade basketball 00-01
15's soccer 2002
15's basketball 99-00
14's soccer 99
14's basketball 98-99
opens volley ball state knockout 03
15's basketball knockout 00
Zone Athletics Cross Country
Red Shield Appeal collection 98,02
Red Cross collector 02
National Tree Day 00-02
Clean Up Australia day 00,01
Young Achievement Australia business skills
program 02

**WONG
Kevin**



Air Force Cadets 2000-2001
Credit Maths Comp. 1998,
2000-2003
Credit Maths Challenge 2000-
2001
Distinction Maths Comp.
1999
Credit Science Comp. 1999-
2001
Chinese Speaking Comp.
1999
Red Shield 1999-2000

**WU
Chong Jing (Richard)**



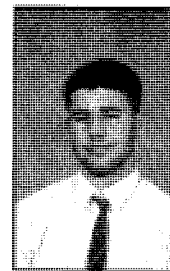
Maths Comp Credit 2001
Maths Comp Distinction
Charity Collection In The Roll
Call
Class For Last Two Years

**Xu
Jia, Lin**



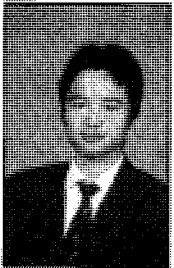
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**YAN
Si Yuan**



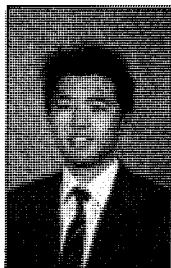
01,02 maths comp credit
02 science comp credit
40hr famine
Red shield collection

**YASSINE
Mohammed**



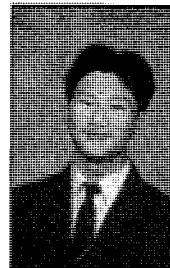
High distinction maths comp
2000
Distinction maths comp 2001
Distinction maths challenge
2002
Credit maths comp 2002
3rd grade volleyball 2002
2nd grade volleyball 2003
state knock ou team volleyball
2003
School gym fundraising choco-
late drive 2000

**YE
Guo Xin**



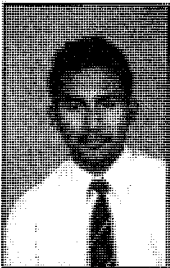
99 young australian achieve-
ment award
maths comp distinction 98-01
science comp credit 99-00
maths challenge credit 00
99, 15b soccer runners up
00-01 2nd grade volleyball win-
ners
02-03 1sr grade volleyball
champions
01 red cross collection
01-02 chocolate drive
01 salvation army
01-02 clean up Australia day

**YIP
Wesley**



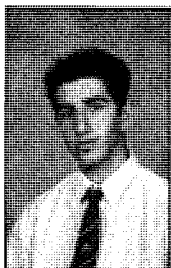
First Aid certificate 2002
Maths comp credit 97-98
1st grade tennis 2000
2nd grade tennis 2002
14's grade cricket 98
Cintra park tennis champion 97-
00

**YUNG
Nelson**



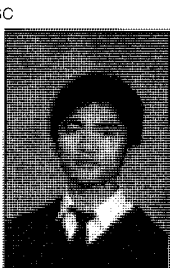
1st grade cricket 2001-2002
Iraq appeal

**ZAMAN
Imlak**



Grade Sport
Rugby Union
Red Cross

**ZEINEDDINE
Hayder**



HSC

**ZENG
Rodney**

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