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Chapel



Many times we put ourselves down by saying, "Oh, I'm just a nobody. I just don't have any idea of my meaning and purpose. I don't have any faith. I'm just an 'ordinary run-of-the-mill person'. I don't have any talents and can't do much to make a difference."

We do this because we look at others and think they are so much better than us – but are they?

Each of us has been called to live different lives. There may be some similarities in what we do to what others do and say, but essentially we all take our own path. We all have the responsibility to stand up in the world by living a contrasting way of life, by showing that our faith story, our privileges, our values, and our standards really do make a difference in how we live our daily lives.

Wherever we go, we can cast the light of all that our belief and faith stands for into the dark corners and be a positive influence on those we meet on a daily basis. In order to do this, Paul in his letter to the Romans says, "Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind and your soul."

This is not something that will happen overnight but is usually a process, as we seek to live out our lives each day. A process that does not finish with your final Chapel Service as a student at Hale School, rather a process

that continues. The challenge is to allow the process to continue – and don't give up the process if you 'stuff up' along the way.

Is it possible to live as a person who understands their meaning and purpose?

How do we go about living a life that reflects our belief and faith?

We have to want to live a life that has meaning and purpose. Our actions should reflect our faith. When our actions reflect our faith, three things are produced:

goodness, righteousness, and truth.

These are in stark contrast to:

malice, injustice, and falsehood.

I cannot answer for you but I certainly know which three I would choose if I were asked what I stood for in life.

Goodness comes from a Greek word that describes love in action. It refers to the giving of oneself. Paul also wrote, "Always pursue what is good both for you and for all."

A life of goodness just does not happen. If you do not practise self-sacrificing love in the little daily things, it will not happen for the big things.

And from goodness and love comes righteousness and truth.

It is from having a belief and faith that we truly come to understand what goodness and love mean and this makes our lives complete. The process of working out what we believe and what our meaning and purpose are does not stop when you leave Hale and go to university or get a job. It is ongoing and then not only do we see the change in our own lives, but we will also make a difference to those with whom we come into contact.

A simple story as an example to end with:

It is said that Benjamin Franklin wanted to convince the citizens of Philadelphia to light the streets at night as a way of protection against crime and as a convenience for evening travellers.

When he failed to influence them by words, he bought a lantern and placed it on a long bracket in front of his house. Each evening he made sure there was enough fuel in it and lit the wick. His neighbours noticed the glow from the light in front of his house. Passers by appreciated the light and soon others began placing lanterns in front of their homes too.

Eventually the city recognised the need for well-lit streets.

May your lives shine that others will see the need for God's light in their lives as well.

Father Dougall Ethell

The Headmaster



SG Meade

The Right Reverend Tom Wilmot, Assistant Bishop of Perth, Mr Brett Fullarton and members of the Board, our special guest Mr Richard Goyder, invited guests, members of staff, parents and boys.

It is a privilege to present to you the Senior School Speech Day report for 2007. My special welcome to Richard Goyder who has kindly agreed to present the awards and say a few words a little later on. Mr Goyder, an Old Haleian from 1977, has carved a reputation in business in Australia that has seen him preside over the largest takeover in commercial history in Australia with the acquisition of the Coles Group by Wesfarmers very recently. His daughter flies to France this afternoon with her school group so between work and family matters, we are most fortunate to have him as our special guest.

Just over 20 years ago, I sat in a lecture theatre at the commencement of my second full year of teaching, listening to the Headmaster of the school address the staff. With the brashness and confidence of youth I thought I knew it all. After all, this was my second year of teaching, and in that first year I had taught a Year 12 Economics class. One boy in my class had actually come second in the state. At the time I saw it as proof of my outstanding teaching skill. With the benefit of hindsight I now realise he would almost certainly have been placed top of the state if he had a more experienced teacher. But I thought I had the teaching game mastered.

Mark Bishop was an extraordinary Headmaster from whom I learned a great deal. The theme of his remarks that day was that values are the most important thing that teachers teach. In social settings when people learn you are a teacher, their first question is usually "Where do you teach?" followed by "What do you teach?". When asked "What do you teach?", Mark Bishop would always answer "I teach boys". He meant that what good teachers and good schools try to do is go far beyond the mere transmission of knowledge. Mark Bishop spoke to his staff that day about how important it was for us to provide sound values and reinforce the values initially learned in the home; and of the importance of us as teachers modelling in our everyday life at school the values we expected our students to follow. It is a philosophy that must resonate in our community today if we are to be true to our Vision and Values. Anything less and we are compromising our core business.

During the year I have hosted breakfasts for

over 250 parents where we have discussed the School's vision. I have asked them questions and then articulated my thoughts on what makes this school tick and where I believe we are going in the future. It has been an enlightening process as I have listened to their responses to the questions: Why did you send your sons to Hale? and Are we living up to your expectations? I also invited those present to comment on areas of the School that we should be addressing. The responses have been many and varied and always useful. It has been an affirming exercise, as the responses show but one from which I took many suggestions. One parent raised the format of the parent/teacher meetings and likened them to speed dating. Without first hand knowledge of such events, I had to take her word for it. Needless to say I'll be paying close attention to the goings on in this very hall next year.

At the breakfasts I also suggested there are a number of cornerstones upon which the culture and philosophy of this school is built. Opportunity is one and parents around the table were prepared to acknowledge the myriad opportunities at Hale for boys to engage in: be it music, drama, sport, outdoor education, academic or cultural pursuits, service learning and leadership opportunities.

The sporting programme is seen as an immovable beast in the culture of the School but it is a beast that needs constant nourishment. Simon Young, our innovative Sportsmaster, is constantly looking for ways to enhance the offerings for the boys. And don't they respond. A highlight for me was the 1st XVIII game against the previously undefeated Trinity College on Craig Oval. The discipline of the team counted for a great deal as they defended their lead and then finished the game well on top. But as importantly, was the support from players from other sports who lined the boundary and swarmed onto the ground as the siren went. It said a great deal about the pride that many boys have in their school.

At the breakfasts I also stated that "excellence in all that we do" is another cornerstone of the School. That is, personal excellence. As Fiona Wood says, "to strive not to be the best but to be the best you can be". For the boys to achieve excellence, we have to provide the infrastructure to enable this to happen. Not only the facilities but the talents and skills of the teaching staff are required to be of a superior level. And while there is only so much we can do, additional opportunities in which boys can excel are constantly opening up. The launch of the redfoot youth theatre next year is one such opportunity. It will add a new dimension to the already very popular performance drama offerings at the School. We see it already in music and in many other co-curricular activities. In sport, there is a

wonderful balance of highly qualified coaches and highly enthusiastic ones. Mr Young is determined to give boys the best opportunities possible, thus the employment of specialist coaches to assist at all levels of the sport.

Our Vision Statement refers to our desire that "society benefits through the wider contributions of the Hale School community." The title Service Learning was decided upon some years ago quite deliberately to highlight that not only is providing service a key element of the programme, but the idea of learning was important also; learning of tolerance and respect, of relationships and commitment, of the intrinsic value of giving and serving others.

This year, for example, we had 23 spots for full-time carers at the Sony Camp, 48 boys applied; for the Vietnam trip to work in orphanages, there were 16 places available, 26 boys applied; in The Nulsen Haven programme, there were places for 4 patrons, 18 boys applied. In Year 8, 32 places to attend the Gladys Newton School are available, 60 applied this year. In one sense it shows we have to find more opportunities, but it also shows the boys are wanting to be involved. Next year, Fr Dougall will be taking a group of Yr 10 boys to the Solomon Islands to work with local communities, providing another opportunity for the boys.

Mr Harry Weston has taken to his role as Middle Years Coordinator with vigour. His attention to detail and his genuine concern for the boys in his care have reaped many rewards in the second half of this year. Due to the changing demands and needs of boys in early adolescence and with the older cohort which is moving through the School, we have decided that from the commencement of 2010, boys in Years 7 and 8 will have a separate but co-existing home on the school campus. While I believe the cross age relationships that exist in the Senior School are so important and must be retained, the more precise needs of the boys in Years 7 and 8 dictate a different model to deliver the outcomes we desire for boys in their early teenage years. This home base will be centred in the area currently occupied by the Senior School library. The adjoining classrooms will be refurbished or redesigned to accommodate the Middle School teaching team. The independence and sense of challenge required by boys as they reach Year 8 will be built into the programme to enable the older students to move to some of the specialist teaching areas such as Design and Technology. The model to be implemented will incorporate aspects of transition as well as creating an identity that is specific to the Middle School. It will be an exciting project. Part of this plan will include Year 7 becoming a major point of intake into the School. Indeed, in years to come I foresee Year 7 replacing Year 8 as the major point

of entry into the School. We will be informing the Hale community of the specifics of this change early next year.

The media refers to chronic teacher shortages looming. They are correct and to remain at the forefront of the delivery of education in this state we must attract and retain our very best teachers. Suitable remuneration is one important part of this equation. However, we must also arm our staff with additional skills in pedagogy and leadership. To this end, we have embarked on a partnership with the University of WA that will provide opportunities for teachers to undertake further studies, including a winter academic school next year, hosted at Hale. It is an exciting development in the professional development calendar for teachers and one that should reap rewards for the teachers, and the boys in the years to come.

One of the secrets to a good school is good staff – and this staff is very good. But they are now meant to do so much. And of course, when you have a good staff, other people want them! When teaching staff leave Hale, they mostly either retire or get promoted. This year we have a number of both varieties. Ms Carina Sas, Mrs Lynda Green and Mr John Ewing are retiring from their roles, while Mr Gerry Simpson, Mr Brad Young and Mrs Amanda Wallas are leaving to promotion positions as Heads of Departments at other schools. After 14 years of extraordinary commitment to so many areas of Hale School life, Mr Brian Grimes leaves us to take the on the challenges of Head of Senior School at Swan Valley Anglican Community School. He is passionate about all that he does, and his contributions to Wilson House, soccer, chemistry, service learning, Hale's Angels and indeed all things Hale have been without peer. I thank him for leaving an indelible mark on Hale School. Most significantly, after 32 years at Hale, the last few of them in a part time capacity, Mr Malcolm 'Speed' Jordan has decided to call it a day. He keeps telling me he will be back to do some standby teaching but that is only so we won't acknowledge him today. He has been a true servant to the School, never seeking the limelight or recognition but deserving of both. In his years here, he has been Head of Biology, Housemaster of two day houses (including Haynes House where his House Captain was our current Chairman of the Board) and one boarding House, hockey maestro, athletics coach every year of his time here and many other roles. He has been a friend, colleague and mentor to staff and his ability to relate to boys on all levels has won him the admiration of decades of Hale students. He will be missed.

It is an awesome responsibility to teach, guide and direct young men in schools. It is one

that we take seriously. As are the very strong, respectful relationships that are forged in the classroom, on the sports field, in co-curricular activities, and in less formal settings. I ask you to join me now in thanking the staff for their committed efforts this year.

As a strong community, we share so many experiences. Earlier this year, we all felt the pain of the loss of a beloved colleague and friend. When Jenny Henson passed away so unexpectedly in May this year, it sent a feeling of numbness through the Hale family. Jenny had been a part of the School for over 20 years, in charge of the Medical Centre, the self-appointed boss of the boarding community, a football tour tragic, and a friend to so many staff, boys and their families. Her passing hurt but the values she modelled for others must not be forgotten. With that in mind, the Board of Governors has approved the establishment of the Jenny Henson Boarding Scholarship. The recipient will be a boarder in Year 10 who lives the ideals of Jenny – someone who displays friendship, care and concern for others within the boarding community, who contributes and provides role modelling behaviour to those around him – and because I know she'll be listening, I better add "plays footy!" It gives me pleasure to announce the inaugural winner of the Jenny Henson Boarding Scholarship – George Cunningham.

Learning and leadership are at the core of a Hale School education. We must continue to work with the boys in both these areas as they are critical to success and fulfilment not only during their school days but also in later life. If there was a perfect model for the selection of student leaders in schools, we would all be using it. I have no doubt some very capable young men will not be appointed to School or House Prefect positions. However, I maintain that all Year 12 students have the responsibility for setting the tone of the School and thus their leadership is required throughout the campus in every setting. This year, Sean Cowley and Ben Hogan led the Prefects with determination and enthusiasm. I thank them and hope they take away many experiences gained from their time in these leadership positions.

I would now like to announce the School Prefects for 2008 and ask that as I call their names, they come to the front of the hall where we will acknowledge them as a group:

Tristan Ashford, Tom Bartlett, Marcus bin Omar, Toby Dawson, Chris de Beer, Alexis Hall, Byron Jameson, Binu Jayawardena, Nicholas Jones, Simon Joseph, Alex Krzus, Lincoln Meeking, Ben Mills, Callum Murdoch, Harris Ntoumenopoulos, Luke Owen, Michael Pollastri, Rhodri Simmonds, Taylor Smith, Alex Vickery, Niall Virgo, Peter Vrankovich, Patrick Whitfield.

To lead this team and indeed the student body, I would like to ask the following to join me on stage:

Vice Captain of School for 2008: Binu Jayawardena

Captain of School for 2008: Taylor Smith

I am confident Binu and Taylor will prove to be strong leaders of a committed team.

The House Captains also hold significant positions in the student leadership team. Their role has a different focus to that of School Prefect but pastoral leadership and administrative support to the Heads of House are important requirements for the position. The following boys have been given this role in 2006.

Buntine – Simon Joseph,

Faulkner – Peter Vrankovich,

Havelock – Chris de Beer,

Haynes – Toby Dawson,

Loton – Byron Jameson,

Parry – Tom Smith,

Riley – Niall Virgo,

St Georges – Alex Krzus,

Tregonning – Michael Pollastri,

Wilson – Cody Fulwood.

I would like to thank Lynnley McDonald as President of the Parents' and Friends' Association and her committee for the wonderfully positive contribution they have made to the School community this year. Indeed, the growing number of support groups in the School add to the positive vibe that surrounds so much of the co-curricular programme. To all parents who give of their time, I thank you.

I commend the work of the Board of Governors. Led by Brett Fullarton, it is a Board with positive and creative energy. They have reached out supportively but not intrusively. In this time of wide-ranging activity in the School, their considered approach has been to our enormous benefit.

The School's aim is to create a multi-faceted, dynamic and technology-rich environment that provides every student with a range of opportunities for success, self discovery and leadership. As custodians of the history and values of the School, it is the least we can do if we are to honour our 'duty' to the many future generations of Haleians. I hope you will be part of the foundations that will enable the continued growth of this dynamic school.

Finally, thank you boys. It has been a big year. The spirit of service was strong and your character was obvious. Your warmth, courage, creativity, spirit and many successes inspire us all. And so I wish you a very happy, safe and holy Christmas with your families. Schools do not come much better than this one. It is worth every bit of the effort that we put into it, boys and adults alike. I commend Hale to your loyal and continued support.

Year 12 Academic Achievers



Benjamin Hogan



Bharath Iyer



Raymond Pritchard



Shovan Rath



Edward Wang



Nicholas Scott



Sean Hayes



James Lewin



Timothy Montgomery



Darryn Sherry



Nathaniel Smith



Callum Twigger



Matthew Dulaney



Trent Grgich



Brendan O'Connor



Lihan Oliver



Wesley Pendlebury



Charles Skender



Hserrn Ern Tan



Joshua Borrill

Year 12 Academic Results

GENERAL EXHIBITIONS

Benjamin Hogan
Bharath Iyer
Raymond Pritchard
Shovan Rath
Edward Wang

CERTIFICATES OF DISTINCTION

Sean Hayes (Geography)
Benjamin Hogan (French, Music, Ancient History)
Bharath Iyer (Calculus, Chemistry, Applicable Mathematics, English)
James Lewin (Geography)
Timothy Montgomery (French)
Raymond Pritchard (Chemistry, Geography)
Nicholas Scott (Geography, History)
Darryn Sherry (Discrete Mathematics)
Nathaniel Smith (English)
Callum Twigger (History)

SUBJECT EXHIBITIONS

Benjamin Hogan (French)
Bharath Iyer (Calculus)
Nicholas Scott (Geography)

CERTIFICATES OF EXCELLENCE

Matthew Dulaney
Trent Grgich
Benjamin Hogan
Bharath Iyer
Brendan O'Connor
Lihan Oliver
Wesley Pendlebury
Raymond Pritchard
Shovan Rath
Charles Skender
Hsern Ern Tan
Edward Wang

Hale School students achieved outstanding academic results in 2007 and all students, their parents and teachers are acknowledged for the superb, focused team effort these results represent.

There were 175 TEE students out of the overall Year 12 cohort of 201 students. The mean TER was 88.06, even higher than the excellent result achieved by the 2006 cohort. Exactly 100 students (57.14%) achieved a TER over 90. 64 students achieved TERs over 95 and 15 students scored over 99. A very wide choice of tertiary courses will be available to many students as a result of their high TERs.

Of the 201 Year 12 students, 200 achieved Secondary Graduation. This conforms with the School's normal expectation that all or almost all students achieve this fundamental goal of Year 12.

A source of great pride to the teaching staff is the number of times that Hale School was placed in the 'Top 10' for each TEE subject and WSA subject, based on the percentage of students achieving a scaled score of 75% or more in that subject. In 2007, this occurred in 11 TEE subjects and 2 WSA subjects – more than any other boys' school in WA.

The TEE subjects were: **Accounting, Ancient History, Art, Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Discrete Mathematics, French, Geography, History and Japanese.** The WSA subjects were: **Applied Technology and Physical Education Studies.**

62.86% of Hale School students who completed four or more TEE subjects/WACE courses, achieved an average scaled mark in the top third. Hale School is ranked 5th in the State and is the top boys' school on the 'league table' for this measure.

We are proud of the academic results achieved by Year 12 students, 2007, and we are equally proud of the way in which they participated so fully in the life of the School, in sport, co-curricular activities and service to the community.

The partnership between parents, students and the School was a strong foundation for their academic success in 2007.

David Bean

**Director of Curriculum
Deputy Headmaster**



MAJOR SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

**University of Melbourne
National Scholarship**

- Shovan Rath
- Raymond Pritchard

**University of Western Australia
Fogarty Scholarships**

- Benjamin Hogan
- Bharath Iyer

**Australian Defence Force Academy
University of New South Wales**

- Joshua Borrill

Obituary



Jenny Henson started work as a nursing sister at Hale School in 1987, and was still working tirelessly in the boarding houses at the time of her sudden and tragic passing in May 2007. For most of her time at Hale, Jenny was Head of the Medical Centre, and it was in this role that she became an integral part of the Hale School community. For twenty years, Jenny gave unstintingly of herself and managed to enhance the lives of scores of colleagues, parents and friends and hundreds and hundreds of boys, especially her dearly beloved boarders.

Jenny made an outstanding contribution to the development and the life of Hale. She was a wonderful facilitator of love. Love flowed from her and to her in abundance. The way in which she helped to facilitate warmth, trust, consideration for others, community mindedness and engagement with others throughout the School was just by being herself.

Jenny's love for and pride in her family shone through in all that she said and did. But Jen's love wasn't limited to her family. Her genuine interest in others and non-judgemental manner attracted people to her and it was obvious to all how important she was to the very fabric of the School. Jen had the special gift of establishing her own little communities within the broader Hale School community; the Medical Centre, the staff, the footballers, the boarders, the boarders' families, the footy Mums, the Aboriginal students, the International Students. Jenny loved, and was loved by all of them.

It took a bit of work to get Jenny to come on her first football trip to Melbourne in 2004. She initially protested with claims of being too old and not wanting to get in the way, or slow things down. Each year she would pronounce that this would be her last trip yet she always allowed us to persuade her to accompany us. Such was her dedication to the football tours, that at the completion of

this year's Melbourne trip, she joined the Year 9 tour to Tasmania.

The commitment, passion and drive which Jenny had for the Medical Centre and Hale School football was matched, and perhaps even surpassed, by her love for the boarders. Jenny had a real affinity for not only the boys living away from home, but also their families. For twenty years, Hale boarders leaving the protection, love and care of their families have been able to rely on Jenny to provide exactly the same thing here.

One in particular springs to mind who was delivered back into my care very late one evening by the police. To say he was tired and emotional would be something of an understatement. I provided as much compassion as I could muster at the time, but I knew immediately there was a much better place for him to go. As always, Jen was only too willing to take him in, and the boy, like all boarders before and after him, knew he could trust Jenny without reservation.

I sought Jenny's counsel on many occasions, but especially at times where I thought it possible that boys were in line for a significant sanction. She could always be relied upon to provide an alternate viewpoint, albeit one that invariably painted the boys in a better light than that in which I was currently viewing them. On occasion she would provide previously unknown information which helped inform decisions; such was her intimate knowledge of the boys and the wider boarding community. Full and frank discussions were the only way with Jen, and people would happily enter into them, knowing that her integrity and loyalty could never be questioned.

When Jenny retired from running the Medical Centre, the boarding staff believed we might be able to encourage her to float around the boarding house a bit, in a quite loosely defined role. Essentially, we just wanted her to be Jenny, and assist us in building a new community in our new boarding house. Deliberations about how we might persuade the Headmaster to approve of such a vague arrangement were rendered obsolete when Jenny marched into his office and told him her retirement was over and she was now going to work in the boarding house. "What will you be doing there?" the Headmaster politely enquired. "Whatever I want!" Jen replied.

That the Headmaster had no qualm with this arrangement speaks volumes for how Jenny was viewed by all who worked with her. Like all of us here today, he knew that he was getting a unique level of care, compassion and love that couldn't be matched anywhere else, and one that has been valued by all who have had their lives touched by knowing Jenny Henson.

Mr Brian Clarkson
Head of Boarding



Junior School

Houses



DAVY HOUSE



ROSIER HOUSE



TURNBULL HOUSE



WALKER HOUSE

Junior School Staff

Head of Junior School

Mr Michael Valentine, *DipTeach, BEd, PostGradDip*

Deputy Head of Junior School

Mrs Sarah Arthur, *BSc (Hons), TEFL, GradDip Ed, MEd (Hons)*

Director of Junior Primary Curriculum

Ms Sandy Bartul, *BA (Prim), BEd ECE*

Director of Curriculum Years 4 to 7

Mr Heath McCabe, *BAppSc, GradDipEd*

Coordinator of Junior School Music

Mrs Kerry Kegie, *BMusEd*

Sportsmaster

Mr Andrew Robertson, *DipTeach, BEd*

Academic Staff

Ms Elise Chong, *BMus*

Miss Lorna Claydon, *HDE, FDE*

Mrs Lilian Counsel, *DipTeach, GradDipMaths Ed*

Mr Murray Curran, *BA, HNatDip*

Ms Phillipa Depiazzi, *BEd (Prim)*

Miss Sarah Ellison, *BMus*

Ms Jane Hutton, *BAppSc, Post GradDip Psych, PostGradDip Ed*

Ms Julia Jarel, *DipTeach (Prim), BEd*

Miss Wendy Keefe, *BEd*

Mr Jason Kidd, *BBus, BEd (Prim)*

Mrs Cecilia Mata, *Dip ECE*

Mr Chris McClelland, *BA (VisArt), BEd*

Mrs Holly Miller, *BEd, ECE*

Ms Julianne Nissen, *DipTeach (Prim), BEd*

Mr Mark Olma, *BA, BEd*

Mr Mark Pressley, *BSc, GradDipTeach (Prim)*

Ms Janine Riley, *Dip KTC*

Ms Jan Robinson, *BPsych, DipEd*

Mrs Megan Shaw, *BEd, ECS*

Mr Tim Simpson, *BA, DipEd*

Miss Sarah Slade, *BEd, ECE*

Mrs Marianne Swain, *DipTeach, THC, GradDipAppSc, MAppSc*

Mr Martin Taylor, *BEd (Mus)*

Administration and Ancillary Staff

Assistant to Head of Junior School, Ms Di Raymond

Junior School Secretary, Ms Kathy Smith

Junior Primary Teacher Assistant, Mrs Louise Lindegaard

Junior Primary Teacher Assistant, Mrs Elsie Giles

Library Assistant/Resource Manager, Mrs Jo Harvey

Canteen Manageress, Mrs Shirley O'Brien

ICT Technicians, Mr Jasper McCouvrie, Mr Michael Pantner



STAFF 2007

Back Row (standing l-r):

Fr Dougall Ethell, Mr Tim Simpson, Mr Peter Illari, Mr Mark Pressley, Mr Chris McClelland, Mr Mark Olma, Mr Jason Kidd, Mrs Megan Shaw, Mrs Marianne Swain, Mrs Kathy Wills, Ms Janine Riley, Ms Sandy Bartul, Mr Michael Valentine

Middle Row (l-r):

Mrs Shirley O'Brien, Mrs Jo Harvey, Miss Lorna Claydon, Mrs Elsie Giles, Miss Sarah Slade, Mrs Di Raymond, Mrs Kerry Kegie, Ms Pippa Depiazzi, Miss Sarah Ellison, Mrs Louise Lindegaard, Mrs Sarah Arthur

Front Row (seated l-r):

Mr Heath McCabe, Ms Kathy Smith, Rev Tim Russell, Ms Julia Jarel, Mrs Cecilia Mata, Mr Andrew Robertson, Mr Martin Taylor, Ms Julianne Nissen

Absent:

Mr Murray Curran, Ms Elise Chong, Mrs Lilian Counsel, Ms Jane Hutton

New Staff and Farewells

NEW STAFF



Sarah Slade

Sarah Slade joined Hale Junior School as the Year 3 teacher. She graduated with excellence in her studies at Murdoch University with a specialist minor in Early Childhood Education. Sarah has recently taught at West Leederville Primary School and continues to transfer her creativity and enthusiasm for teaching into the classroom. A dedicated professional, Sarah is passionate about providing dynamic, learning opportunities which create fun, motivating and positive, learning environments.



Jane Hutton

Jane Hutton joined the Hale School Counselling Service as the Junior School Counsellor during Term 1. With a range of challenging and specialised counselling experiences over the years, she now turns her focus and energies to education, where she feels strongly about building strong and collaborative partnerships with students, teachers and families.

Jane combines her work at Hale School with part-time employment with the Department of Education as a School Psychologist. Resiliency is a key aspect of the Counsellor's role and Jane is thrilled to be working within a school community that embraces this enduring learning value with purpose and natural opportunities.



Wendy Keefe

Wendy Keefe commenced teaching Year 6 at Hale Junior School in Term 3 2007. Wendy joins the School with a wealth of experience from schools in Western Australia and the United Kingdom. She has taught within the Catholic Education system in Western Australia in both the primary and secondary sector. She is passionate about the needs of students in the middle years and has gained varied perspectives and valuable experience as a teacher, and Learning and Teaching Coordinator.

FAREWELLS



Jason Kidd

In February 2007, Mr Jason Kidd was welcomed back to the Hale School community, although this time it was in the capacity of a Year 5 teacher and not a student! Jason brought infectious enthusiasm, laughter and a passion for all things musical to his teaching. We wish Jason the best of luck and happiness in his new appointment at John Septimus Roe School.



Sandy Bartul

Sandy Bartul joined Hale Junior School at the start of 2004 as Director of Junior Primary and Year 1 teacher. An experienced educator in Early Childhood Education with special interests in literacy and social and emotional development, Sandy's curriculum knowledge and passion for the important early years of learning have impacted across the School.

During her time at Hale School, Sandy has nurtured and inspired the boys in her care, patiently guiding them, providing wonderful 'boy focused' learning opportunities and building the sense of community between teachers, boys and parents that is central to Sandy's philosophy. As a member of the Junior School Executive and a teaching colleague, Sandy's wise words, integrity, considered approach and openness to new ideas have been greatly appreciated. We wish Sandy all the best with her future, which is sure to be bright.



Kathryn Wills

We said goodbye to Mrs Kathryn Wills at the end of first semester. Mrs Wills taught extensively in New South Wales and South Australia before joining Hale Junior School where she taught Year 6 students. She had special interests in the gifted and talented programme, literature and religious and values education. We wish her every success and happiness for the future.



Head of Junior School, School Captains, Prefects and Monitors



JUNIOR SCHOOL CAPTAINS AND PREFECTS

Head of Junior School - Mr M Valentine; Deputy Head of Junior School - Mrs S Arthur
(l to r): L Stüben, Q Lee-Jones, A Bell, C Ninkov, B Olma



ASSEMBLY MONITORS

(l to r): J Wells, Mrs K Kegie, A Wilkins, K Glauch, B Patrick



CANTEEN MONITORS

(l to r): J Hasel, S Patel, M Anstie, J Ecker, Mrs S O'Brien



JUNIOR SCHOOL OFFICERS

Back Row (l to r): Mrs S Arthur, T Meade, J Hoad, R Sciarraone, C Law, A Shah,
Mr M Valentine
Front Row: K O'Brien, K Cameron, R Walker, L Rosher, A Lawrenson, Y Kailis, S Bilessuris



MUSIC MONITORS

(l to r): Mrs K Kegie, D Shah, R Lee, M Vernon, T Takashima,
R Pallas



LIBRARY AND IT MONITORS

Back Row (l to r): P Shah, S Bester, N Doig, S Lee, K Mistry
Front Row: Mrs J Harvey, M Warton, A Tsaknis,
D Simmons, Mrs M Swain, B Young



SPORT MONITORS

Standing: J Bardsley
Centre: Mr A L Robertson, H McCracken,
B Purio, L Ashton
Seated: H Hales



ART MONITORS

Standing: M Allen, N Hayward, A Nalapraya,
S Bathe, K Parker, Mr C McClelland
Seated: E Graff, M Forjaz, D Tyncherov

Prizes and Trophies

ACADEMIC PRIZES 2007

YEAR 4	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Alexander Stanisis, Lynden Law Jason Ogden, Liam MacDonald Timothy Rule
YEAR 5K	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Joshua Dunne, Andy Wang George Stribling, James Hindle Alexander Popov
YEAR 5S	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Samuel Benson, Marcus Tsaknis Patrick Culbert, Jake Taylor Ethan Sylvester
YEAR 6D	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Benjamin Clapin, Tully Bennett Evan Kambouris, Connor Peoples Matthew Ntoumenopoulos
YEAR 6K	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Varun Kaushik, Deriek Pijls Satoru Yamamoto, Kieran Natalwala Sebastian Gay
YEAR 7MA	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Clancy Dawson, Brodie Olma Quinn Lee-Jones, Michael Vernon Emrik Graff
YEAR 7NV	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Alexander Bell, Andrew Lawrenson Jack Macmillan, Sean Bathe Christopher Ninkov
YEAR 7P	Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School	Steven Bilessuris, Michael Warton Ryan Williamson, Roshan Halai Ross Sciarrone

TROPHIES, CUPS, SHIELDS AND AWARDS

Athletics	Davy
Basketball	Rosier
Cricket	Rosier
Cross Country	Turnbull
Flippaball	Rosier
Football	Davy
Hockey	Turnbull
Modcrosse	Turnbull
Rugby	Davy
Soccer	Rosier/Walker
Swimming	Rosier
Tennis	Turnbull
Triathlon	Davy
Frank Day Athletics Trophy	Ryan Pallas
LJ Richardson Cricket Trophy	Kyle Cameron
The Cock House Shield	Rosier
Waldo Turner Trophy for Most Improved Cricketer	Alexander Bell
Waldo Turner Cross Country Trophy	Perrin Papathanassiou
Basketball Prize	Ross Sciarrone
Flippaball Prize	Thomas Enright
Football Prize	Harrison McCracken
Modcrosse Prize	Benjamin Clapin
Rugby Prize	Kyle Cameron
Soccer Prize	Quin Lee-Jones
Swimming Prize	Thomas Enright
Tennis Prize	Hamish Robinson
Triathlon Prize	Ryan Pallas
Old Haleians' Junior Hockey Club	
Encouragement Award	Hamish Robinson
Mrs Barrett's Hockey Prize	Daniel Tredget
R Bedford-Brown Prize Best All-Round Sportsman	Harrison McCracken

SPECIAL PRIZES

Art Prize	Dylan Tyncherov
Chess Prize	Michael Warton
DS Haskett Drama Prize	Kyle Cameron
Library Prize	Nicholas Doig
Public Speaking Prize	Alexander Bell
Spanish Prize	Thomas Meade
Brass Instrument Prize	Alexander Bell
Garland Music Prize	Tsuyoshi Takashima
Guitar Prize	Ryan Pallas
Jay Harrison Prize for Woodwind	Benjamin Clapin
Outstanding Contribution to Band	Samuel Tucker
Outstanding Contribution to Choir	Shaun Lee
Outstanding Contribution to the Orchestra	Richard Lee
Percussion Prize	Sean Bathe
Prize for Choral Excellence	Abhimanyu Kapoor
The Stringed Instrument Prize	Tsuyoshi Takashima
Chaplains' Award for Service to Hale Junior School	Christopher Ninkov
	John Bradner
	Leworthy Hill
Memorial Prize for Manly Qualities	Ryan Pallas

Year 3



Haseeb Riaz and Joshua Carter



James Coningsby and Christopher Fotios



Dominic Barbagallo and Jack Parsons



James Jovanoski and Xander Clapin



Joshua Renshaw and Harry David



Jonathon Battista and James O'Brien



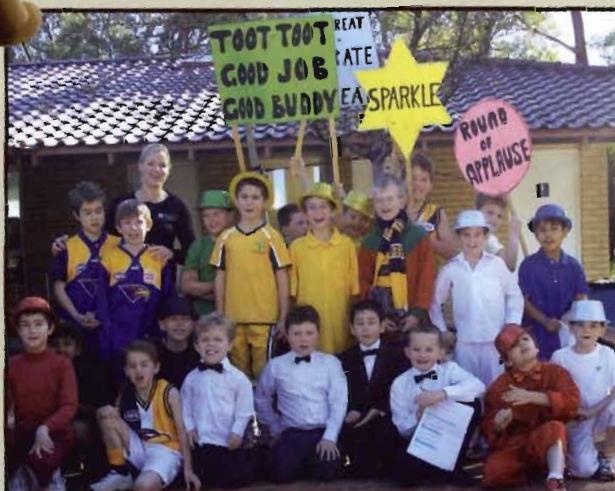
James Stevenson and Jack Ralston



Kieran Langridge and Thomas Clarke



Xavier Powers and Andrew Roy



Year Three class



Matthew McBride and Aditya Ganguly



Miss Sarah Slade and Mrs Elsie Giles



Max Dunbar and Franklin Powers



Sebastian Wagner and Hugh Templeman



Travis North and Roman Olins-Miller

Year 4



Alexander Stanisis and John Shepherd



Lynden Law, Benjamin Jones, Thomas Ryan and Jackson Lewis



Peter Neale and Kael Lee-Jones



Max Molkenthin and Maxwell Peacock



Richard Cook, Aiden Taba and Samuel Hermans



Liam MacDonald



Aiden Pramoko and Timothy Rule



James Tough, Gregory Maiden and Keaton Hawkins



Luca Tizzano, Jason Ogden and Steve Wait



Michael Flynn and Alexander Kidd

Year 6D



Zen Ly, Matthew de Beer and Joseph Tate



Abhi Kapoor and Brian Lee



Ayden Smithson, James McGougan and Matthew Ntoumenopoulos



Daniel Tredget



Milan Vaswani



William Huxtable and Brian Lee



David Roy, Ben Clapin and David Bushell



David Bushell and William Aitken



Nathan Shaw and Evan Kambouris



Year 6D



Benjamin Slater, Matthew de Beer and Derek Lim



Tully Bennet and Austin Baker



Benjamin Courtney



Alex Paterson



Seng Pau Wen and Daniel Smailes



Dom Emery, Connor Peoples and Liam Barham

Cooking, dissecting, travelling the world, meeting famous people and roughing it on camp in Albany were just some of the experiences for the intrepid Year 6D class. Our classroom was home to animals, magic tricks, puppets, musical instruments as well as lots of laughter, hard work and firm friendships.

Year 6K



Callum Robson



Kelvin Wong, Satoru Yamamoto and Aden Kambouris



Samuel Tucker, Deriek Pijls, Jacob Marsh and Sebastian Gay



Christopher Allen and Luke Hoffman



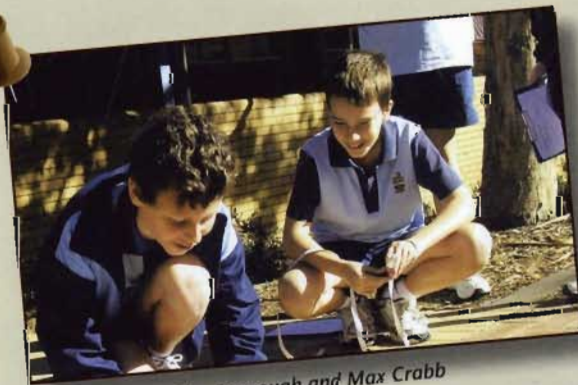
Oliver Kaiser, Fraser Murray, Jacob Marsh and Michael Whitby



Samuel Bevan and Christopher Lewis



Nicholas Coetzer



Tim Bengough and Max Crabb



Justin Allpike and Christian Lovelady



Nathan Woolfe, Haydn Clarkson, Samuel Bevan, Joshua Richards and Christopher Lewis



Jorin Stamatou

Year 7 MA



Alvin Khuu and
Tsuyoshi Takashima



Jake Ecker



Kapil Mistry and Ryan Walker



Themis Kiratzopoulos and Brodie Olma



Daniel Gladwin and Jack Wells



Max Anstie and Byron Patrick



Arend Pramoko



Joshua Hasel and Luke Rosher



Evan Pirone



Michael Vernon



Nicholas Sarros and Clancy Dawson



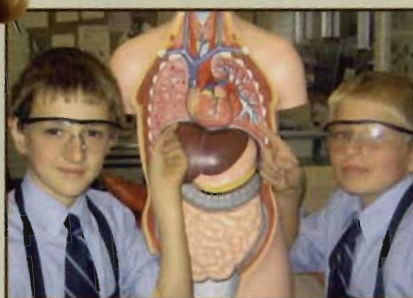
Karl Glauch



Lachlan Ashton



Quinn Lee-Jones and Shaun Lee



Matthew Salter and Callum Lindquist



Emrik Graff



Dylan Kynchero



Lachlan Wills and
Alexander Lenartowicz

Year 7NV



James Wong and Harry Hales



Andrew Lawrenson, Poojan Shah and Thomas Murphy



Hamish Ioppolo and Sean Bathe



Alexander Bell



Blair Young, Cody Meyer, Nicholas Forrester, Daniel Simmons and Alexander Tsaknis



Jason Hoad and Nathan Hayward



Nicholas Forrester and James Bardsley



Hamish Robinson and Cody Meyer



Charles Roberts, Jack Macmillan, Harrison McCracken and Yanni Kallis



Jack Macmillan, Nicholas Doig, Miguei Forjaz, Riccardo Gismondi and Shaheel Patel



Christopher Ninkov, Ryan Hayward, Nicholas Doig and Thomas Meade

Year 7P



Aadarsh Shah and Ryan Pallas



Brian Purio, Ross Sciarrone and Michael Allan



Aiden Wilkins and Asher Caley



Adnan Nalapraya and Craig Law



Peter Allnutt and Lasse Stüben



Kim O'Brien and Ryan Williamson



Richard Lee, Scott Bester, Peter Allnutt and Ryan Pallas



Leith Williamson and Richard Lee



Kyle Cameron and Kane Parker



Year 7P



Roshan Halai and Diveer Shah



Steven Bilessuris and Kyle Cameron



Matthew Wang and Jason La



Steven Bilessuris, Michael Warton and Christian Gismondi



Thomas Enright, Scott Bester, Alex Lucchesi and Perrin Papathanassiou

After a year of being knights, architects, professional cyclists, politicians, CSI investigators and philosophers, the boys of the graduating class of 7P are more than ready to take on the challenges that secondary school presents.

Challenge Programme



Challenge Writers' Week

During the Challenge Writers' Week, the boys participated in a series of workshops led by published authors, Matt Ottley and Mark Greenwood. The sessions focused on the use of advanced creative writing skills and the development of art and media as a means of publishing their work. A visit to our own Hale Archives provided an excellent stimulus for historical writing. Over the course of a few days, the boys produced several pieces of writing, using various media to present their work to a specific audience. The week culminated with a wonderful multimedia display in the Junior School Foyer.

Junior School Art Challenge

Fourteen boys from Years 5 to 7, who showed great aptitude in Art, participated in a week long Art Challenge programme. The programme involved making relief sculpture clay plaques with an ocean theme. It was run by the Junior School Art teacher, Mr Chris McClelland, and was funded by the Hale Art Committee. The boys designed the plaques themselves, then sculptured them using terracotta clay. They then worked with underglazes and glazes to paint the plaques. The challenge enabled the students to develop their skills and the wonderfully creative plaques will be hung on walls in the Junior School grounds.

Spanish Challenge Day

This year seventeen boys participated in the Spanish Challenge Day in Term 4. They were asked to choose, write and perform a short script to teach the younger boys new Spanish words. They concentrated on songs, numbers, sea animals, transport and races in the Olympics.

It was a great day full of ideas, song practice, and real stories. After many rehearsals, the final product was videotaped and shown at the Friday assembly.

Physical Education Challenge

'Reaching your Athletic Potential'

Fourteen boys were selected on their performances in Physical Education classes. Criteria taken into consideration were athletic potential, fitness level, motor skill level, interpersonal skills, sporting performances, and attitude.

The boys began the one day programme with two hours of fitness and skill testing. Results were then entered into the 'Australian Institute of Sports Talent Identification' computer programme. The results identified those sports to which the boys would be suited. This was then discussed.

In the afternoon, the group travelled to the Human Movement Centre at the University of

Western Australia, where they had a tour of this world class facility. They then observed a subject (Mr Robertson), in one of the most in-depth fitness tests performed in a laboratory. This test was compared to the testing the boys did in the morning. Each boy was able to observe the physiological changes occurring to the body as it was placed under stress.

The day concluded with a presentation by a member of the Hale Senior School Physical Education Department, who outlined what the boys can do to maximise their potential in Senior School sport in 2008.

Drama Challenge

This year's Drama Challenge programme had as its goal the production of *Intrepid*. This play told the tale of a boy who rescues a Galah chick, 'Lucky', and then takes up the fight to prevent the destruction of the gum trees that are Lucky's natural home. The task of mounting a forty minute play in just four short days was indeed a challenge, but the boys rose admirably to the task. The cast gained a great deal of satisfaction from successfully performing the play for their parents, friends and peers in the intimate theatrical setting of the Stow. The boys were involved in all elements of the production including direction, stage management, programme design and prop production.

Drama



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Treasure Island

In September, Hale Junior School once again undertook a major theatrical production and invited girls from St Mary's Anglican Girls' School and Presbyterian Ladies' College to participate in *Treasure Island*. Eventually a cast of over 70 boys and girls began a journey of rehearsals, costume design, singing and team work which all culminated on the evening of September 12 in the Auditorium. Opening night and two subsequent performances to full houses provided the cast and audience with a remarkable evening of raucous singing and outrageous costumes as Long John Silver, Jim Hawkins, the goats (yes, don't you remember?) and the cheese dance (yes, I'm serious!) filled the stage, bringing this rollicking adventure to life. The Senior School musicians, Mr Andrew Bushell, Mr Chris Rutter and the indefatigable Mr Danny Parker, provided these boys with a brilliant opportunity and they responded magnificently. Our annual Junior School production now provides the boys of Hale Junior School with a stunning theatrical experience, the like of which few schools anywhere can do, or even think of offering.



Music



JUNIOR SCHOOL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA



JUNIOR SCHOOL ORCHESTRA



HALE JUNIOR CHOIR

This year commenced with the forming of a combined instrumental and choral ensemble of students from Years 6 – 8 to perform at the Western Australian Police Academy in Joondalup. Having worked with some wonderful pipers and drummers from the WA Police Pipe Band for our Speech Day performance of *You're the Voice*, it was an honour to accept the reciprocal invitation to participate in the annual concert given by the Commissioner of Police. It was a spectacular concert that finished with an impressive fireworks display and the Hale School boys acquitted themselves in fine form as always.

Back in the classroom, the students in Years 2 and 5 made an exciting start to their String and Band Programmes and we enjoyed watching as they continued to develop throughout the semester. In music classes there was a strong focus on the essentials of music theory and appreciation of cultural contexts in the upper primary, whilst the younger boys enjoyed a variety of songs and activities designed to stimulate their interest and develop basic skills. The Year 7 students enjoyed an added dimension to their music studies as they grappled with an interactive theory programme on their notebook computers and new possibilities for composition and arrangement provided by Mr Taylor.

Second term provided the music students with some awesome experiences, starting with assembly appearances for all the music ensembles. Of particular note was the appearance of a Hale-St Mary's Combined Junior Orchestra, which was formed as a result of an inspiring day of orchestral workshops. These assemblies provided a perfect preparation period for our Mid-Year Concert. As always, this was a significant formal event and the choir, costumed in gold sequined tails and top hats fitted in perfectly with the theme of the evening: 'Celebrating Music in Movies'. Once again James Shaw and his team combined with Martin Taylor to help create a performance as visually commanding as it was musically enchanting.



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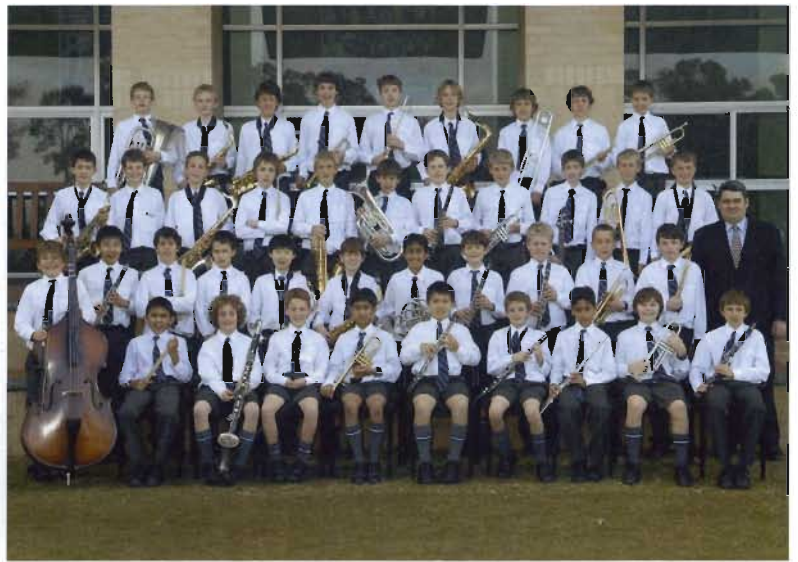
In Term 3 Hale hosted a music tour for the Copeland Choir from Barker College Junior School in Sydney. This outstanding choir performed in a number of Perth schools during its stay, although the highlight for us was a day's choral workshop that culminated in a fine performance given by the Hale and Barker College Junior School Choirs.

The Junior Guitar Ensemble again made us very proud with their excellent performance in the State Guitar Festival. The Garland Music Competition followed soon after with some very fine performances across the age groups. Congratulations to Tsuyoshi Takashima for winning this prize for the second year running. Our final flourish for this term came in Week 9 with all the performing groups giving fabulous presentations at Grandparents' Day assemblies.

Term 4 always rushes to a climax on Speech Day with a number of events squeezed in along the way. The Junior School String Chamber Ensembles went to the St Michael's Retirement Village to entertain the residents with their beautiful music. The String Quartets, Honour Choir and Guitar Ensembles performed at the opening of the annual student art exhibition and the Band, Orchestra, Symphony Orchestra and Choir gave us yet another impressive Christmas Concert. The Year 6 String Ensemble, String Quartet and Year 4-6 Choir once again enhanced the Year 7 Final Chapel Service in the final week of term. All of this of course brought us once again to the final flourish on Speech Morning – perhaps the most memorable musical occasion in our School's calendar.

To all the boys involved in the many musical events that have highlighted this year, my very warm congratulations and heartfelt thanks. It is a credit to all involved and an honour that the Junior School Music Programme at Hale School was nominated for the Flame Award for excellence in music education this year.

Mrs K Kegie



JUNIOR SCHOOL BAND



COMBINED JUNIOR SCHOOL CHAMBER MUSIC GROUPS



JUNIOR SCHOOL GUITAR ENSEMBLE

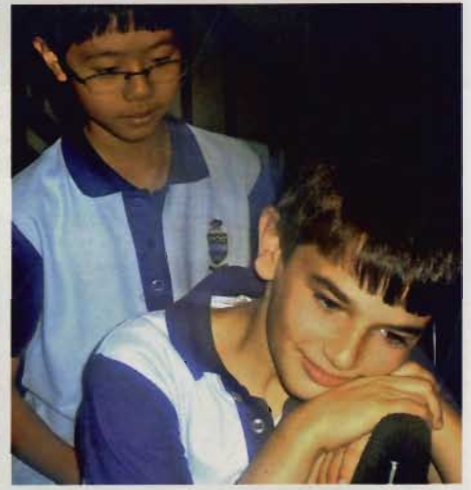
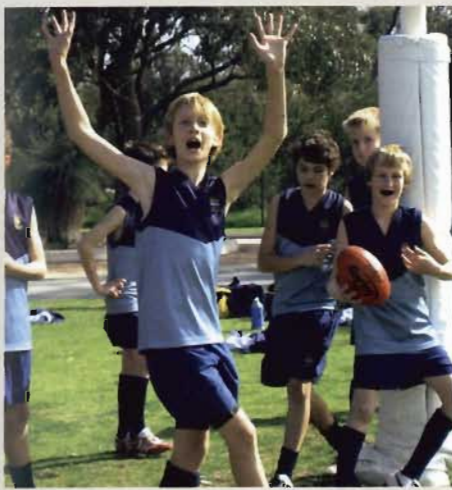


JUNIOR SCHOOL HONOUR CHOIR

Activities



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ART CLUB

Back Row (l to r): M Allen, L Rosher, N. Forrester, A Nalapraya, J Hoad, C Roberts, J Ecker
Third Row: E Graff, K Parker, A Kambouris, A Paterson, M Whitby, S Pau Wen, M Forjaz, D Tyncherov
Second Row: Mr C McClelland, M de Beer, L Ashton, L Wills, S Lee, J Wong, L Williamson, E Kambouris, K Natawala
Front Row: S Yamamoto, J Tate, N Shaw, O Kaiser, V Kaushik, C Lovelady, S Tucker



DOUBLE HELIX SCIENCE CLUB

Back Row (l to r): A Khuu, J Ecker, C Dawson, C Meyer, J Wells, N Doig, M Salter
Second Row: Mr H McCabe, J Tate, K Wong, J Wong, H Hales, A Kapoor, S Tucker, K Natalwala
Front Row: J O'Brien, B Lee, V Kaushik, S Gay, Z Ly, B Slater, J Stevenson, H Riaz

DOUBLE HELIX

The Double Helix Science Club is made up of a group of twenty interested and motivated young scientists from Years 3-7. We meet to discuss scientific discoveries and news, demonstrate our scientific knowledge, hear from scientists working in the field, visit science institutions and share in our passion for understanding the world around us.

Some of the highlights from this year included a collaborative project on Antarctica during Science Week with a class from OLMC in Sydney, an excursion to the *World of Energy* in Fremantle for an exciting electronics

session, a couple of visits to the Senior School laboratories to see the brilliant aquariums and a talk from Professor John De Laeter, one of Australia's pre-eminent scientists in physics and astronomy. From the boys' point of view, our sleepover at *Scitech* was the absolute high point on the Double Helix calendar.

We spent the evening doing all kinds of exciting activities with the whole place to ourselves before rolling out the sleeping bags in the Speed exhibit surrounded by racing cars, engines, tyres and games.

ART CLUB

Art Club is offered each year to Year 6 and Year 7 boys. Art Club is a wonderful way for boys who are keen on Art to extend their skills and partake in projects that are not usually part of the classroom Art curriculum. The boys worked on a variety of projects including stone sculpture carving, mosaics, canvas painting, clay castles, silk paintings and foam puppets.

SPANISH

It has been a very busy and fun year for Señora Mata and the Hale Junior School. Years 1 to 7 have learned not only the Spanish language, but various aspects of Spanish and Latin American culture. During the year, the boys completed a number of tasks from colours and numbers with the younger years to food, music, dance, and more complicated domestic vocabulary with the older boys. One of the highlights for the Year 7 boys was the construction of Spanish picture books to read to the Junior Primary boys. The Spanish assembly was the fruit of all their hard work: Years 1 and 2 sang a song, Years 3 and 4 performed a dance, Year 5 prepared the Drama report in Spanish, and Year 6 showed the rest of the School how to play 'Balero'. It was a great experience for all involved and a fitting end to a fantastic year! ¡Estupendo!



activities

LIBRARY

The Junior School Library has enjoyed a very busy, interesting and productive 2007. The Library Monitors have provided support for library users at recess and lunchtime and parents have kindly volunteered their time to cover and shelve books, which is much appreciated.

During first term, Year 7P visited the Fremantle Children's Literature Centre and studied Gary Crew's wordless picture book, *The Arrival*. Boys became aware of the many common problems faced by all migrants, regardless of nationality and destination.

In June, Mrs Lesley Reece from the Fremantle Children's Literature Centre visited the Library and presented to each Year 7 class a workshop on Shaun Tan's picture book for older readers, *The Viewer*. The boys were also able to view the original illustration art works.

The author/storyteller, Valanga Khoza, visited the School in August, performed for all students and was very entertaining.

The annual Scholastic Book Fair was very successful and proved to be a popular event in the School's calendar. My thanks go to the team of parent volunteers who managed the sale of books in the Library.

Lunchtime chess is still a popular pastime, with boys from all years participating. In June, John Wollaston Anglican Community School hosted the JSHAA Chess Competition. Hale sent a team of six boys who played very well. Congratulations go to Michael Warton, the 2007 Grand Champion of the Annual Junior School Chess Tournament.

The 2007 Book Week theme was READiscover. At the Book Week Assembly, boys and staff dressed up and Years 2 and 7P performed Ms Jarel's play which was based on three books, *The very hungry caterpillar*, *Where the wild things are* and *Imagine a day*. It was a wonderful assembly for everyone involved.

Finally, congratulations to Nicholas Doig who was awarded the Library Prize for 2007.

Mrs M Swain



CHESS CLUB

Back Row (l to r): D Pijls, B Clapin

Front Row: M Warton, A Tsaknis, Mrs M Swain, D Simmons, T Kiratzopoulos



PUBLIC SPEAKING

Back Row (l to r): A Bell, T Meade, Ms J Jarel, J Ecker, S Bilessuris

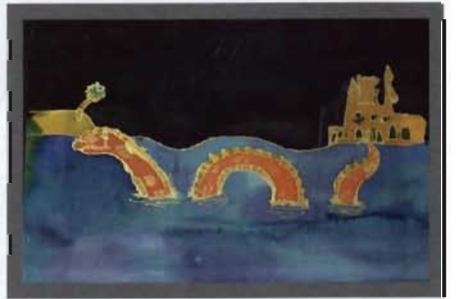
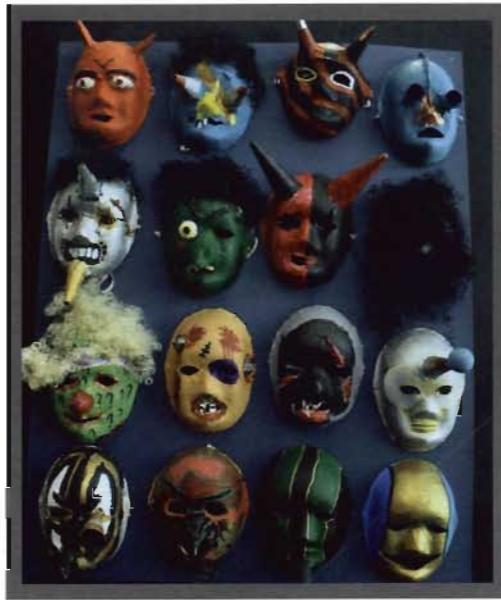
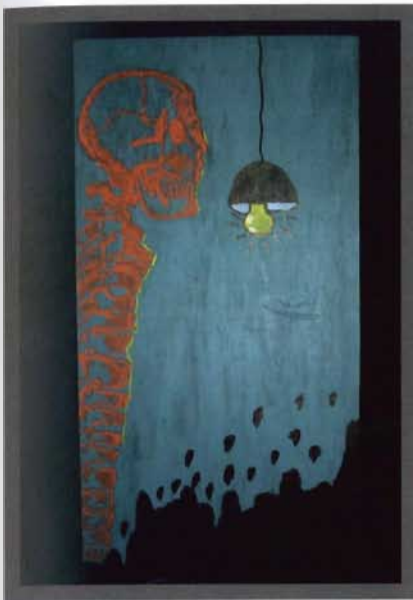
Front Row: M Forjaz, L Wills, M Salter, H Hales, C Lindquist, L Ashton



Art



art



Sport



INTER-SCHOOL ATHLETICS

Back Row (l to r): S Bevan, C Roberts, R Pallas, R Sciarbone, A Nalapraya, C Meyer, C Dawson, C Law
Third Row: K Cameron, K Glauch, D Emery, A Tsaknis, H Clarkson, S Holden, C Lewis, C Mitchell, Mr M Simpson, Mr A Robertson
Second Row: Mr M Pressley, P Papanthaniassiou, H McCracken, D Tredget, E Sylvester, N Woolfe, K Lee-Jones, W Aitken, J Ogden, S Yamamoto
Front Row: M Tsaknis, C Augustson, A Deering, A Kidd, A Smithson, L Flynn, R Cook, L Tizzano, A Stanisis



INTER-SCHOOL TRIATHLON



INTER-SCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY

On Thursday September 27, approximately 40 students along with Mr Pressley, Mr Simpson and Mr Robertson took part in the annual PSA athletics event. This year it was hosted in variable weather at Wesley College. It was great to see the ways boys challenged themselves and performed to their best. Well done to the following boys who all achieved first places:

100M	9 YRS	K Mitchell
100M	10 YRS	S Bevan
60M HURDLES	9 YRS	K Mitchell
200M	9 YRS	C Augustson
200M	10 YRS	W Aitken
200M	10 YRS	S Bevan
200M	10 YRS	N Woolfe
4 X 100M RELAY	9 YRS	HALE
TRIPLE JUMP	10 YRS	S Bevan
HIGH JUMP	10 YRS	S Bevan
LONG JUMP	9 YRS	S Holden
400M	Year 4	A Stanisis
800M	Year 5	C Augustson

Interschool Triathlon

It was the second year Hale Junior School entered teams into the WA School Sport *All Schools' Triathlon*. This was held mid Term 4 on the shores of the Swan River in Dalkeith. Hale's 36 boys performed consistently well in the four divisions.

Highlights included:

3rd Place (A Division) Thomas Enright, Ross Sciarbone, Perrin Papanthaniassiou

1st Place (B Division) – Tully Bennett, Haydn Clarkson, Samuel Bevan

Overall Hale School ranked second among 30 schools that took part in this event.

Interschool Cross Country

Hale hosted this event on its grounds in the middle of Term 3 for the first time in recent years. Many students described the course through the bush, sand, hills and ovals as challenging.

Hale boys performed well. The 46 boys who took part achieved some great results.

YEAR	PLACE	NAME
Yr 5	3	M Tsaknis
Yr 5	4	E Sylvester
Yr 5	7	A Deering
Yr 5	10	L Flynn
Yr 5	12	S Papanthaniassiou
Yr 5	20	S Benson
Yr 6	5	H Clarkson
Yr 6	14	D Tredget
Yr 7	3	P Papanthaniassiou

Cricket

About 80 enthusiastic boys participated this season. The A team, led by Quinn Lee-Jones, managed to win all of its games in first term. The players encouraged each other and maintained a positive attitude throughout the games. The B team also played with terrific spirit, finishing the short season in a nail biting contest against arch rivals, the C team. Proof of the tremendous depth in the squad this year, the C team narrowly won this match, keeping its perfect winning record intact. The D, E and F cricket teams all played modified matches each week and had some very good results when playing against other schools' B and C teams.

Basketball

With a growing reputation for excellence in the School, there was a great turnout of boys who wanted to participate in this exciting and exhilarating sport.

The boys really produced a stellar effort during training sessions and fixtures against other PSA schools. Each athlete worked on his skills and fitness and this resulted in a most successful season. The sportsmanship and heart displayed by all teams were evident to spectators and players alike. Special mention is made of the A Team which finished undefeated during the regular season for the second consecutive year and performed well at the Lightning Carnival.

Surfing

With late rains and onshore winds pushing well into Term 4, the boys (and teacher) were eagerly awaiting the first big, clean swell to hit the coast during our surfing lessons on a Thursday afternoon. "Big Thursday" never transpired, but we had a marvellous time each session with a fantastic group of excited surfers. All boys began at vastly different levels but all shared one uniting thing in common, a passion for the beach! The boys in the group listened carefully and worked hard to apply the skills learned during instruction time and most were able to stand and stylishly ride a wave to shore at the conclusion of their lessons. Well done boys!



CRICKET

Back Row (l to r): J Macmillan, B Purio, J Hoad, C Allen, S Bevan, N Forrester, Q Lee-Jones, C Dawson, C Ninkov, T Enright, A Lowrenson
Fifth Row: E Graff, A Bell, K O'Brien, R Walker, T Meade, A Shah, L Rosher, R Williamson, A Tsaknis, K Cameron, S Bilessuris, N Shaw
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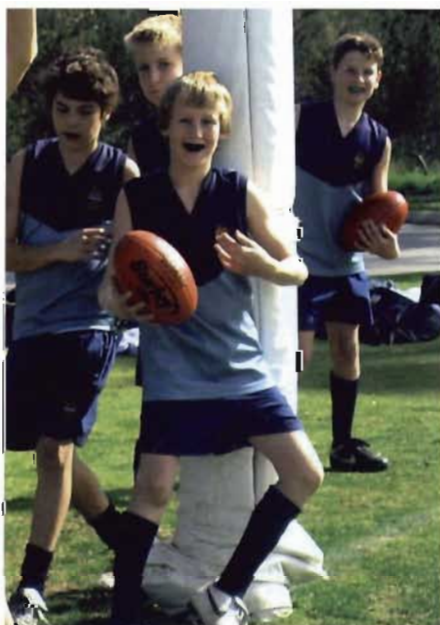
Flippaball

It was wonderful to see Flippaball attract a large number of boys, ranging from those players with outside water polo experience, to others who had never played before.

Success in flippaball this year was not measured by the number of winning games, but by the way the boys worked together and played as a team. The improvement over the term in skills and ball handling was evident by the end of the season. Particular credit is given to the boys who had to step up a grade or in some cases two grades, whilst boys were away on the various school camps throughout the term. The season culminated in a Lightning Carnival held at Challenge Stadium. Although scores were not kept on the day, Hale Junior School was well represented.

Football

The A Football team had a pleasing season. The boys fought hard in every game, winning more games than they lost. The team improved dramatically over the season, consistently putting the skills and strategies learned at training into practice. The B Football team had a successful season, winning seven of ten games. The hard work that the boys put in on the training track each Wednesday, often teaming up with the skilful Year 5 team, ensured a marked improvement of their fundamental skills. The Year 5 team showed incredible skill and finesse, playing intelligent, team orientated football throughout the season. They enjoyed success in all matches with the exception of the first game against Christ Church where they went down by the narrowest of margins. The boys were very pleased to play Christ Church again in the final round and finish with a nail-biting draw!



Hockey

As the Hockey squad assembled at the start of the season, it became apparent that we were a young, rather green, yet highly enthusiastic group. Week after week, the boys improved their skills and knowledge of the game enormously. Both players and coaches became excited as glimpses of true ability and team work emerged. Strong patterns of play, accurate passing and a ball being driven towards the opponent's goal with greater tenacity on a more regular basis, became features of Interschool games. Congratulations to the players for their high spirits, courage and strong sense of teamwork. A highly enjoyable season!



Modcrosse

Although a relatively new sport to Hale Junior School, 24 boys grabbed sticks and took to the Modcrosse field with great anticipation. This year we were able to field a senior and a junior team against other schools. The senior team proved to be too strong for all but Trinity College, while the junior team honed its skills over the term to finish on a confident and enthusiastic note. The Lightning Carnival, held at Aquinas College, provided the boys with the opportunity to showcase their dodging, passing, catching and scooping skills. Hale Junior School Modcrosse teams finished the term with confidence and will be a force to be reckoned with in future seasons.

Golf

The golf boys completed a most professional season in 2007. The beautiful Wembley Downs Golf Club was the location for weekly golf lessons for 32 budding golfers, many with experience and skill and some who were trying their hand at a new sport. Over the weeks, the boys' skills improved steadily in the driving range and on the putting green. It was a most enjoyable season for all involved and certainly revealed some golfing names to watch for in the future!



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Third Row: B Young, A Popov, A Robson, C Lewis, D Emery, D Simmons, S Bathe, K Mitchell, M Forjaz
Second Row: D Lim, L Barham, M Salter, T Enright, K Cameron, A Kambouris, H Hales, H Collins
Front Row: G Hall, M Tsaknis, C Crofts, S Benson, J Hindle, M Watson, M Ninkov
Coaches: Mr M Valentine and Mr S Goatcher



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Rugby

The 2007 squad of rugby players in the Junior School continued the proud record of achievement and sportsmanship of past teams, in an exciting and most successful season. It was particularly pleasing to again field three teams on numerous occasions and a highlight was the outstanding performance in this year's Lightning Carnival. The squad trained with great energy and commitment, with a refreshing number of evenings seeing us all enjoying a thunderous downpour. There really is nothing like scrumming in the rain! The boys are congratulated on their skill development in all positions and everyone was delighted with their approach to the game. Congratulations to all trophy winners and well done to Kyle Cameron on his leadership of the A Team all season. Bring on season 2008!



Soccer

'Football' is certainly becoming a favourite sport at Hale Junior School. Of course we are speaking about the global sport of soccer. A large contingent of boys selected this skillful and fast paced game to participate in during winter sport.

Aptly trained and coached by five enthusiastic staff members, the boys trained hard rain or shine, mostly rain this year! Sessions involved the required warm-ups followed by four different stations of skill development ranging from passing, dribbling, shooting and team play. It was amazing to see the improvement in skills across all grades of ability in this closely knit group of competitors. All teams played with vigour and heart and posted a positive number of wins and good times this season.

JSHAA Interschool Swimming Carnival

The swim team performed very well and there were many highlights on the evening. Special mention goes to Tully Bennett who won two races and Sam Mathews who also won a race. Of the 49 races on the programme, Hale placed in the top three in 25 of them. It was great to see so many personal bests set by the boys and overall a positive team performance.

Tennis

Some 27 boys chose tennis as their summer sport, with some playing tennis for the first time. Due to the introduction of daylight saving, training was changed to 7:15am and this was appreciated by all involved.

The boys participated in singles and doubles matches and the Lightning Carnival was hosted at Hale with seven schools participating. Alexander Lenartowicz, Ethan Sylvester, Nicholas Sarros, Michael Allan and Jason La were selected to represent Hale School. Matches were hard fought. The boys are congratulated on their sportsmanship and commitment throughout the season.



Sailing

Man overboard! Pull the tiller – don't push it! Get into the leeward breeze or we'll capsize!

Seventeen enthusiastic Hale boys soon had first hand experience of what these words meant during their fourth term sport afternoons spent at Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club. From rigging to reef knots, booms to balance, these young sailors listened and learned from expert coaches who were patient and suitably impressed week after week, as the boys applied their skills. Whether experienced or novice at the start, they all appreciated the wind and respected the water a little more by the end of their sailing experience!



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Front Row: M Procter, G Hall, B Courtney, P Culbert, M Wang, J Hindle, S Papathanassiou, C Augustson

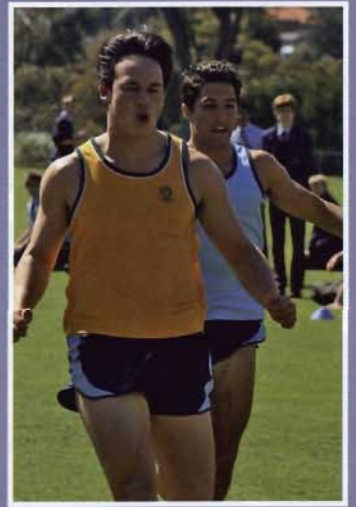


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Mr Malcolm 'Speed' Jordan

When I was in Wittenoom in Term 2, 1975, running the Hale Year 11 Outdoor Education programme, I received a letter from the Headmaster, Ken Tregonning, in which he stated that he had had an application for a position in the science area from a Malcolm Jordan. He understood that I knew of this person and wanted to know what I thought of his prospects. I wrote back supporting his appointment and, at the same time thinking, this will be interesting. And, indeed, so it has been.

'Speed' (the origins of the nickname have been lost in the mists of a very long time), Jordan is a graduate of the University of Tasmania and, after working in his main field of geology for a number of years, accepted the position at Hale of teacher of geology, chemistry and geography. While these areas may have been his early involvement, he moved in due course, to the Biology Department where his teaching focus was to remain for the rest of his time at Hale.

My next stint at Wittenoom in 1977 required that someone was found to take over as temporary Parry Housemaster for that term and Speed did this job admirably. The following year he was appointed as Housemaster of Haynes House and so began a long career in pastoral care at Hale School. After eight significant years at the Haynes House helm, Speed took over at Loton House where he and his wife, Susie, established a wonderful relationship with the boarders of those times.

In 1988, Speed finished Housemastering, for the time being, and became Head of the Biology Department. At the same time, he took on the role of Secondary Education Authority Coordination for the School and also that of Careers Guidance. In 1993, when the School decided to introduce two new Houses, Speed was appointed as Foundation Housemaster of Havelock House, a position

he held until 1995. Since then, he has been a mentor for new staff and, probably more significantly, coordinator of our Indigenous Students Scholarship Programme.

Speed is a sporting enthusiast and, as such, has devoted eons of time to coaching at Hale. He has been coach of the School's long and triple jumpers during his entire time at Hale and their record over the years has been outstanding. But, his main contribution to sport at Hale has been in hockey. He took over the 1st XI coaching in 1977 and, from the outset, worked to improve the standing of hockey at Hale. Results were not far away, with the Hale 1980 team winning the PSA Hockey trophy for Hale for the first time. Success again in 1990 and numbers of other years going close, proved the measure of Speed's coaching prowess. He finished coaching the 1st XI in 1999 after 23 years but has found it hard to give it away altogether and has assisted the current coach in more recent years.

Above all, Speed has been a most effective and well-respected teacher. His capacity for clear explanation of complex principles and his ability to relate comfortably with students of all sorts have won him the admiration of decades of Hale boys.

One cannot imagine someone covering much more in a career at a School such as Hale than Speed has and he and Susie go with our very best wishes for wonderfully happy years ahead.

Roger Gray

Mr John Arkle

JVA (as he was affectionately known), started his teaching career in Government High Schools at Pinjarra, Hampton, Rockingham and Mandurah. In 1982 he was invited by the Headmaster, Ken Tregonning to join the Hale School English Department.

However, his real passion was history and he gradually moved across into that teaching area. He taught across Years 8-12 and eventually decided to specialize in Years 8-10. He was also fully involved with rowing, rugby (he played a season of rugby in England and played over one hundred games for UWA Rugby Club), athletics and cross country. He assisted in the Outdoor Education programme as staff leader at Wittenoom, Exmouth, Dwellingup and Dampier. He was the editor of *Cygnets* for four years and was proud of the fact that he brought it into the age of colour. He was assistant Housemaster of Parry under Ian Biddle, acting Housemaster of



St George's during David Alderson's absence and he was a Pastoral Care Leader for several years. He served a two year term as president of the Staff Common Room. He taught Year 8 French and developed a popular, one year, non-academic French course based around history and culture. As part of this, he had a full-sized guillotine built and staged mock executions during Language Week with copious amounts of stage blood. For a time he was an assistant librarian. He also taught Year 8 Religious Education.

Above all, JVA was a committed classroom history teacher who believed in bringing some passion into otherwise 'dry' history lessons. He was full of wild and weird stories and anecdotes and his room was cluttered with shears, a spinning wheel, a weaving loom, hammers, wedges, a dolly pot, a scythe, an adze, a broad-axe, a cross-cut saw, a barrel and logs of wood (one of which was sawn up by Basil Zempilas when he was in Year 10). He built a full-size, horse-drawn farm wagon and had his class drag it around the School grounds. He constructed two very accurate dioramas of Anzac Cove (one is still in the Army Museum at Fremantle). He was a great believer in 'walking the actual ground' and dragged his very understanding wife, Christina over and through obscure battlefields, ruins and museums from Verdun to Port Arthur. One Christmas holiday he set off for England and back-packed his way around 40 historical sites of the Industrial Revolution in 40 days.

When new technology arrived JVA embraced it fully and produced endless reams of notes, quizzes and power-point presentations and was known to switch rapidly from notes to CD to video to DVD, all via the data projector at dazzling speed! He was often heard to say that his teaching career had gone from the dip pen and ink and chalk board era to an air-conditioned, carpeted classroom with computers. 'If that's not a revolution then what is?'

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Mr Brian Grimes

For some people, leaving Hale School tears you away from a work place and separates you from friends; for Brian, leaving Hale School also tears him away from his home and an extended family that is the boarding community - a community he first joined in 1994 as a resident assistant soon after arriving at Hale School.

At the boarders' Christmas dinner Brian received many deserved accolades, one of the more memorable was that of being described as a watermelon by Marcus Bin Omar; hard on the outside and soft in the middle.

Brian's dedication to the well being of all the boys in his care was legendary. Not many backward steps were taken, whether it was solving a chemistry problem, running the soccer team or planning the next Cock House Cup victory for Wilson House.

Brian was a passionate colleague and is a good friend. He has kept us on our toes and supported us in times of difficulty. He will drop everything for a boy or colleague in distress or in need.

Brian is a dedicated family man. His wife, Anne-Marie, and daughter Emily are central to all he does and Brian made a point of thanking his family for their support in his farewell speech to boarders.

Brian kept up a steady pace since arriving in 1994. He has been head of a boarding house, head of a day house, assistant head of a day house, Pastoral Care Leader, Head of Department, Secretary of PSA Soccer, Chair of the PSSA, coach of soccer and coach of basketball; he has run the Science Club and has been deeply involved in the Service Learning programme.

Early in his career he was appointed coach of the 3rd V basketball and Brian was concerned. He had never played the game. Of course,

those who know Brian realise that this was but a small hurdle, in typical fashion he enrolled in Basketball Australia coaching accreditation and umpiring accreditation courses. I believe that he may still be the most accredited basketball referee and coach that we have ever had coaching soccer at Hale School!

During his time at Hale School Brian has had a hand in running nearly every aspect of the School, including a deep involvement in PSA sport. He was a council member for the WA Science Teachers' Association, completed a Master of Education, ran soup kitchens and ran laps at Relay for Life.

What keeps Brian going and what will Hale School miss the most? His passion. Passion for Chemistry, passion for soccer, passion for winning Cock House Cups, passion for the wellbeing of his students, passion for excellence in anything he tries.

We wish Brian all the very best as Head of the Senior School at Swan Valley Anglican Community School.

Mike Giles

Father Tim Russell

In a recent article Archbishop Roger suggested that it is not how much we possess, but how much we are willing to share with others that determines our actual worth. With this in mind I considered Father Tim's time at Hale School. It is a pertinent theme because Tim gave a great deal to many in this community. His style was invariably quiet, personable and authentic. This resonated with many of the younger students and not surprisingly, Tim gained a place of affection in the hearts of many Junior School boys and members of the Junior School community. It was from these positive relationships that Tim developed a foundation of pastoral care and positive influence in the lives of many boys in the School. Tim has been confronted by some deep philosophical challenges by students in the Junior School. Questions have included, 'Why does God wear white?' and, 'How do we actually get to heaven if there is no lift?' Tim managed to manoeuvre through these conceptual minefields with aplomb and good humour. His positive relationships extended too many in the boarding community who had at various times sought Tim's guidance and support.

Tim has a skill for helping those in grief. This care extended well beyond the funeral. Tim would always remain in touch with families and meet them on an on going basis years after the death of a loved one.

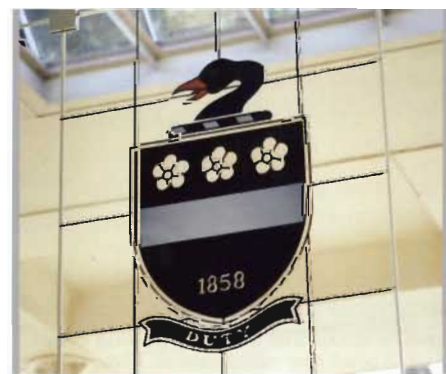


I know a number of families who have really appreciated this ongoing support. Tim was quite courageous in exploring possibilities for engaging boys in Chapel. He managed to stretch elements of the biblical message to areas and themes that the less intrepid might not have explored. His use of confectionary but in particular chocolate was legendary and he once somehow managed to persuade the Head of the Junior School to wear a tutu and fairy wings. Occasionally, Tim would find himself in a planning quandary and I have vivid memories of Mr Jim Cregan doing his utmost to quickly construct a well entwined and pithy theme for a Chapel to be conducted in no more than one hour.

Tim had many strong connections with staff and he made a number of life long friendships. Cherie has remained a great support to Tim. This is despite the fact that on one occasion, having assured her that no one was returning to their house for morning tea, Tim standing at the pulpit proceeded to invite the congregation of 100 back to his house for refreshments!

Tim and his family are now ensconced in Dunsborough, enjoying the many opportunities the South West region has to offer. On behalf of the School community I thank Tim for his contribution over the years and we wish him and his family all the very best for the future.

Richard Goater



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Ms Karyn Chan

Karyn Chan began her piano studies at the age of five in Malaysia, continuing with Josephine Symons in Australia in 1984. Karyn has won many awards and scholarships including the AMEB awards for Grade 8 and AMusA, the Prelude Open Forum Scholarship and the Music Amica Award and she gained the LMusA Diploma in 1989. In 1990 Karyn completed the BMus degree with Honours, majoring in performance at UWA, and during her four years there won the Vose Concerto Prize, the VH Cooper Memorial Prize and the Margaret Bello Chamber Music Prize.

Karyn joined the music staff at Hale School in July 1994 as a piano teacher, working three days a week, teaching individual piano students, in what was in those days, the Stow Music Centre. Karyn had completed her Master of Music in Piano Performance and Literature at the prestigious Eastman School of Music in New York where she was taught by Professor Barry Snyder. Her study involved public performance, lecture recitals, music history, theory, analysis and performance practice.

In 1996, a full-time position became available on the music staff, and Karyn leapt at the opportunity. As a teacher at Hale School, she brought a keen, deep and searching intellect into the classroom, matched by a direct and cheerful manner: to have a colleague with such a keen, questioning and critical mind, combined with such an infectious personality has meant much to the Music Department over the last 13 years. We have been lucky to have a musician of the calibre of Karyn, who has so easily and naturally been able to combine the two aspects of teaching and performing music.

Karyn leaves us to pursue her Doctorate of Music and to enable her to spend time practising and getting back to regular performance. In 1992 Karyn appeared on ABC FM 97.7 as a Young Australia Artist and I have no doubt that it will not be long before

we hear her again as a solo artist on the big stage.

Karyn Chan has been an integral part of the extraordinary development and rise of Music at Hale: there is no doubt in my mind that we would not be where we are today without her. Karyn's academic and performing skills are second to none, but more than that, she is always such an energetic, charming and gregarious person. We shall all miss her very much.

Andrew Bushell



Mr Kim Outtrim

Kim Outtrim joined the Hale Design and Technology team in 1993. From the start, he was involved in the planning and development of the new Design and Technology Centre and the restructuring of the way D&T was taught at Hale. His strengths in pastoral care soon came to the fore and in 1994 he was appointed Assistant to the Head of Haynes House. In 1999 he evolved into a Pastoral Care Leader, a position which he held for five years before reinventing himself as an Assistant to the Head of Parry House in 2005. Along the way, Kim ran the Hale Modellers' Club, enjoyed three Outdoor Education camps to Exmouth and coached many sporting teams. He is a passionate and well respected educator and will be missed by many in the Hale Community. We wish him the best of luck as embarks on a new adventure with the Curriculum Council as a Curriculum Officer for Materials Design and Technology in 2008.

Brad Young

Brad Young joined the Hale Chemistry Department in 2001 and has reliably participated in all the varied dimensions of life at the School during his seven years of committed service.

Brad taught with great enthusiasm, forever exploring novel ways of demonstrating the relevance of the subject to his students in Years 9 to 12. His famous lab coat, uniquely

decorated and revealing a veritable catalogue of some of the more spectacular reactions, leaves a lasting impression of the interesting times spent in his laboratory.

In addition to his specific teaching duties, Brad also performed significant pastoral care roles including pastoral care leader, assistant to the Head of Loton House and acting Head of Havelock House among his varied responsibilities. His authentic regard for every boy, his belief in their potential, was evident in all the generous time that he offered them.

An avid sportsman himself, Brad enjoyed coaching middle school football and cricket teams and especially coordinating the PSA surfing competitions with regular success. Other extra-curricula opportunities were also liberally presented to students who shared his own passion for Chemistry. Brad trained students for the RACI Titration Stakes, encouraged applications for Science Talent Searches, wrote references for National Youth Forums or Summer Schools and drove the bus to the annual Bayliss Youth Lectures among his other initiatives.

A valued collaborator on various staff committees, Brad's reliable contributions and genuine support have been greatly appreciated by all his colleagues. As someone who has worked closely with Brad, I can attest to his conscientious professionalism and work ethic. However, most of all I have been impressed by his integrity of purpose, willing fellowship, and especially his calm composure under pressure. We all wish him personal happiness with his young family and exciting professional fulfilment in his new position as Head of Science at Newman College.

Joseph Audino

Mr John Ewing

John Ewing joined Hale School in 2002 from Guildford Grammar to take up the position of Head of Commerce. During his time at Hale, John has taught senior Economics, Management and Marketing, Accounting, Business Management and Enterprise and Commerce and played a significant role in developing the Young Achievers Programme.

Out of the classroom, he has had a long association with the Exmouth Outdoor Education programme, travelling north with the boys for four consecutive years. He has also enjoyed coaching junior and senior soccer and volleyball.

We wish him happiness in his retirement and thank him for his years of service at Hale School. A keen orchid enthusiast, we know he

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will enjoy his future travel plans and continue his search for rare orchids in remote locations.

Ms Carina Sas

Carina Sas was a highly valued and exceptionally skilled member of the English Department at Hale School for six years from Term 1, 2002 until her retirement at the end of 2007. Prior to joining Hale School's staff, Carina was for many years a Head of House and English teacher at Guildford Grammar School and thus brought to her role at Hale, a wealth of experience in boys' education. Carina taught all year levels and across the range of English subjects, but her greatest strength was TEE English. Many Year 12 students will remember with gratitude, her well-structured, clearly organised lessons, her gift for concise explanation and passionate argument, and her ability, always, to produce a class which was well-prepared for the final examinations. Twice during her time at Hale, Carina was required at short notice to take over the Year 12 classes of colleagues in the final month before the TEE. She did so with great skill and tact, inspiring the confidence of students and parents in difficult times.

Carina also taught an inspiring and stimulating Year 9 creative writing class, and taught in the School's curriculum support area. In Curriculum Support, Carina diagnosed student needs in literacy and devised appropriate individual programmes. Her empathy with struggling students was appreciated by the students, their parents and Carina's colleagues.

For a number of years Carina ran the School's Mock Trial co-curricular programme and was the staff member-in-charge of public speaking and debating. She also organised and judged the English Department's Creative Writing competitions for three years. In all her work at Hale School, Carina's sheer professionalism and the high standards she set for students and for herself were apparent.

We wish her well in her retirement.

Lynda Green

Lynda Green began teaching in the Mathematics Department at Hale School at the start of 2003. Her role was part-time initially but became full-time from 2004 and she continued in that capacity until her resignation at the end of 2007. Lynda taught mathematics from Year 8 to Year 12 and was renowned for her clarity of explanation, her patience and her care for all her students. Her great experience and reliability were especially a part of the cornerstone of success

at Hale School in the teaching of Introductory Calculus and the Year 12 subjects of Discrete Mathematics and Applicable Mathematics.

Lynda was Assistant to the Head of Buntine House, 2005–2007, and in that role she provided pastoral care, advice and encouragement to the Year 9 students of Buntine for three happy years. Lynda was a stalwart of the School's basketball programme, coaching year 9 basketballers in Term 4 every year, and taking the students through to the end of Term 1, Year 10, of the following year. Her calm but firm control of her students, her grasp of the skills and love of the game meant that her young charges learned not only about basketball, but also about teamwork, commitment and fair play.

Lynda's willingness to contribute to so many areas of school life was appreciated by her colleagues and her students were the beneficiaries. Lynda's two sons were students at Hale and her husband, Roger Green, taught Physics at the School for twenty years and was Head of the Physics Department until his retirement in 2006. Lynda's involvement with the School has thus been a long and fulfilling family commitment and we now wish her well in her retirement.

Amanda Wallas

Amanda Wallas joined the English Department in Term 1, 2006, having come from a position at Somerset College, Queensland. In her two years at Hale, Amanda made a significant contribution to the life of the School. Her dedication, professionalism and vitality in the classroom ensured that she was a popular and effective English teacher. She challenged the boys to think for themselves, to consider new ideas and to communicate clearly and passionately. Good humour and vibrant

energy were hallmarks of her teaching style and those qualities were palpable in her teacher-student relationships.

In 2007 Amanda was appointed as Pastoral Care Leader for 8.3, a role she carried out with great dedication and skill. Her common sense and intuitive understanding of the needs of new students entering Senior School were greatly valued by her pastoral care group and their parents.

Amanda also assisted in running public speaking activities in the School and coached basketball. She was a member of the staff Common Room Social Committee where her cheerful nature and boundless enthusiasm were appreciated by her colleagues.

In Term 1, 2008 Amanda Wallas will take up a new position as Head of the English Department at St Andrew's Grammar School, Queensland and we wish her well.

Gerry Simpson

Gerry Simpson was appointed Head of the Department of Chemistry at Hale School at the start of 2007 and after the one, all-too-brief year in this role he is leaving to take up the position of Head of Science at St Stephen's School, Carramar, in 2008.

Gerry maintained the Chemistry Department's very high standards of professionalism, rigorous teaching, and excellent resources for students and teaching staff during his year as its Head. His deep knowledge of the subject, good humour and energy quickly won him the respect of students and colleagues. Gerry was also a passionate coach of the 10A soccer team. It was abundantly clear that Gerry appreciated the ethos of Hale School and we wish him well in his new position at St Stephen's.



(l to r): Carina Sas, Gerry Simpson, Brian Grimes, Lynda Green, Brad Young, Amanda Wallas, John Ewing

Captain of School



Sean Cowley

Good morning, Headmaster, Mr Meade, Chairman of the Board of Governors, Mr Fullarton, the Right Reverend Wilmot, Assistant Bishop of Perth, Guest of Honour, Mr Richard Goyder, Governors of the School, official guests, staff, parents and boys. Obviously talking to you is a bittersweet experience for me. I am happy because I am finally leaving, but I also have a heavy heart as this was the place that has had the greatest influence on me as a person.

Whilst considering what to write in this speech, I read through many of the previous School Captains' speeches. I found that many boys chose to talk about the great opportunities on offer at Hale, and when writing, I did attempt to try and steer clear of this so as not to sound as though I was repeating what my predecessors said. However, I did find this to be a somewhat impossible task.

In 1995, as I wandered around this vast campus, on a tour led by Mr Panarese, I couldn't help but wonder what my future would be in this daunting institution. I had previously viewed school as merely a pathway for learning that would eventually lead me to university and beyond. Now, I do not believe that leaving this school with a mark and an Old Haleian's certificate is enough to reach the potential that everyone possesses. The experience gained along the way from the many things you do in school gives you the tools to lead a successful life. Do not ignore the choices that this school has to offer. Choice itself is a privilege, not a right. The English philosopher, Francis Bacon, once said, "A wise man will make more opportunities than he finds". Do not feel compelled to do something because you have to, only do it if you want to, but the worst thing to say is that there is nothing that interests you at this school.

An ancient Chinese proverb states, "Be not afraid of going slowly, be only afraid of standing still". In this establishment, this cannot be emphasized enough. As individuals, we are all different. We work at different speeds, enjoy different things and have different goals. When we leave this institution, I cannot stress enough how we should leave as individuals. Do not fall into crowds that restrict you and label everything as 'boods', 'choods' or 'kaka-di-boods'. You control yourself, and changing for anyone should not be considered. To relate this to school, we need only look at the School's motto, 'Duty'. Norwegian playwright, Henrik Ibsen once wrote, "What is a man's first duty? The answer is brief: To be himself". The context behind our motto is unknown to me, but Ibsen's answer to the question is clear and concise. Only the individual has the ability to change his future

and adapt to the many opportunities that are offered him. Engaging yourself in different activities at school does not mean changing yourself.

Hale School itself has an effect on each of you. The huge variety of activities enables students to apply themselves to anything and everything they want with enthusiasm and gusto - taking part in sporting 'battles' with the other PSA schools for example, is often a passionate encounter. We have seen people run till they collapse in a heap, give their all and sacrifice life and limb for the "double blue." What greater moment to show a team's passion for the School than our sweet 19-point victory over Trinity on Craig Oval, a perennial powerhouse of PSA football. At the final siren about 200 boys rushed out onto the field to greet their conquering heroes and then took part in quite possibly the largest, and most significant, war cry they had ever done. It was quite something to hear and a sight to behold!

Although constantly recognised, school life does not begin and end with sport. The extra-curricular activities at this school allow people to strive for something more. With around 50 musical groups, clubs and societies, many unsung heroes participate in these activities and represent the School with honour. Our maestros in the Music Department, along with the 'techies', 'mock trialers', debaters and more, make Hale a hive of activity. The School can do a lot for you boys, don't forget, nor take it for granted. Apply yourself as much as possible.

Leadership is a huge part of Hale School. The qualities of each individual are nurtured and allowed to flourish during his time here. Leadership is often confused with a popularity contest; who has the most friends and who is the most charismatic candidate. However, this is wrong. Leading comes from within. Everyone has the ability and the potential to lead; it is merely who answers the call and who is willing to risk what they have for the greater good. An ancient Greek figure, Xenophon, once led a Greek army of 10 000 out of Persia and away from slaughter. He was a volunteer, and was not of the class of the Generals. But yet, he answered the call and showed his true potential. He once said that, "the true test of a leader is whether his followers will adhere to his cause of their own volition, enduring the most arduous hardships without being forced to do so, and remain steadfast in moments of great peril". Leadership also relies on availability. You cannot lead if you are never there to help. And, although you may be out, proving your ability, you must also take time to heed the requests of the people around you. If presented with the opportunity to lead, jump to the occasion and show how much potential you have. To lead is not a glamorous thing. You will face trials and tribulations. You are responsible for the good, just as much as the bad. Dare to be different, take the plunge and apply yourself.

So this is it, the end. I thank all who have helped my peers and me with advice throughout the year. I wish you all good luck for the forthcoming years, especially the Year 12s of 2008 and their leading prefect body. It is a significant year boys, remember that. I leave you with the words of Oscar Wilde, who once wrote, "One can live for years sometimes without living at all". I implore you not to float through the School as just a student. Do not waste the greatest years of your life.

Have a safe and happy holiday. Thank you and goodbye.

**Speech Day address by Sean Cowley
School Captain 2007**



PREFECTS 2007

Back Row (l to r): Dane Haylett-Petty, Cale Morton, Ben Pearce, David Vernon, Daniel Henderson

Middle Row: Mr David Bean, Lihan Oliver, George Salter, Alexander Rovira, Bryan Meyer, Mr Richard Goater

Front Row: Henry Johnston, Michael Hagemann, Sean Cowley (Captain of School), Mr Stuart Meade (Headmaster), Benjamin Hogan (Vlce-Captain), Timothy Widdicombe, James Lewin

Prefects

Prizes Year 12

YEAR 12 PRIZES

Applied Technology Prize <i>Jarrold Tucker</i>	Senior Science Prize <i>Gus Lawson</i>	Applicable Mathematics Prize <i>Bharath Iyer</i>
Art Prize <i>Wesley Pendlebury</i>	Small Business Management Prize <i>Joshua Coleman</i>	English 3A/3B Prize <i>Bharath Iyer</i>
Art and Design Prize <i>Calvin Tolentino</i>	The Career and Industry Awareness Prize <i>Matthew Bancroft</i>	Dux of School (Old Haleians' Prize) <i>Bharath Iyer</i>
The JB Newbery Biology Prize <i>Thomas Sullivan</i>	The WestScheme Prize for Excellence in VET <i>Matthew Bancroft</i>	The Edward Burgoyne Prize for Leadership <i>Henry Johnston</i>
Drama Studies Prize <i>Toby Simmer-Knight</i>	Drama Prize <i>Corey York</i>	The Guy Ward Memorial Prize (Boarding House Leadership) <i>William Forrester</i>
The Gwynne Harris Memorial Economics Prize <i>Yusuf Mutahar</i>	Modelling with Mathematics Prize <i>Corey York</i>	Ancient History Prize <i>Benjamin Hogan</i>
Engineering Studies 3A/3B Prize <i>Guy Cockcroft</i>	Accounting Prize <i>Todd McNeill</i>	The AC Marshall Memorial French Prize <i>Benjamin Hogan</i>
Engineering Studies 2A/2B Prize <i>Nicholas Melanko</i>	Physical Education Studies Prize <i>Todd McNeill</i>	The Addenbrooke Literature Prize <i>Benjamin Hogan</i>
English 2A/2B Prize <i>Sean Tonkin</i>	Discrete Mathematics Prize <i>Darryn Sherry</i>	Music Prize <i>Benjamin Hogan</i>
Graphics Technology Prize <i>Scott Pelham & Hong-Rui Lee</i>	Japanese Prize <i>Darryn Sherry & Edward Wang</i>	Dr KG Tregonning Prize <i>Benjamin Hogan</i>
The Hugh Guthrie History Prize <i>Nicholas Scott</i>	The Hale Lodge Geography Prize <i>Raymond Pritchard</i>	The Aubrey Hardwicke Prize for Captain of School <i>Sean Cowley</i>
Human Biology Prize <i>Michael Wilson</i>	Chemistry Prize <i>Raymond Pritchard & Bharath Iyer</i>	
The Michael Beech Physics Prize <i>Hsien Ern Tan</i>	The Ednie-Browne Calculus Prize <i>Bharath Iyer & Shovan Rath</i>	
Political and Legal Studies Prize <i>Andrew MacNiven</i>		

Prizes

Year 8 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PRIZES

Adam Birman
Brian Cheung
Brandon Doney
Kingsley Frearson
Joseph Havlat
Ryan Huynh
Benjamin Joseph
Ivan Lee
Lester Lee
Daniel Marshall
Brandon McAlpine
Clark Mei
Rohan Mehra
Liam O'Shea
Ethan Reed
Ashay Shah
Nathan Stanley
Gary Zhang

Year 9 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PRIZES

James Abbott
Callan Adler
Kevin Bush
Shane Chandra
Daniel Chu
Cameron Knox
David Laczko
Lawrence Lee
Reagan Leung
Duncan Lissiman
Matthew McDonald
Niyanth Natatarajan
Matthew Ng
James Payne
Kai-Wen Sun
Darren Tan
Jeremy Tan
Andrew Vieraitis
Adam Wilkinson

Year 10 ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PRIZES

Year 10 Art Prize
George Cunningham
Year 10 Biology Prize
Daheng Xia & Matthew Yeoh
Year 10 Commerce Prize
Elliott Panos
Year 10 Creative Arts Prize
Jonathan Oldham
Year 10 Drama Prize
Andrew Burton
Year 10 Engineering Prize
Joshua Reed
Year 10 Environmental Science Prize
Declan Tabart
Year 10 History Prize
Alexander Ninkov
Year 10 Japanese Prize
Jeremy Huynh
Year 10 Materials Technology Prize
Alex Newman

Year 10 Music Prize
James Wu
Year 10 Physical Education Prize
Oliver Johnston
Year 10 Mathematics Prize
Aditya Eranki & Paul Oliver
Year 10 French Prize
Paul Oliver
Year 10 Chemistry Prize
Jordan Aitken
Year 10 Geography Prize
Jordan Aitken
Year 10 English Prize
Arjun Kaushik
Year 10 Philosophy Prize
Arjun Kaushik
Year 10 Applied Technology Prize
Samuel Khor
Year 10 Physics Prize
Samuel Khor

Dr John Boyd Craig Scholarship winner
for best candidate in the Year 10 Examinations
Jeremy Huynh

The Lister Drake Scholarship for academic merit and outstanding
contribution to the life of the School, for a son or grandson of an Old Boy
Jordan Aitken

The Year 10 Jenny Henson Scholarship
George Cunningham

SPECIAL PRIZES

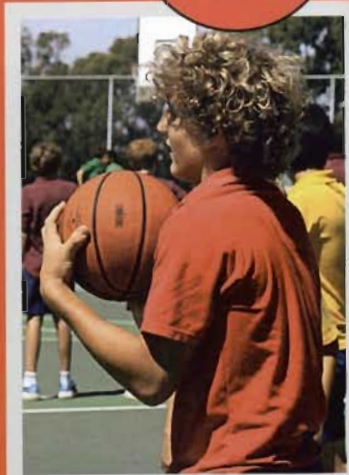
Cygnet Prize
Luke Owen
Cygnet Art Award (Senior)
Jackson Harvey
Cygnet Art Award (Middle)
Harrison Garland
Cygnet Art Award (Lower)
Jesse Willison
The Leon Pericles Art Prize
Theodore Cunningham
The Art Committee Year 12
Art Prize
Charles Skender
The Art Committee Year 12
Scholarship
Michael Ridley & Thomas Smith
Cygnet Prose Award (Senior)
Bobby Ly
Cygnet Poetry Award (Senior)
Timothy Montgomery
Cygnet Prose Award (Middle)
Joshua Hill
Cygnet Poetry Award (Middle)
Gabriel Fatin
The Brian Goldsmith
Debating Prize
Felix Ellis & Hamish McCormack
The Public Speaking Prize
Felix Ellis
The Leeuwien Outdoor
Education Prize
Alexander Ninkov
Drama – Technical Theatre Prize
Nicholas Wilkinson
The Drama Prize
Jonathon Holborn
Bernard Harvey Award for Brass
Jonathon Holborn

Orchestra Prize (Outstanding
Contribution)
Lucien Fischer
Jazz Prize
Charles Skender
Hale Guitar Cup
Oliver O'Neill
Chair Prize (Outstanding
Contribution)
Lachlan Malloch-Smith
Clarke Choral Cup
Lachlan Malloch-Smith
Gladstones Piano Cup
Joseph Havlat
String Shield
Edward Wang
Barlow Ensemble Shield
Kim Chin, Allan Hon, Jeremy
Huynh, Alexander Vickery
Hale Woodwind Cup
Benjamin Hogan
Concert Band Prize (Outstanding
Contribution)
Benjamin Hogan
Garland Music Prize
Benjamin Hogan
John Vetter Memorial Prize
(Application by a Year 11 Student)
Thomas Bartlett
The Sam Ellices Award
(Contribution to the Boarding
Community by a Year 11 Boarder)
Marcus Bin Omar
The Headmaster's Prize for
Character and Leadership
Year 8 Benjamin Joseph
Year 9 Adam Wilkinson
Year 10 Emerson Walker

YEAR 11 ACADEMIC PRIZES

Year 11 Accounting Prize
Byron Jameson
Year 11 Applied Technology Prize
Thomas Smith
Year 11 Biology Prize
Andrew Ball & Thomas Bartlett
Year 11 Economics Prize
Amrit Kandola
Year 11 English 2A/2B Prize
Oliver Nivbrant
Year 11 English 1C/1D Prize
Jeremy Wood
Year 11 Foundations of
Mathematics Prize
Cody Fukwood
Year 11 Geography Prize
Alexis Hall
Year 11 Geometry &
Trigonometry Prize
Kunal Grover
Year 11 History Prize
Nihar Jha
Year 11 Human Biology Prize
Toby Dawson
Year 11 Japanese Prize
Sen King
Year 11 Management &
Marketing Prize
Gareth Begg
Year 11 Mathematics in
Practice Prize
Keifer Yu
Year 11 Music Prize
Jeremy Huynh

Year 11 Physical Education
Studies Prize
Taylor Smith
Year 11 Political & Legal
Studies Prize
Luke Owen
Year 11 Applied Information
Technology Prize
Michael Ridley
Year 11 Art Prize
Michael Ridley
Year 11 Art & Design Prize
James Dorrington
Year 11 Senior Science Prize
James Dorrington
Year 11 Chemistry Prize
Michael Liu
Year 11 Engineering Studies Prize
Michael Liu
Year 11 Ancient History Prize
Jonathon Holborn
Year 11 Drama Studies Prize
Jonathon Holborn
Year 11 French Prize
Jonathon Holborn
Year 11 English Literature Prize
Binu Jayawardena
Year 11 Introductory Calculus Prize
Binu Jayawardena
Year 11 Physics Prize
Binu Jayawardena



B U N T I N E

Named after Dr Arnold Buntine, Headmaster (1931 - 1946)

Buntine



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Matthew Dulaney, Jerome Kwa, Jeremy Payne, Sean Gilleran, Lawrence Weir, Charles Skender, Nikolai Rtshiladze
Middle Row: Collum Twigger, Max Haederle, Edward Wang, Henry Brown, Filip Sala, Lihan Oliver, Nicholas Scott, Mr I Tredget
Front Row: Bobby Ly, Joel Iliffe, Scott Pelham, Paul Sawyer, Jarrod Tucker, Errol Lim

2007 started at a hectic pace. Term 1 began and we found ourselves gearing up for the first round of summer House sport. Fortunately, prefects Lihan Oliver, Henry Brown, Edward Wang, Charles Skender and House Captain Nick Scott, had things under control from the outset.

In previous years Buntine has struggled to make an impression on the Cock House Cup leader board. Although we continue to find it tough going against the likes of Wilson and Havelock, the signs of improvement are there. This year we enjoyed a thrilling victory against St Georges in a cricket match, the first in a long while and the spirited post match celebrations highlighted the significance of this achievement. However, one victory does not a season make and we were beaten into last place by Haynes House the following week. Grant Moriarty, Lloyd Le Cornu, Sam Howieson, Max Sadka, Ross Palframan and Jameson Feakes will undoubtedly lead the charge up the table next year.

Apart from dire performances in baseball, we finished in mid-table positions for volleyball (senior and junior), ultimate frisbee (3rd place), tennis and softball. The junior basketball team was outstanding. Led by Chris



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAIN

(l to r): Nicholas Scott, Mr I Tredget,

Hoon, Thomas Thai, Stuart Berryman and Henry Giles, the players fought hard in every fixture and only just went down to Haynes House in the play-off for first place.

In the Interhouse swimming carnival in Week 6, we hoped to continue our improvement and finish at least one position higher than last year. The new Year 8s immediately

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YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Peter Campbell, Nelson Jeffrey, Timothy Brannan, Blake Whitham, Kirk Gilleran, David Dawbin, Alexander Anstie
Middle Row: Robert Feakes, Grant Moriarty, James Berryman, Alexander Tate, Lloyd Le Cornu, James Clarke, Oliver Nivbrant, Dmitry Ivanov
Front Row: Deven Patel, Simon Joseph, T J Hoon, Jonathon Holborn, Max Sadka, Jaxsun Plumley, Joshua Chong

stamped themselves as our best swimming year group, reeling off a couple of impressive victories in the breaststroke and medley relays. Third place in the backstroke relay meant they finished the carnival only one point behind Haynes House as the best Year 8 group. Riley Tonkin, Ian Damant, Nicholas Mozeley, Adam Birman, Gary Zhang, Henry Giles and Isaac Tyson are all names to watch for in the future. Overall, we finished the carnival in fifth position after the senior boys turned in solid performances throughout the morning. Whilst the likes of Henry Brown, T J Hoon, Grant Moriarty, Chris Hoon, James Weir and Charles Skender were the backbone of the team, the contribution of all swimmers underpinned our stronger showing.

The winter promised more challenges as the football season loomed large on the horizon. Like cricket, it is a big points earner for the Cock House Cup. Our Year 10 footballers had experienced some success as Year 9s. Lewis Wood, Shrey Sharma, Mitchell Rosher and Ben Pike all played well and once again we enjoyed the jubilation of winning our first match in many months when Haynes fell victim to our pace, strength and silky skills. We avoided the wooden spoon and took a stranglehold on ninth spot while the juniors did even better with a promising fourth place.

Senior soccer provided the highlight of the winter season. Paul Sawyer, Filip Sala and Henry Brown were seasoned, experienced



campaigners who ensured our talented team did not underachieve. With Nik Rtshiladze in goal and players Bobby Ly, Jerome Kwa, Lawrence Weir, David Dawbin, Oli Nivbrant, Matthew Adams and Peter Campbell, we were always going to be difficult to beat. Hard work and some disciplined performances ensured we won the Vince D'Adamo trophy this year with a 3-1 victory over Tregonning.



Squash and badminton were the other winter sports in which we enjoyed most success. Errol Lim and Scott Pelham captained us to second position, just half a point behind Parry. Hockey, walla and junior soccer were all steady, but we still finished a few positions below what was needed to challenge for the Cock House Cup.

The Year 8s, 9s and 10s performed best in the cross country competition that was held early in Term 3. Top runners included Nicholas Mozley, Henry Giles, Cameron Knox, Stuart Berryman, Paul Newnan, Jonathan Bathe, and Justin Blades. However, finishing in seventh spot was a little disappointing.

Notwithstanding the superb effort of Stuart Berryman and the Year 9s, our performance in House athletics put a bit of a dent in our Cock House Cup aspirations. Our team lacked the necessary depth. However, all athletes did their best and competed in the right spirit, but we had to be content with eighth position.

One of this year's aims was to retain the Arts Cup, claimed for the first time in 2006. Good performances were required in all areas if we were to capitalise on the abundant musical, artistic and debating talent in Buntine House.

Our junior and senior debating teams got our campaign off to the best possible start by once again securing the Davy Shield. Lihan Oliver and Callum Twigger ensured that our teams were well organised and prepared for each round and this often proved the difference in some very close contests. Drew Thornton, Adam Birman and Ben Joseph are three of our up and coming junior debaters who will make Buntine very difficult to dislodge from top position.

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The senior theatre sports team led by Nick Scott took third place and Lihan Oliver and Sean Gilleran maintained our momentum by guiding the chess team to second position.

The big Buntine event for the year was closely tied in with our Arts Cup campaign. We embarked on an ambitious plan to stage a charity music night that would feature our House Choir, House Band and a selection of our most accomplished solo artists. Although the concert was designed to double as rehearsal for Arts Cup Day, its most important function was to raise money for the Uni Camp for Kids. Over \$1300 was raised on an evening that was the first of its kind. Thanks go to Errol Lim (choirmaster/conductor), Jonathan Holborn and the prefects who did an outstanding job in bringing the event together; also to Mr James Shaw and Mr Alan Murphy whose support and technical expertise were invaluable. Our soloists Gary Zhang, Edward Wang and Jonathan Holborn, accompanied by musicians Charles Skender, Lawrence Weir, Pallé Mazzulla and Jameson Feakes all did a fine job. A final commendation goes to Nick Scott and Henry Brown who plucked up the courage to take on the vocals for our band.

On Arts Cup Day, *Angel of Harlem* earned us third place in the choir, but an overactive smoke machine clouded our band's performance and relegated them to seventh position. The visual artists led by Jerome Kwa, Jaxsun Plumley and Drew Thornton ensured a successful end to the day by combining to hold third place.

The prefects and the students can all reflect on a successful year and be proud of a job well done, assisting Buntine to achieve its two major goals for 2007.

Special Prize Winners:

Alex Panarese Shield for Dux of Buntine

– Edward Wang

JG Hopkins Award for Citizenship and Achievement

– Errol Lim

AJ MacMillan Trophy for Sportsman of the Year

– Henry Brown



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Ryan Warburton, Christopher Burch, James Weir, Paul Oliver, Matthew Adams

Middle Row: Mitchell Rosher, Simon Dopp, Nicholas Lucchesi, Lewis Wood, Luke Huxtable, Patrick Burke

Front Row: Benjamin Pike, Justin Blades, Andrew Scannell, Samuel Howieson, Daniel Beeck

Absent: Jonathan Bathe, Sean Cooper, Jackson Merrey, Shrey Sharma



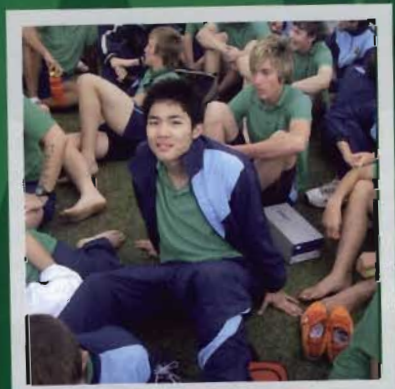
YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Ross Palframan, Jesse Willison, Christopher Davies, Stuart Berryman, Simon Sawyer, Matthew McDonald

Middle Row: Anthony Mccorkill, Cameron Knox, Thomas Thai, Sam Winter, Christopher Hoon, Paul Newnan, Callum Lawson

Front Row: Scott Embry, Emerson Lamond, Jameson Feakes, Drew Thornton, Pallé Mazzulla, Dilan Patel





F A U L K N E R

Named after Charles Faulkner, Headmaster (1889-1914)

Faulkner



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Andrew Kelly, Nicholas Haslam, Benjamin Pearce, David Vernon, Liam Scott, Thomas Carlson
Second Row: Sean Hayes, James Sawyer, Scott Cheetham, Warren Benjamin, Joshua Stretch, Louis Meyer
Front Row: Calvin Tolentino, Adam Gamble, Alexander House, Mr R Tongue, Steven Hanning, Kelvin Mahuka, Snowy Wade

Unlike previous years, 2007 started with some lovely cool weather and this I am sure, played a part in the boys settling easily into the House. Also of great assistance in this regard was a most enthusiastic group of leaders, eager to ensure that all began smoothly. David Vernon, Ben Pearce, Nick Haslam and Kelvin Mahuka led the House well and have been ably assisted by a cooperative Year 12 cohort.

The boys of Faulkner House have worked closely with the Red Cross this year and have regularly manned the Soup Patrol which delivers evening meals to hungry people in the Perth CBD. This is often a most challenging experience, but one that always stirs several emotions in a most positive way. The boys have continued to support Duyen and Ngoc Lieng who live in the Dong Nai Province in Vietnam. The Year 11 boys have turned pancake making into an art form as they have set about raising the necessary funds to support the girls. Mrs Maskiell, and a number of Year 12 boys from Hale, visited the girls during the Easter break.



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

(l to r): Calvin Tolentino, Nicholas Haslam, David Vernon, Benjamin Pearce, Mr R Tongue

One of the highlights of Term 1 was the Anzac Day service attended by the boarding community. The boys rose early and travelled to King's Park before dawn for a very moving service. In the shadows cast in the pre-dawn light, the feeling was eerie as the boys walked

in silence with 40 000 others to the cenotaph, the only noise being the sound of footsteps on wet pavement. Following the service, the boys visited the site of the old School in Havelock Street before returning to school for breakfast with the girls from St Mary's.

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YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Justin Lingard, Jeremy Wood, Myles Mead, Alexander Roberts, Matt Camerer

Middle Row: Jamie Gray, James Hargrave, Cory Hurley, Sam Dawson, Damon Smith, Melvin Poh

Front Row: Peter Vrankovich, Paul Broad, Davis Counsel, David Macleod, Sudharshan Nair

Absent: Joash Ng

The boys enjoyed the summer House sport season in which we almost won the cricket, but succumbed to a stronger Wilson House XI in a Boarding House final. Unfortunately, at the end of the winter season a similar result occurred when the boarding houses contested the football final – ah well, maybe next year! However, the junior boys revelled in an outstanding victory and a third placing in both the hockey and the soccer. Twenty-five boys represented Faulkner in the House debating competition this year. They are commended for their courage, as standing and delivering a three minute talk to 200 of one's peers can be rather daunting.

The House achieved some success in the cross country and athletics carnivals, finishing second in both. However, the swimming carnival was another matter - we were lucky someone didn't drown – we need a plan for 2008!!

A win in the Arts Cup competition did not look likely this year, but again many of the senior boys stepped to the fore and accepted the responsibility of mustering the necessary artistic flair to bring the choir, the band and the art to a satisfactory standard. Kelvin Mahuka led the choir in an enthusiastic manner and Tom Carlson put together a band that would have been the envy of any House. The duet Tom performed with Nick Haslam will live as a classic in the minds of many Faulkner boys. Adam Gamble directed the art this year and the second placing in the senior Art was an outstanding achievement for both him and his fellow artists.

The Year 12 boys settled to their work early and they achieved some commendable scores. Based on results attained throughout the year, Sean Hayes finished as Dux of Faulkner House for 2007, just a few marks ahead of James Sawyer.



Richard Wills, who had an outstanding year on the stage and in debating and public speaking, was presented with the Drama and Public Speaking award. We were very pleased with the way the Year 9s settled into the senior boarding house. Harry Rick was one who was a friend and mentor to most and many sought his wise counsel. Harry was the deserving recipient of the 2007 Junior Citizenship award. Our junior boys had a great season of sport and none shared his talents with his friends better than Declan Hewton who was named this year's winner of the Junior Sportsman award. Sean Hayes has been an outstanding footballer and tennis player as well as a fine student during his time at Hale School. Sean was the Senior Sportsman of the Year. Adam Gamble also had a wonderful year. Not only has he been a fine all-round sportsman and excellent artist, but he was also first home for Faulkner House in the annual House cross country event.



Joash Ng was new to boarding at the start of this year but soon settled into the environment. Joash has excelled with his studies and is an outstanding sprinter and sportsman. Joash freely shared his time and skills with his class mates and was the recipient of the Mark Denison award this year. Kelvin Mahuka has travelled from Malawi in east-central Africa to go to school at Hale each year since 2003. It has usually taken Kelvin three or four days to get to school at the start of the year and the same amount of time to get back home in December. Kelvin is a fine young man and his generous spirit, friendly nature and valued contribution to the House made him a most worthy recipient of the Faulkner House Award for 2007.

Finally we would like to thank the graduating class of 2007 and wish the boys every success. There were many memorable characters in this group and they will be missed. Sincere thanks to David Vernon for leading us so well and for being there when we needed a quiet word. The senior students were a talented group of singers, musicians, actors and sportsmen. I hope and pray that they will continue to make a difference in the lives of others as they make their way into the future. They have certainly left their mark on the Faulkner community.



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Richard Wills, Joshua Humphries, Ben Giles, Daniel Fowler, Nicholas Camerer, Declan Bishop, Nathan Crosby

Middle Row: Henry Brockman, Khaliq Shahril, Benjamin Boekeman, Tristan Sawyer, Nathan Benjamin, Joel Corsini, Kayne Campbell, Paddy Barber

Front Row: Christian Corbett, Trent Rivers, Luke Vrankovich, Brent Evans, Scott Dempster, Joshua Ovens



YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Mitchell Clarke, Declan Hewton, Jaxon Ashley, Lachlan Jones, James Rivers

Middle Row: Charles Le Fanu, Rhys Bedford, Nathan Vernon, Harry Rick, Levi Copley, Dean Hislop

Front Row: Keegan Meers, David Cashmore, William Brown, Declan Wood, Morgan Read, Matthew Stickland



H A V E L O C K

Named after the Havelock Street site of Hale School (1914 - 1960)

Havelock



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Patrick Ashforth, Kyle Cannon, Gregory Harrold, Joshua Leslie, Jackson Harvey, Rory Griffin, James Naisbitt

Middle Row: Blair Stone, Jordan Korovesi, Adam Salter, Thomas Gregory, Ben Macpherson, Ryan Slevin, Alex Towler, Mr M Bonnin

Front Row: Neket Shah, Benjamin Ngo, Henry Johnston, Alexander Rovira, Paul Barras, Thomas Lung

After sharing the Cock House Cup with Wilson House in 2006, Havelock was determined to win it outright in 2007. Under the leadership of House Captain Henry Johnston and aided by Vice-Captain Alex Rovira and the rest of the Year 12 cohort, Havelock could not wait to start another year's campaign for the Cock House Cup. The House leadership team consisted of Paul Barras, Tom Gregory, Rory Griffin and Alex Towler. Many other boys also helped out with the running of the House. Josh Leslie, who played basketball and hockey and also led the House choir to victory, and Jackson Harvey, who assisted with the senior art and various other areas, were presented with a House prefect badge before the end of the year. Despite finishing in seventh position in the Cock House Cup, it did not reflect the effort and enthusiasm the boys showed on the sporting fields. All boys are commended on their effort and the attitude they displayed throughout the year.

Following three rounds of House summer sport fixtures against Loton, Faulkner and Parry, it was time for our swimmers to shine in the pool at the House swimming carnival. After winning two consecutive carnivals in 2005 and 2006, Havelock was looking for a



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

(l to r): Thomas Gregory, Rory Griffin, Paul Barras, Mr M Bonnin, Alex Towler, Alexander Rovira, Henry Johnston

hat-trick. However, Havelock fell one place short and came second behind a deserving Tregonning team.

To wrap up House summer sport, Havelock played Haynes in the last round of fixtures. At the close of the summer sport finals, Havelock finished ninth in basketball, fifth in cricket,

fifth in tennis and fifth in the Sholl Cup team game competition of softball, baseball and volleyball.

The well-deserved Term 1 break over, Havelock boys returned ready to get into the winter sport fixtures. After three rounds of House winter sport against Parry, Faulkner

havelock



YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Christopher de Beer, Callum Murdoch, Samuel Nicholson, Liam Exel, Matthew Stevens, Lee Chapman

Middle Row: Michael Ridley, Kurtis McCracken, Bryan Tan, Nathaniel Currie, Mitchell Grant, Justin Gan, Simon Quenby

Front Row: Kim Chin, Binu Jayawardena, Christopher McFarlane, John Barnsley, Michael Liu, Matthew Ansell, Shaun Markovic

Absent: Mark Janssen

and Buntine, Havelock had its bye. During the bye, we had our first ever House Chapel. The service was led by Tom Gregory, assisted by Alex Towler and Jackson Harvey. Tom took a very interesting approach to the chapel service, using the word 'Havelock' as an acronym as a basis for the service.



Once the last round against Riley was over, it was time for the finals. There were many successful results. Hockey did very well this year, finishing in second position. Many of the Year 12s playing hockey played 1st XI hockey and so the team had great depth. 1st XV rugby players Rory Griffin and Alex Rovira, led from the front in walla rugby and as a result, that team finished in a commendable third position. Soccer too successfully finished in third position. Our footballers, who had earned seventh position in 2006, finished one position higher this year. Badminton and squash fought a tight competition and ended the season in equal seventh position.

Cross country and athletics were the last sporting occasions on which we could claim points for the Cock House Cup. On a wet afternoon, the majority of the boys in the House ran the cross country. Despite the weather, they all put in a fine effort, running with determination to place Havelock in fourth position.

Although the Cock House Cup was now out of our reach, all boys tried their best to win their events at the athletics carnival. There were many outstanding individual performances throughout the day from all year groups, but Havelock only managed to finish in seventh position.

Nevertheless, the House Arts Cup competition was a different story. Even though the

debaters placed ninth, Havelock managed to finish near the top. The boys who participated in the senior and junior divisions of theatre sports did a marvellous job. However, results did not go our way. The boys who played chess also tried hard but unfortunately, placed last.

On the Arts Cup day, everyone involved in the choir, the band and the art thoroughly enjoyed himself. The choir, conducted by Josh Leslie that performed *Kokomo* by The Beach Boys, won the competition. The three-piece band of Josh Leslie, Alex Towler and Tom Gregory with the backup vocalists Kim Chin, Bryan Tan, Binu Jayawardena and George Ashforth, performed *Knights of Cydonia* by Muse which the judges obviously loved, as they also took out first place.

Not only did the musicians do well, but the artists in our House also did exceptionally well. The theme for the senior art was music. The boys decided to paint a picture of the House band. For this year's junior art, the Art Department changed the task, asking the boys to make a sculpture out of sticks. The boys did well, placing a respectable fourth. After adding up the points accumulated in the debating, theatre sports, chess, music and art, Havelock placed a well-deserved second in the House Arts Cup.

Havelock's Alex Rovira was selected to represent WA in rugby as well as being chosen to be a part of the National kayaking squad. Matthew Yeoh scored an impressive 100% in Rio Tinto's Big Science Quiz and Chris de Beer and Binu Jayawardena were involved



in University of WA's SmARTS programme. Chris and Binu's group won the Innovation and Communication award. Taran Dunn, Sam Nicholson and Binu Jayawardena were involved in the production of *Robin Hood* and Taran Dunn had a role in the play, *Lost Property*. Our House Captain, Henry Johnston was also captain of Mock Trial.

Sadly we farewell the Year 12s and wish them every success in their TEE exams and for the future. They will be sorely missed and we thank them for the contributions they have made to Havelock over the years. The boys thank House Captain Henry Johnston, who has been inspirational and has shown extraordinary leadership skills. Our thanks also go to our Head of House Mr Bonnin and Assistant Head of House Mr Venables, who have worked tirelessly throughout the year.

Justin Gan



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Taran Dunn, Terence Xu, James Wu, Andrew Wood-Collier, Philip Salter, Lachlan Valentine

Middle Row: Timothy Young, Oliver Johnston, Eric Li, Kian Bordbar, Aditya Udayana, Jake Andrew, Matthew Chapman

Front Row: Matthew Yeoh, Fauzi Said, Alessandro Gismondi, Jesse Deves, Tayler Wright, Joel Howard, Thomas Rolley-Good

Absent: Nicholas Bean



YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Michael Kurniawan, George Ashforth, Darren Tan, Alexander Dunbar, Lukas Geidans, Richard Cain, Lachlan Davey

Middle Row: Nicholas Towler, Lachlan Chapman, Stephen Locke, James Abbott, Matthew Whinnen, Wibi Udayana, Mr P Venables

Front Row: Evan Leonard, Niyanth Natarajan, Jonathan Beh, Joshua Morley, Brandon Pallas, Mark Lawrenson, Dimitri Mitakos, Petros Alexiou





H A Y N E S

Named after E.W. 'Paddy' Haynes, Headmaster (1872 - 1878)

Haynes



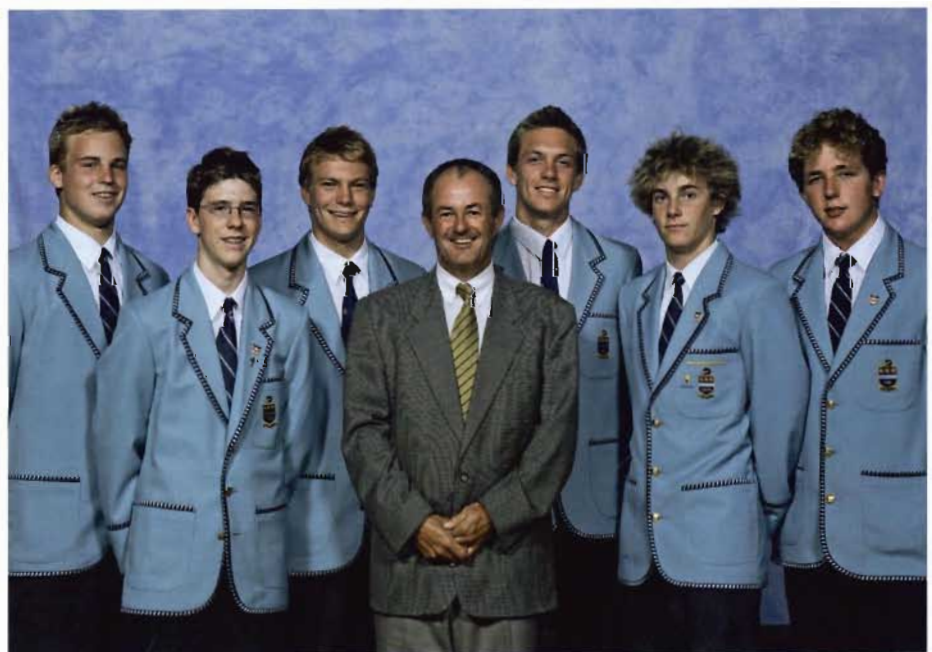
YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Justin Turner, Peter Cash, Samuel Rankine-Wilson, Mark Schmidt, Hylton Hayes, Trent Wilson
Middle Row: Timothy Montgomery, Thomas Dowling, Oska Williams-Pagh, Thomas Jockel, Brendan O'Connor, Nicholas Melanko, Liam Pickering
Front Row: Nicholas Valenti, Matthew Bancroft, George Salter, Mr C Ashton, Dane Haylett-Petty, Yusof Mutahar, Murray Walsh

2007 was a year in which Haynes boys showed considerable determination and improvement. It has been very enjoyable for all of the boys who involved themselves wholeheartedly in activities. This year's accomplishments reflect the efforts of Head of House, Mr Craig Ashton, and the guidance of the Year 12s. Haynes comprises boys with many and varied, skills, talents and gifts.

The first event this year was the Interhouse swimming carnival and, with an impressive Year 12 backstroke team including Tom Jockel, Dane Haylett-Petty, Mark Schmidt and Tom Dowling, Haynes secured a solid sixth place and was awarded the Backstroke trophy. Hopefully, with a strong Year 8 team next year and continued good performances from Years 10 and 11, Haynes should place well in the 2008 carnival.

Haynes looked forward to the summer sport season with anticipation and excitement. Captained by Yusof Mutahar and Peter Cash, senior House volleyball was unlucky not to win the opening games of the season but finished strongly, defeating Faulkner and Riley



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

(l to r): Mark Schmidt, Timothy Montgomery, George Salter, Mr C Ashton, Dane Haylett-Petty, Brendan O'Connor, Thomas Jockel,

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YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Marcel Bridge, Harry Jockel, Christopher Wilson, Thomas Culbert, Cameron Fitzgerald, Thomas Jarratt

Middle Row: Callum Bowden, Gautamaram Murugiah, Evan Mumme, Daniel Archondakis, Dean Gault, Brock Wilson, Patrick Whitfield

Front Row: Jarrad Nebel, Toby Dawson, Michael Pirone, Allan Hon, Aaron Young, Kunal Grover, Peter White

Absent: Amrit Kandola

in the final. Led by a talented Year 12 group, cricket suffered a few narrow losses but Year 12s, Dane Haylett-Petty and George Salter shone in the final thrashing of Buntine. Lusty hitting from Mark Schmidt was a highlight. Senior basketball finished on the bottom of the table and the juniors finished near the top. The tennis team finished seventh and players Kai-Wen Sun and Joshua Winterton played well against older opponents. Haynes finished equal with Buntine at the bottom of the ladder for the Sholl Cup but the result did not reflect the closely fought matches that occurred.



In winter House sport Haynes achieved some interesting results. The walla rugby team, led by Dane Haylett-Petty, Mark Schmidt Justin Turner, George Salter, Tom Dowling and Liam Pickering won every game throughout the season, only to finish second after a spirited final against Riley. Hopefully, these strong results will continue in 2008 with Michael Pirone leading the team. Badminton and squash teams, led by Tim Montgomery, also performed strongly and finished fourth overall. The consistent efforts of Joshua Winterton and Yousef Abu Shamieh were much appreciated. In soccer, Haynes finished seventh. The team was captained by Yusof Mutahar, who had great support from Chris Wilson, Benjamin Caley and Henry Hui. Haynes was always able to field full teams and often had several reserves. In football Haynes placed eighth on the table. The senior team was captained by Brendan O'Connor. Highlights include a spectacular 'Kappa' by Michael Evans in the game against Loton. Haynes hockey XI, led by Tom Jockel, placed equal ninth on the table. Memorable moments included, Dane's guest appearance in the game against Loton, where he scored a 'hockey hat trick', and Amrit Kandola's 'hockey hat trick' in the final game that resulted in a draw against Riley.

Cross country was always going to be a challenge for the Haynes boys. The new course proved to be much harder than the old



one and therefore times were slower. The Year 8s performed with distinction. Simon Ogden and Trent Ryan came in first and second and Hayden Scott, fifth. The boys in Years 9 and 10 ran well and in Year 11, Marcel Bridge and Evan Mumme ran strongly to come in first and second for Haynes respectively. In Year 12, Justin Turner led from the front for Haynes. Overall, Haynes' performance was outstanding; the boys were able to break a five year losing streak. We look forward to the future led by the talented Year 8 runners.

Although finishing in tenth place at the House athletics, Haynes had many excellent individual performances. Justin Turner won the first division of the Year 12 100m and 200m, and George Salter won the 800m. So many boys put in such a strong effort throughout the day.

Haynes House faired well in 2007 debating competition, placing second overall. The senior team of Tom Jockel, Brendan O'Connor, Yusof Mutahar and Aaron Young filled the first two speaker positions, and third speaker George Salter, entertained the crowds with his wit and comedic delivery. The junior team comprised Gabriel Fatin, David Valent and Shane Chandra and was very successful also. Next year, Haynes hopes to continue its strong debating tradition. Yusof Mutahar led the House to a third place in the House chess contest.

Haynes' performance on Arts Cup day was very positive. It was superbly orchestrated by Murray Walsh who as well as conducting the choir, organised the House band. The

choir saved is best performance for last with a stirring rendition of Enrique Iglesias' *Hero*. Special thanks go to Evan Mumme for learning the supporting guitar piece with such short notice. The band included Patrick Whitfield, Toby Dawson, Michael Pirone, Allan Hon, Tom Jarratt, Gabriel Fatin, Liam Pickering, Tim Montgomery, Murray Walsh, with a brief cameo by Hylton Hayes as Fontaine. The boys performed an energetic rendition of *The Car Song* by The Cat Empire. Senior artists Marcel Bridge, George Salter, Dane Haylett-Petty and Mark Schmidt painted a symbolic picture with the message, 'Make music not war'. The junior art task was different this year and had the younger boys create a 3-D sculpture out of wooden rods

Haynes once again raised over \$1000 dollars to sponsor two children (Enginheiro and Cristina) from Mozambique through World Vision, with its Easter egg raffle which this year, included approximately 50 prizes. Many thanks go to Alex Vacca, Joshua Price, Sebastian Bath, Tom Jockel and Patrick Whitfield for their great fundraising efforts. Haynes House chapel was superbly run by Tim Montgomery this year.

The prefect group of Tom Jockel, Tim Montgomery, Brendan O'Connor, Mark Schmidt, House vice Captain Dane Haylett-Petty, and House captain George Salter are thanked for their outstanding leadership. The Year 12 group was one of the most talented to go through Haynes and will be sorely missed. We wish them all the best as they begin the next chapter in their lives.

Daniel Archondakis, Marcel Bridge, Toby Dawson, Cameron Fitzgerald, Patrick Whitfield and Christopher Wilson



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Thomas Varcoe, Liam Freedman, Benjamin Caley, Elliot Mitchell, Leigh Ashby, Luke Williams, George Gage
Middle Row: Michael Melanko, Sean Kelley, Henry Hui, Cameron Vacca, Joshua Reed, Nicholas Holgate, Giles Kenny, Joshua Winterton
Front Row: Sebastian Bath, Michael Evans, Sachin Mistry, Richard Worrall, Reece Chickonoski, Daheng Xia



YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Cameron Strickland, David Valent, Kevin Bush, Gabriel Fatin, Seng Foong Wen, Shane Chandra
Middle Row: Fraser Simcock, Lewis Lowe, Luke Falconer, Patrick Anderson Loake, Nathan Stowe, Harrison Lowe, Yousef Abu Shamleh
Front Row: Veer Shah, Kai-Wen Sun, Alexander Ferrier, Dylan Riddell, Fraser Klimaitis, Daniel Lim, Alexander Vacca
Absent: Matthew Croker





L O T O N

Named after E. Thornley Loton, Chairman (1947 - 1956)

Loton



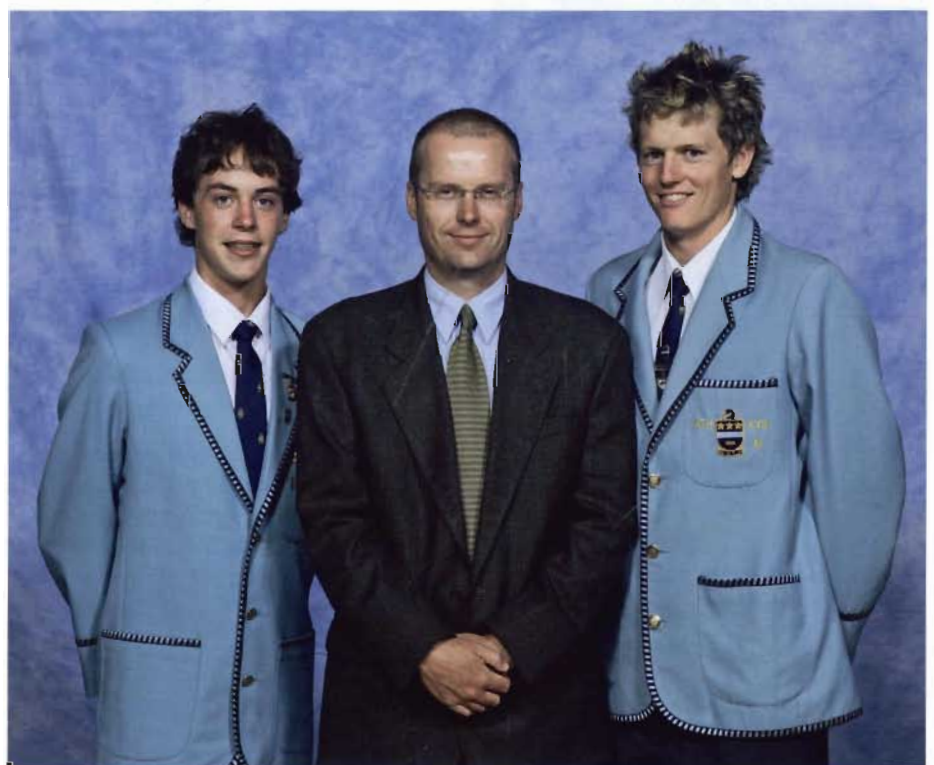
YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Darryn Sherry, Lloyd Mellor, Robert Hughes, Jamil Lakhani, Stuart Law, Robert Martin, Grant Adendorff, David Sattler
Middle Row: Matthew Arnold, Gary Lazorov, Felix Ellis, Dhamon Kalamaras, Mr G Roberts, Joshua Borrill, Jimmy Tran, Julian Dilizia, Christopher Lyche
Front Row: Sean Tonkin, Shovan Rath, Mark Kidson, Bryan Meyer, Cale Morton, Aidan Ashwin, Corey Turner, Hsien Ern Tan

2007 marks the third year since the formation of Loton House (or 'trolley boys' to quote Shovan Rath and Bryan Meyer), a House whose foundations have been built on the boys' commitment and endeavour. Loton began the year led by House Captain Bryan Meyer, with the support of Mr Roberts (Head of House) and Mr Young (Assistant to the Head of House). Loton's performance in 2006 was consistent but, 2007 promised to be of a different calibre.

Able led by the House prefects, Loton's attack in the summer sports was well rewarded. Loton contested final rounds in tennis, basketball and ultimate frisbee (the latter replaced rowing). Of these three sports, the tennis players claimed the Haswell Cup with a victory over Wilson House, a remarkable achievement against a traditionally strong team. Ultimate frisbee and basketball finished in second place. There were also some promising performances from the junior and senior volleyball teams. They, along with the baseball team, placed third.

Equally noteworthy was the performance of the juniors in the swimming carnival. The Year 8s finished first in the backstroke relay, a close



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS

(l to r): Bryan Meyer, Mr G Roberts, Cale Morton

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YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Denis Dwiputra, Adam Olsen, Matt Griffiths, Blair Hurley, Marcus Giacci, Alexis Hall
Middle Row: Nicholas Jones, Christopher Martin, Byron Jameson, Thomas Bartlett, James Leonard, Mitchell Wansbrough, Lindsay Ellis
Front Row: Alexander Tull, Nathaniel Cross, Amar Bhuva, Siddharth Jain, Vinh-Nghi Ngo, John Hodge, Nishant Anandan



second in the freestyle and third overall. This performance was matched by the Year 12s, who came first in breaststroke and third in Medley relays, placing second overall. Loton House completed the carnival in seventh place, only 14 points behind Haynes.

2007 winter House sport teams achieved some mixed results. Football is a sport that requires players to remain physically fit and despite injuries to useful players, Cale Morton (Yr 12) and Alexis Hall (Yr 11), Loton's team was consistent. The senior footballers finished fifth overall, thanks to Mr Young's enthusiasm and commitment. The junior soccer team excelled, losing to Parry by only one goal. Loton's hockey team came fourth while the walla rugby players finished fifth.

Cross country has always been a challenging activity for the boys in Loton House. This year's key performers were Byron Dillon (Yr 8) who placed fourth overall and first for Loton, and Jack Reddrop (Yr 9) who finished ninth overall. Year 10 brothers, James and Nathan Levien ran across the line eighth and eleventh and respectively. The senior boys' performance was outstanding. Year 11s Adam Olsen finished tenth, Mitchell Wansbrough thirteenth and Nicholas Jones fifteenth. Year 12s Cale Morton ran second, Lloyd Mellor fourth, David Sattler sixth, Grant Adendorff fourteenth and Dhamon

Kalamaras sixteenth. Overall the Loton's Year 12s succeeded in gaining third place in a very competitive year group.

Following an excellent performance in the shuttle relays from all year groups, Loton won the inaugural Housemasters' Cup – a significant achievement for the House. It was received with the loudest cheer of the day. House athletics is always an enjoyable day for all and at this year's carnival, Mr Young organised a sausage sizzle at which over \$1000 was raised for the House charity.

With the House Arts Cup looming, Loton avoided a re-occurrence of last year's House choir performance. Hsien Ern Tan took the reins and steered Loton in a different direction with *Don't Look Back In Anger*, by *Qasis*. This was a song all of the boys enjoyed singing. However, even with a significant improvement on last year's performance, Loton's choir was overlooked by the judges and only placed ninth. The musical talent of David Sattler, Bryan Meyer and Shaun Marnewick ensured an awesome performance of *Green Day's*, *When I Come Around* and earned the group fourth place. Loton's creative senior artists were awarded seventh place and the juniors' cane sculpture was placed fifth. This was an improvement on previous years' performances and a credit to the Year 12s who worked as a team.



Debating was yet again one of Loton's strengths. State debater Felix Ellis and his partners in crime Hserrn Ern Tan and Shovan Rath demolished the competition with some fantastic debates and as a result, Loton came third in the Interhouse debating competition.

Loton has developed significantly since its formation in 2005, and this year's Year 12s have built upon the foundations made in 2006. Bryan and the Loton prefects, Mr Roberts and Mr Young have made a positive impact. We wish Loton's Year 12s all the best – they have left big shoes to fill!



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Andrew Burton, Jordan Hurley, Liam Bennett-Menezes, Rowan Ashwin, Jay Therry-Lim

Middle Row: George Eastwood, Nathaniel Gardiner, Nathan Levien, Tom Jenkins, James Levien, Shaun Marnewick

Front Row: Daniel Ngo, Alexander Dilizia, D'Arcy Ellis, David Vindin, Jarryd Gardner, Chester Gherbaz, Elliott Panos

Absent: Renier Blignaut



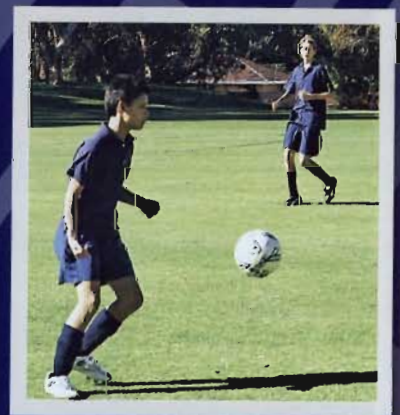
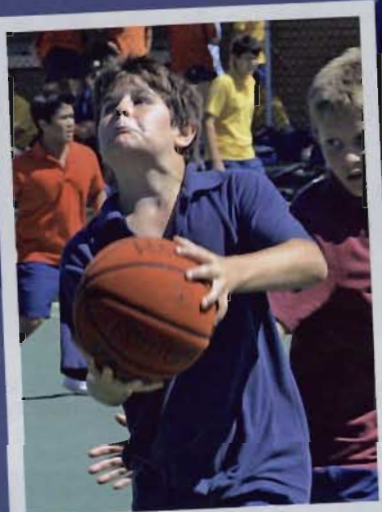
YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Tavis Bennett-Menezes, Matthew Ng, Alexander Lyche, Jack Reddrop, Harry Tzaikos, Christopher Blignaut

Middle Row: Kittu Varma, Joseph Norrish, Timothy Marsh, Michael Gorecki, Andrew Gorter, Samuel Jameson, Daniel Curtin, Mr B Young

Front Row: Eugene Teo, Elliott Turner, Callan Adler, Nicholas Adamek, Vanne Demiris, Edward Butler, Angus Watson





P A R R Y

*Named after Dr Henry Hutton Parry, Bishop of Perth,
Chairman and benefactor of the School*

Parry



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Michael Kallis, Andy Abadi Ghadim, Julian Su, Hamish McCormack, Andrew Sutton, Robert Mead, Nathaniel Smith

Middle Row: Nico West, Raymond Pritchard, Joshua Thomson, Benjamin Hogan, Keng Goh, Luke Slater, Liam Hussey, Mr A Woods

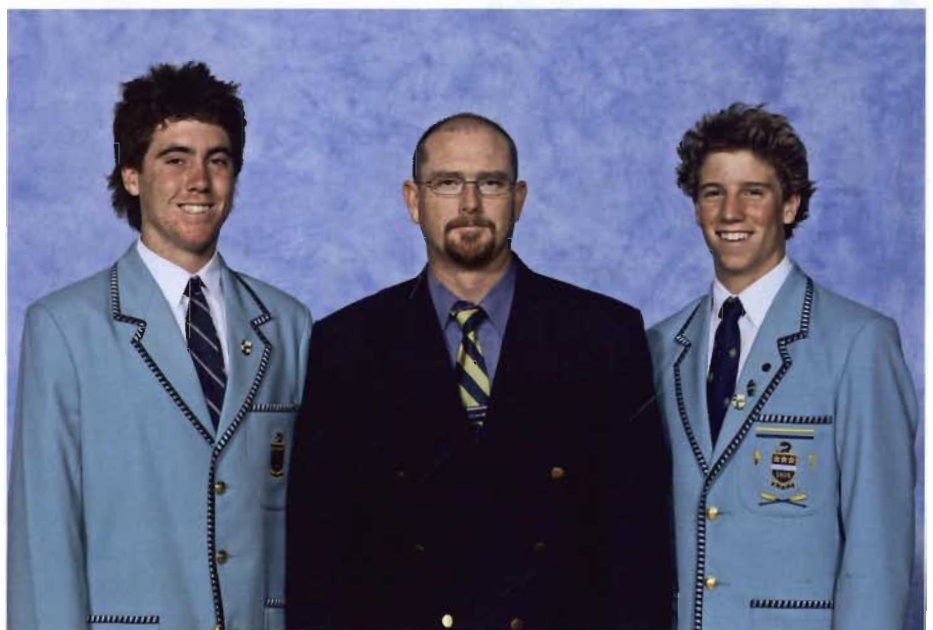
Front Row: Matthew Cockcroft, Adrian Goh, Joshua Coleman, Eamonn Lourey, Timothy Widdicombe, Timothy Anderson, Jordan Yoxall, Iain van der Post

Absent: Nicholas Davies

As summer House sport began, all boys eagerly anticipated the introduction of the new sport of ultimate frisbee and wondered how the Year 8s would perform in their first season.

Coming into the first round, Parry was full of confidence, as many of the boys had earned places in the top PSA teams across the sporting codes. However, a major disappointment for Parry this year was the dropping of rowing as a House sport. With a House full of first class rowers, including the Captain of Boats, Tim Widdicombe, Parry was hoping for a highly successful year, unfortunately this was not to be.

The first round matchup against Faulkner was always going to be tough, but a well-rounded Parry outfit ensured that the competition on the day was tight and intense. When the results from all of the matches were tallied, the two Houses could not be split, so the honours were shared between the two major Cock House Cup contenders.



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS

(l to r): Eamonn Lourey, Mr A Woods, Timothy Widdicombe

parry



YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Michael Heyns, Stephen Sherring, David Clarke, Lucien Fischer, Luke McCracken, William McGeehan

Middle Row: Fraser Beattie, Andrew Todd, Lloyd Roberts, Andrew Ball, Nicholas Teichman, Lee Ginbey, David Kiel

Front Row: Enura de Silva, Matthew Mason, Thomas Smith, Daniel Thompson, Joshua Hall, Geoffery Tan, Jonathan Cockcroft

Absent: Raphy Abadi Ghadim

As the season progressed, Parry began to flex its muscles with dominant performances in basketball, cricket, volleyball and frisbee. Great depth was shown from the Parry juniors especially in the areas of basketball and cricket. Junior basketball enjoyed star

performances from Matt 'M-Tag' Taggart and Brendan Lim. The Parry cricket side has a promising future with the likes of Jack Bradshaw, Emerson Walker, Sam March and Jordan Aitken, all of whom performed strongly throughout the season and won a place in the Hale 1st XI in Term 4.

The Interhouse swimming carnival took place in Week 6. Despite a concerted effort from all boys, Parry finished in a disappointing ninth place. Leading into the last round of summer House sport against Loton, all Parry teams were in a position where a win would put them into a good place for a final's berth but a loss, would in most cases, relegate them to the bottom of their pool. The boys put in a strong performance. However, with a total of only four of nine finals won, many opportunities were missed in a chance to extend our lead for the Cock House Cup.

At the conclusion of Term 1 the next challenge for Parry's senior students was the theatre sports night. Throughout the summer, the boys in this team could be seen leaving matches early to attend training sessions in a bid to win this competition. The effort made by all of the boys was suitably recompensed when Andrew Sutton and his team were awarded first place overall.

At this point in time, Parry House was at the top of the Cock House Cup leader board



by the slimmest of margins over a highly competitive and fierce Wilson House outfit. It was a great result after a sustained effort from all boys in the House.

Under the guidance of sports' captain, Eamonn Lourey and with Mr Woods' constant search for just that little bit extra effort from everyone, Parry House presented some of the most competitive teams during the winter season. Special mention goes to the badminton team and the junior soccer team, both of which completed the season undefeated. At the end of the competition, Parry's consistency was evident when the worst result recorded was a seventh place. Nevertheless, in the final tally, Parry had conceded the lead in the Cock House competition to Wilson.

As with the Interhouse swimming carnival, the House cross country proved to be Parry House's 'Achilles' heel and all that could be managed was an eighth place finish. Outstanding performances came from David Marshall and Fraser Hall who placed third and fourth respectively in the Year 9 race. Nevertheless, Parry can't be faulted for its enthusiasm as only six boys were unable to run on the day.

The last event in the Cock House competition was the Interhouse athletics carnival. All that was needed was a victory for Parry and an unlikely fifth placing for Wilson House for the Cock House Cup's return to the Parry House trophy cabinet. At the end of the day,



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parry's athletes finished third overall. A final position of second place in the Cock House competition was evidence of Parry's consistent sporting performance throughout the year.

Attention was then focussed on the House Arts Cup. Under the baton of Ben Hogan, the choir sang the classic, *Stand by Me* by Ben E King. The House band chose an old Beatles' song, *Back in the USSR*. However, despite fine performances and positive comments from staff and students alike, results did not go Parry's way. The choir placed fifth and the band placed eighth. The highlight of the day was the junior art team, led by Fraser Hall. It won the sculpture competition with its giant mouse crafted out of bamboo sticks and masking tape.

The final House event for the year was the junior theatre sports night. With high hopes riding on their shoulders, an enormous effort was needed from the junior boys.

They did not disappoint. Their top performance ensured that Parry retained the Theatre Sports trophy that it had won in 2006.

All boys thank the Year 12s for their leadership and for making 2007 a year to remember. Placing second in the Cock House Cup, third in the Arts Cup and winning the Theatre Sports trophy were satisfactory reward for the effort exerted by all members of the House. Special thanks go to Mr Woods and Mr Outtrim who made sure that the House ran like clockwork.

Bring on 2008 and, hopefully, another good year for Parry!

Joshua Hall



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Mi Lam, S Khor, S Marsh, J Aitken, R Chapple, L Campbell

Middle Row: C Beecroft-Stewart, J Smith, J Bradshaw, E Walker, J Bamford, M Neale, J Tan

Front Row: J Oldham, A Oliver, A Fourie, N Bowes, S Abbott, V Shah

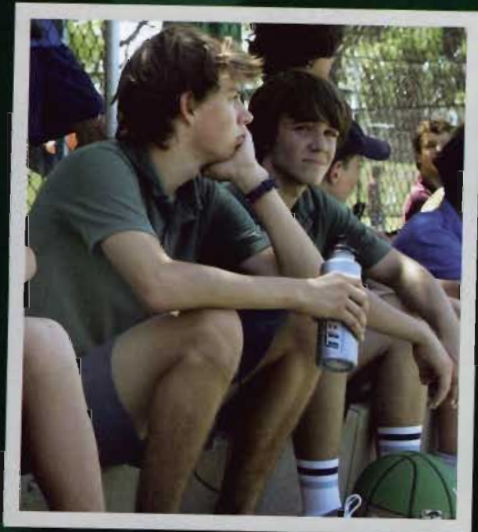


YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): D Marshall, M Heyns, M Home, D Chu, M Barham, C Lourey

Middle Row: ZPaul, P Anderson, M Kailis, M Taggart, R Waters, L Saare, G Papathanassiou

Front Row: F Hall, A Marjoram, J Tan, BCourtis, K Edwards, D van der Post



R I L E Y

Named after the Riley family, Old Boys and benefactors of the School

Riley



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Corey York, Peter Kopinsky, Sean Syddall, Lachlan Malloch-Smith, Cameron Robinson, Rino Saint, Patrick Donnelly
Middle Row: Tryan Christos, Thomas Van Grootel, Hong-Rui Lee, Dylan Stokes, Trent Grgich, Alistair Smail, Jeffrey Effendi, Guy Cockcroft
Front Row: Philip Wijesinghe, Keir Arney, Matthew Riley, Mrs H Gray, Sean Cowley, Simon Croft, Wesley Pendlebury

'Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success.' To be a part of, to really be a part of a House like Riley, is like having family at school. 2007 held many surprises, numerous victories, some disappointment and even a few goodbyes.

It seemed that many of the Riley boys had been in the pool, swimming laps over the Christmas break because when the House swimming carnival occurred in Term 1, Riley was ready to take on the world. All events at the carnival are relays, and the depth of Riley's team was evident from the start when the Year 8 boys achieved an overall fourth placing. The highlights of the day were the first place in the medley relay and the overall first place attained by the Year 11 group. At the conclusion of the day, Riley finished in third place. Next year Riley has high expectations of the younger members of the House. Congratulations to the boys who went on to represent the School in the PSA Interschool Swimming competition at Challenge Stadium.



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

(l to r): Patrick Donnelly, Trent Grgich, Rino Saint, Matthew Riley, Mrs H Gray, Sean Cowley, Simon Croft, Corey York

riley



YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Benjamin Mills, Daryl Mitchell, James Helliwell, Jeremy Hart, Gareth Begg, Niall Virgo, Tristan Ashford

Middle Row: James Dorrington, Harrison Marsh, Nils Stüben, Bennett Lovelady, Alexander Vickery, Andrew Johnstone, Harris Ntoumenopoulos, Todd Lewis

Front Row: James van Rooyen, Jack Taylor, Thomas Lovelady, Timothy Mackie, Jack Payne, Aki Kobayashi, Jared Yapp

Swimming laps in the pool was far from all that Term 1 had to offer. Following a House barbeque, summer sport began in earnest. Long hot afternoons in the sun were always something to help break up the intense, non-stop weeks. Riley finished the season with mixed results.

There were many highlights, none more so than the junior volleyball team that 'spiked' anyone in its path. Volleyball is very team orientated, so to see the younger boys work together and destroy all opposition was a very positive result! Special mention is made

of the cricketers, who willingly gave up their Wednesday afternoons to stand out on the pitch until 4:30pm. Our cricket team lost a few tight battles to finish in sixth place. Jack Payne (Yr 11) took an unofficial record of 10 wickets in one game! Congratulations to the tennis team for finishing the season among the top five Houses. The final results did not reflect the character, determination and effort that every boy made each week.

Some aspects of House life are not recognised with a trophy or a shield. The House charity falls into this category and this year Riley

raised a total of \$3,500 from the sale of small bears and other merchandise for the Cancer Foundation to assist in research and treatment.

Winter sport gave the boys the opportunity to improve on their summer sport results. For some, little help was needed, as the touch rugby team notched up an undefeated season helped by a number of 1st XV players. Led by Sean Cowley and Simon Croft, the team remained disciplined and focused on playing one game at a time and won the contest. Plagued by injury, the footballers struggled through the season and were on the receiving end of some large defeats. Despite this, they managed to play better towards the end and finally taste victory. The final had them in a battle for fifth place, but on the day, St George proved too strong. In both badminton and squash the Riley boys displayed great courage week after week and finished in fifth and sixth positions respectively.

Term 3, Week 2 was time for the House cross country and Riley returned some good results. These included a sixth place finish from Liam O'Shea (Yr 8), a thirteenth place from James Payne (Yr 9) and a twelfth place finish from Todd Lewis (Yr 11). Unfortunately, the overall House performance was not as solid and Riley finished last.

Riley rehearsed hard during the first weeks of Term 3 in preparation for their Arts Cup day performance of *Run to Paradise* by the Choirboys. Riley's band finished fifth with Alex Vickery, Sean Cowley, Rino Saint, Matt Riley and Thomas Van Grootel playing and singing well. Unfortunately our seventh place finish in the choral competition was disappointing after our success over the past eight years. Junior theatre sports and art had positive results, both were awarded third place in their events. All up, Riley achieved sixth place and Mrs Gray was still smiling.

In Term 3 House athletics takes place and boys always look forward to this day, not only because of the range of events in which they can be involved, but also because it is a daylong competition. Riley finished in seventh place, defeating former champions Faulkner and Havelock, as well as coming to within twenty points of a top four finish. Special mention is made of the Year 9 cohort whose fifth placing was the best in the year-by-year final tallies.

Riley's individual stars who contributed to the life of the School included musicians Jeremy Huynh and Alex Vickery. Alex's efforts throughout his four years at Hale were rewarded when he was named Vice-Captain



of Music for 2008. At the final assembly the following Year 12s were awarded prizes for their academic achievements: Guy Cockcroft the Engineering Studies prize, artist Wes Pendlebury the Art prize, Corey York the Drama and Modelling with Mathematics prizes, and Hong-Rui Lee, the Graphics Technology prize.

Riley House members agree that the leaders of 2007 did a stellar job ensuring the smooth running of the House. Captain Matt Riley provided great leadership both in meetings and on the sports field, while Vice-Captains Sean Cowley and Simon Croft gave him enthusiastic support throughout the year. We wish the Year 12s well as they move onto the next phase of their lives, and are confident that the 2008 leaders during Hale's 150th year will assume the mantle with similar grace and composure.

We take this opportunity to thank Mrs Pearce, Riley's Assistant to the Head of House, for the past two years. Her contribution to every aspect of the House has been huge. It will be sad to see her go, but we wish her all the best in her new Head of Department role. Once again, Mrs Gray was just awesome as Head of House, and words are inadequate to describe the hours of care she puts in for us. We know that all the boys appreciate her efforts immensely. We look forward to everything that 2008 will bring, and are determined to put Riley back among the top four Houses.

Ben Mills and James Helliwell



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Matthew Walkemeyer, Avery Au, Campbell Barker, Dale Henderson, Alexander White, Riley Pearce, Harris Baxter-Green

Middle Row: Glenn Langridge, James Donnelly, William McHarrie, Keshav Vagjiani, Christopher Armstrong, Daniel Dixon, Alexander Ninkov, Divij Vijayakumar

Front Row: Jeremy Huynh, William Parkes, Adrian Moltoni, Declan Tabart, Michael Gunson, Matthew Callaghan, Evan Cameron, Jonathan Van Buren

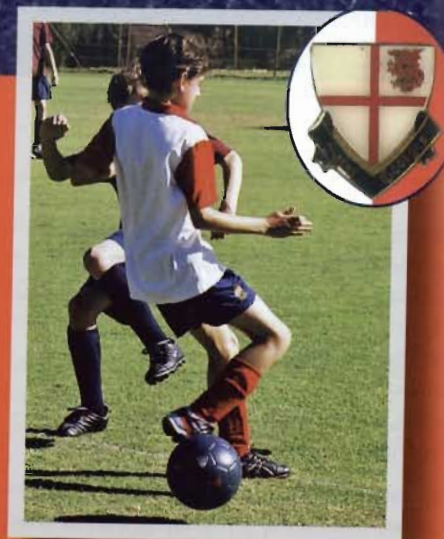


YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Harrison Nayler, Samuel Fong, James Bradbury, Michael Stevens, Alastair Parker

Middle Row: Lawrence Lee, Saagar Shah, Nicholas Cook, Lucas Ntoumenopoulos, Jack Schumacher, Mrs S Pearce

Front Row: James Payne, Andrew Pritchard, Michael Bass, Benjamin Doig, Reagan Leung, Jasper Dean



ST GEORGE'S

Named after St George's Terrace, site of the School (1858 - 1884)

St George's



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): James Birnie, Danish Khan, Nicholas Wilkinson, Andrew MacNiven, Duncan Farmer, Ryan Hammersley, David McManus

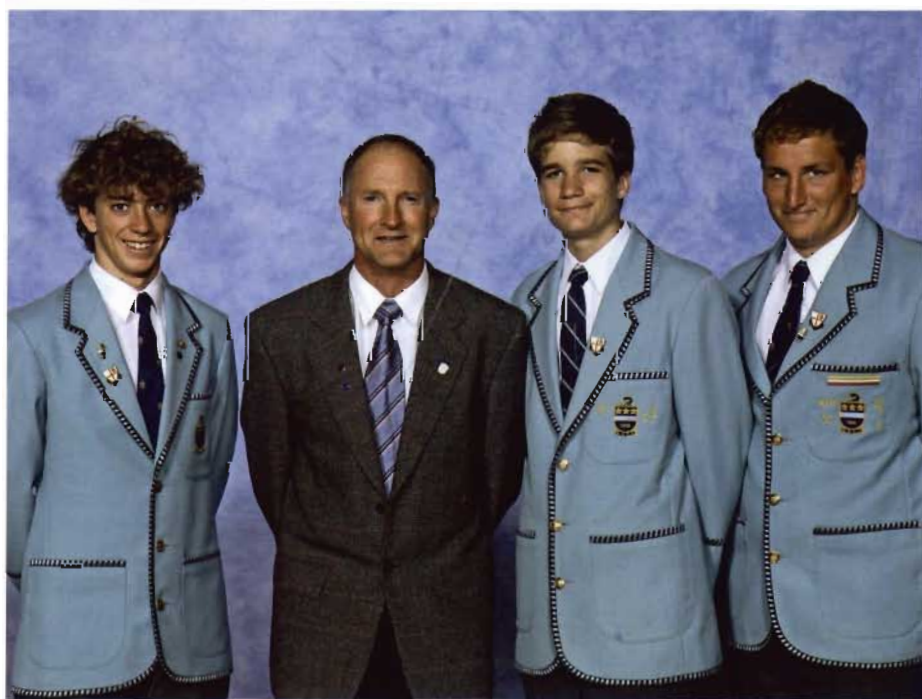
Middle Row: Sean Muir, Jonathan Shield, Andrew Cameron, Gus Lawson, Daniel Dougherty, Michael Hagemann, Michael Kyron, Mr D Alderson

Front Row: Robert Thomson, Thomas Sullivan, Luke Aleksandrow, James Lewin, Toby Simmer-Knight, Daniel Henderson, David Kaye, A J McDonald

2007 began with the traditional enthusiasm and optimism from the Year 12 boys, who wanted to make their final year busy and unforgettable. Led by House Captain James Lewin, all senior boys were leaders in their respective sports and activities, creating a cooperative and productive environment.

Interhouse swimming was the first hurdle for St George and although not all boys were able to swim due to number restrictions, they started the year in fine style by placing fourth. Individual efforts from Year 12 swim team members Daniel Henderson and James Lewin were much appreciated and it was pleasing to see many good relay results towards the end of the day.

Traditionally St George's performs well in the summer sport competition and 2007 was no exception. The senior volleyball players took out first place, softball and baseball teams placed second, and the basketball squad finished equal third, ensuring that the Sholl Cup was once again housed in Mr Alderson's office. Although many Year 12s were members of these winning teams, they



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS

(l to r): James Lewin, Mr D Alderson, Toby Simmer-Knight, Daniel Henderson

st george's**YEAR 11**

Back Row (l to r): Elliot Langdon, Ramanan Parameswaran, Thomas Dixon, Ryan O'Sullivan, Jordan Furner, Mark Graus, Thomas Harper

Middle Row: Michael Walsh, Samuel Parker, Samuel Shipway, David Marshall, Scott Davies, Alexander Krzus, Tim Ho, Kevin Intaraprasert

Front Row: Lee Fitzmaurice, Stephen Underwood, Evan Baars, Nguyen Nguyen, Akshay Malde, Rex Bracken

were ably supported by Year 11 students, Sam Shipway (a State baseball representative), and Mark Graus and Ryan O'Sullivan, (two 1st V basketballers). St George's tennis has not enjoyed much success in recent years. However, special mention is made of Toby Simmer-Knight who organised the boys for all fixtures and has enthusiastically served the St George's tennis team for five years. Junior basketball followed the same fate as tennis and achieved tenth place for the season. It



was an inexperienced, yet keen team, guided by senior basketballers Michael Kyron and Gus Lawson. Junior volleyball was similarly inexperienced, but under the tutelage of Luke Aleksandrow, managed to defeat Loton and finish the competition in ninth place. Senior players David Kaye, Ryan Hammersley, AJ McDonald and Danish Khan are commended for not only playing but also organising fixtures and creating a friendly environment for the junior cricket team. The new summer sport, ultimate frisbee attracted stars from the more traditional and established sports this year and will hopefully prove to be a strong sport for St G.

St George's did not perform quite as well in the winter season, but all boys played to the best of their ability. Football was the most successful sport, finishing in fourth place. There should be greater success for the 2008 senior teams if Year 10 stars, Harry Williams and Andrew Diamond can be persuaded to play football rather than touch rugby. Hockey standouts Daniel Henderson, Luke Aleksandrow and Nicholas Wilkinson in goal, ensured that St G finish in a respectable fifth place. Squash and badminton, personal favourites of Mr Alderson, finished in fifth place in the winter competition and the soccer teams finished in seventh place. Unfortunately, touch rugby again finished

ninth, following its encounter against Faulkner. Sean Muir, 1st XV winger, was a speed machine whose efforts resulted in many of the season's tries.

Cross country, the one activity that really gets Mr Alderson passionate about participation, did not disappoint. The boys turned out in force. Consequently St George's House finished with a highly commendable joint second place to the ever strong Wilson House. James Lewin literally led the troops from the front, to take first place in the open race. Tom Sullivan finished in third place and Tom Harper (Yr 11) in fifth place.

House athletics is probably the most infamous of sporting achievements in St George's history - the House has finished tenth for the last five years. With the final standings being announced at the end of a day, a sixth placed finish was received with possibly the largest cheer to ever grace an athletics day. All boys are thanked for their determination and achievement and the hard running Year 8s are heartily congratulated for exorcising the 'Athletics Curse'.

House Arts Cup day was another opportunity for the boys of St George to show their talent. *Wish You Well* by Bernard Fanning was sung by the choir and placed fourth on the day. AJ McDonald was our enthusiastic conductor. He effectively formed a cohesive unit on the stage. James Lewin and his musicians were the biggest success for St George, coming second with a rock ballad by *The Killers*. The junior and senior artwork teams both placed eighth.

So as another year draws to a close, perhaps some of the comments from the Year 9s sum up the feelings many of us may have experienced.

Year 9 for me was...

fun and enjoyable. (*Luke Shipway*)
great fun, I learned so much and can't wait for next year. (*Alex Dixon*)

In Year 9 I learned ...

how to be more organized. (*Lucas Glauch*)
how to study effectively for tests and exams. (*Andy Lewin*)
that without friends, school would be dull. (*Paul Keong*)
NOT to pick up a water bomb on muck up day. (*Dylan Fawkes*)

The best thing about Year 9 was ...

furthering my linguistic skills in Japanese. (*Dylan Fawkes*)
sport. (*Ashley McGrath*)
cricket. (*Chris McGrath*)

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The worst thing about Year 9 was ...

Mathematics. (Alex MacNiven)
losing so many games at volleyball and
capsizing on sailing camp, in freezing waters,
at 7am, with sharks and stingrays in the water.
(Matt Forsyth)

My pastoral care group is...

good because I have made a lot of friends
within the group. (Lucas Glauch)
very friendly and easy to talk to. (Lincoln Han)

My Head of House is...

Mr Alderson. He always cheers people up.
(Chirag Sheth)
always smiling and helping people out. (Adam
Wilkinson)

In the future I hope ...

to hand all assignments and homework in on
time. (Jack Ward)

to be a much better artist and rugby player.
(Alex MacNiven)

my grades will keep up and I'll get better at
swimming. (David Laczko)

to get a good paying job outside somewhere,
not in a cramped room doing boring paper
work. (Matt Forsyth)

The boys of St George's House thank the
Year 12s whose influential leadership created
an enthusiastic and friendly environment
for 2007. We wish them all the best for
their post school careers and hope that in
2008, St George's House can reach the high
benchmark they set in 2007.

Alex Krzus



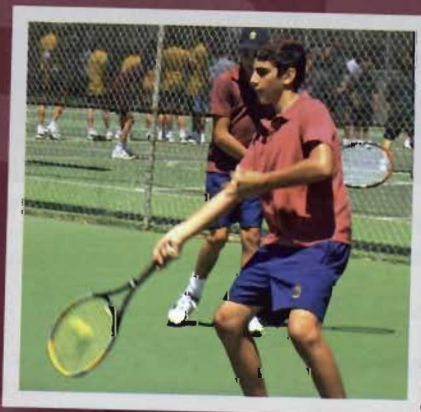
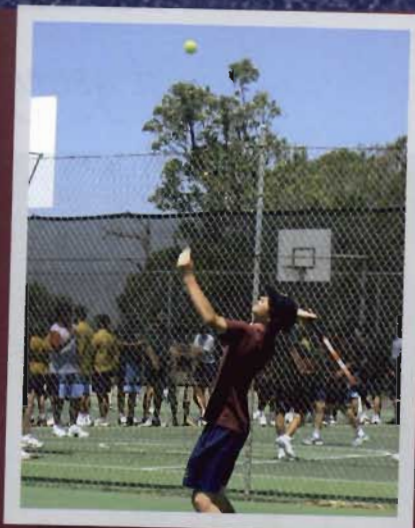
YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Kane Ward, Anton Hamp, Mitchell Askew, Harry Williams, Stuart Mack
Middle Row: Robert Dougherty, Andrew Diamond, Andrew Fitzgerald, Michael Roy, Trevor Bloking, Robert Stephenson, Marcus Graff
Front Row: Arjun Kaushik, Sean Whitehead, Nicholas Cordy-Hedge, Nathan Shaw, Michael McManus, Jack Farrell



YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Timothy Lewis, Martin Shield, Adam Wilkinson, Luke Shipway, Alex MacNiven, Lucas Glauch, Christopher McGrath
Middle Row: Mr R Brown, Andrew Lewin, Patrick O'Hara, Jack Ward, Devender Vaswani, Matthew Forsyth, Ashley McGrath, Benjamin Jones
Front Row: Paul Keong, William Chivers, Alexander Dixon, Dylan Fawkes, David Laczko, Lincoln Han, Chirag Sheth



TREGONNING

Named after Dr Ken Tregonning, Headmaster (1965 - 1988)

Tregonning

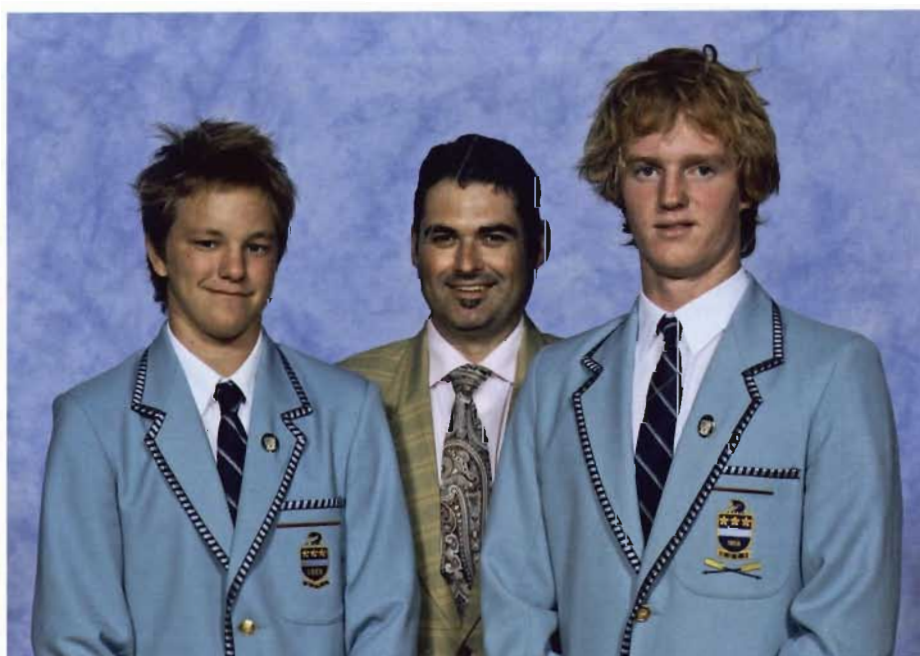


YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Christian Maruthiah, David Hardie, Ben Blakeman, Rory Collins, Michael D'Adamo, Bevan Pascoe, Nathan Freind
Middle Row: Nicholas Kommer, Michael Tombides, Lachlan Gepp, Nicholas Stewart, Daniel Chrystal, Jason Skinner, Michael Wilson
Front Row: Jack Davies, James Tuckey, Nicholas Francis, Mr T Parish, Jonathon Bremner, Bharath Iyer, Tristan Mugford

Tregonning began the year under the leadership of Nicholas Francis and Jonathon Bremner, assisted by the capable prefect team of Nathan Friend, Lachlan Gepp, David Hardie, Bharath Iyer, Jason Skinner, Nicholas Stewart, Michael Tombides and Michael Wilson. Within a matter of weeks it became evident that Tregonning House was set for a successful year in both the sporting and academic fields.

Early in Term 1, an influx of talented Year 8s added to the already formidable strength of the Tregonning swimming team and resulted in a number of victories at the Interhouse carnival. Not only did we win the GN Altorfer Cup for the winning House, Tregonning also took out the DF Poake Trophy for the best relay team and the TH Hoad Trophy for the best freestyle relay team. Tregonning has had its name on many of these trophies over the last seven years. This year's outstanding achievement heralds Tregonning's future potential. Among the many stars on the day contributing to Tregonning's success and



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS

(l to r): Nicholas Francis, Mr T Parish, Jonathon Bremner

tregonning



YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Craig Stevens, Michael Pollastri, Matthew Plumb, Rhodri Simmonds, Trent Murray, Scott Young, Yasuhito Nakajima

Middle Row: James Campbell, Sean Leath, Lachlan D'Cruz, Geoffrey Van Eden, Robert Harvey, Christopher Hardie, Zachary Girando, Elliott Friebe

Front Row: Marcus Pallotta, Thomas Zaunmayr, Benjamin King, Royce Dawson, Nihar Jha, Aidan Price

ensuring Mr Parish's celebratory dunking, were Ben Enright, Harry Garland, Scott Young, Michael Pollastri and Jason Skinner.

Tregonning had a strong start to the summer sport season. As in the past, we featured strongly in the cricket and tennis, and the House basketball led by Nathan Friend, guaranteed that the Basketball Cup was an addition to the Tregonning trophy cabinet.

House cross country was a strong points earner for the House and Tregonning finished eighth overall. Outstanding performances included an eighth place by Nathaniel Francis (Yr 8); Year 9s James Milligan and Mitchell Towns finished twelfth and fourteenth respectively; Samuel Mc Entee, Nicholas Bremner, Harry Garland and Andrew Xydas finished first, second, fourth and fourteenth

in the Year 10 category. Aidan Price, Rhodri Simmonds, Ben King, Scott Young and Michael Pollastri finished first, fifth, sixth, ninth and sixteenth respectively in Year 11 and Dan Chrystal (Yr 12) finished twenty-third in the open race. Tregonning's overall position in the cross country was marred by a number of absences which ultimately lost points for the House. This is an area of commitment that can be improved upon in the coming years.

The House athletics carnival in Term 3 was one day that many boys were anticipating.

Tregonning finished fourth overall and every boy, from the Year 8s in their first senior athletics carnival, through to the Year 12s in their last, tried his best. Outstanding performances came from Robert Harvey who won the Year 11 high jump with a jump of 1.90m, Michael Pollastri who won the Year 11 400m and the unstoppable Yasu Nakajima who won the Year 11 100 and 200m races. Year 12 Rory Collins performed strongly, both in the final relay, and his high jump event. Many of the boys who excelled at athletics at the Interhouse level went on to represent Hale at the PSA Athletics Carnival and repeat their feats.

Tregonning boys did their best across a wide range of sports in the winter season. The highlight was the winning of the Vince D'Adamo Cup for soccer for the third consecutive year. Namesake Michael D'Adamo leaves knowing that he and his team mates have set a record in the competition for the number of consecutive wins. A fourth placing in football is indicative of the potential in the



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House. Tregonning finished fourth overall in the Cock House Cup and boys can be proud that they have retained Tregonning's place among the top five Houses for the seventh year in a row.

Tregonning scored extremely well in the House Arts Cup this year with many a stellar performance in theatre sports and in art. Zachary Girando, James Tuckey and Tristan Mugford captivated audiences in theatre sports, while the creativity of the junior artwork team led by James Harvey, produced a magnificent 'flying ship' which was judged runner-up. The highlight of Arts Cup day was the House band performing *Take Me Out* by Franz Ferdinand. The boys finished a credible third and featured David Hardie, Jason Skinner, Michael D'Adamo and Christian Maruthiah. The band was invited to play at the Valedictory evening.

Chess and debating were areas of strength and the boys in Tregonning will not quickly forget the debates witnessed throughout the year in which the likes of Bharath Iyer, Oliver O'Neill, Nihar Jha and Lachlan Gepp battled against the talent from the other Houses. The chess team fought a close competition to win the House Chess Trophy, last in the trophy cabinet in 2005.

In terms of academic and co-curricular achievement special mention goes to the boys in Year 12 who were awarded prizes for their significant contributions and results in either sport or academia. Nicholas Kommer won the Brandenburg Trophy for Football, Dan Chrystal won the Ian Biddle Trophy for Hockey, Michael Wilson won the Human Biology Prize and Bharath Iyer won the Chemistry, Applicable Mathematics, Ednie Browne Calculus prize as well as the English 3A/3B prize. Bharath Iyer was known to many as a very high academic achiever and was awarded academic colours for his results in Year 11. Bharath was named Dux of Hale School and we congratulate him on this outstanding achievement.

During Term 3 Mr O'Garr went on long service leave and Mr Piggott replaced him as Assistant to the Head of House, in charge of the Year 8 and 9 boys. All boys have had a memorable year to reflect upon. The ongoing success of the House is due to the effort and achievement of everyone participating in all areas of its life. If all boys maintain the high standards set in 2007, Tregonning is bound for similar success in the years to come.

James Campbell and Marcus Pallotta



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Aditya Eranki, Samuel McEntee, Nicholas Wilson, Harry Garland, Oliver Williamson, Gareth Harwood-Nash

Middle Row: Daniel Pascoe, Jonathan Rickett, Robin Sandover, Nicholas Bremner, Jim Wu, Reece Baker

Front Row: Stephen Booth, Nicholas Chew, Oliver O'Neill, Lewis Thomas, Keegan Bignoux, Andrew Xydias, Scot Henderson

Absent: Ryan Shave

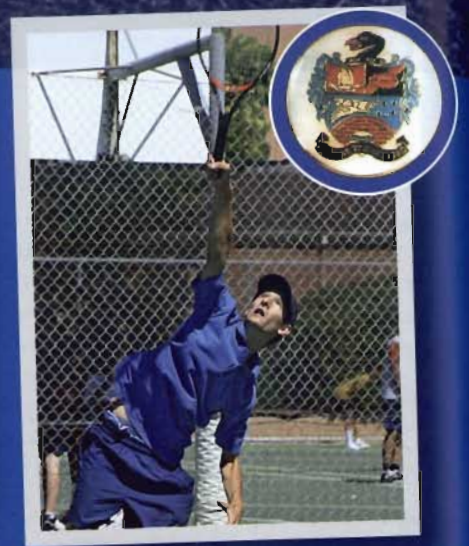


YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Joel Carter, Benjamin Enright, Joshua Armenti, Duncan Lissiman, Andrew Vieraitis, Joel Emery, Geoffrey Dunlap, James Harvey

Middle Row: Matthew Zaunmayr, Scott McCormack, Mitchell Towns, David Grierson, Harry Turnbull, Mason Hewett, Harrison Schaus, James Milligan, Drew Hemphill

Front Row: Thomas Horton, Gregg Wilson, Samuel Freind, Hugh Mugford, William Burton, Marco Bevilacqua, Mahtab Kabir



W I L S O N

Named after Mathew Wilson, Headmaster (1915 - 1929)

Wilson



YEAR 12

Back Row (l to r): Christopher Lim, Curtis Edwards, Kirk Parker, Mitchell Davies, Jamie Slarke, Todd McNeill, Theodore Cunningham, Sacheev Dodani

Front Row: Tobias Lim, Daniel Topandasani, Kilian Wiese, Mr B Grimes, Jackson Vincent, Joel Lilleyman, Matthew Duncan

Absent: William Forrester

Wilson House's campaign for the Cock House Cup began with the ever popular Interhouse swimming carnival. It is one of three whole House sporting events and Wilson was looking for a good start to the competition. There were some fantastic swims by many of the boys, but Wilson only managed to achieve eighth place.

Despite this result, the boys remained unfazed and prepared for the summer sport House games that could make up for lost points. As we approached the finals, we were in great shape to try and get positive results before heading into our favoured winter sports. Wilson made it to the finals in cricket, tennis, and ultimate frisbee, and played off for third and fourth in senior and junior volleyball, baseball and softball. The Wilson cricket team caused an almighty upset over the highly rated Faulkner side to take the Cup and bragging rights from our closest rivals. While the tennis team suffered a narrow loss against Loton, our ultimate frisbee team clinched the trophy in a 7-5 thriller against Loton.

Both the junior and senior volleyball teams lost to Loton, finishing in fourth position. The baseball team also finished fourth after yet another loss to Loton. The softball team was



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAIN

(l to r): Mr B Grimes, William Forrester

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YEAR 11

Back Row (l to r): Taylor Smith, Kyle Bailey, Marcus Bin Omar, Joshua McGee, Logan Schrum
Middle Row: Keifer Yu, Rex Fleay, Cody Fulwood, Alexander Carson, Samuel Clark, Lincoln Meeking
Front Row: Monty Graham, Paul Nunn, David Griffies, Lincoln Hands, Reece Sutherland, Luke Owen

relatively successful during the season but lost its final match against Faulkner 11-13, leaving them in fourth place overall.

Historically basketball has not been one of Wilson's strengths and this year was no different. We ended up in seventh place after defeating last year's Cock House cup winners, Havelock, by eight points. Marcus Bin Omar and Curtis Edwards excelled on the court. The junior basketball team finished the season in sixth place.

At the close of the winter sport fixtures Wilson was in a good position to mount an assault on the Cock House Cup. The senior football team went into the final somewhat unchallenged, and recorded a win against a

talented Faulkner side. Sadly, the junior side was unable to repeat this win and lost in a tight contest against Faulkner.

The hockey team also enjoyed success, defeating Havelock 4-0 in its final thanks to the Lim brothers, Matt and Chris who were influential throughout the season. Meanwhile, the squash team managed to finish a respectable third, defeating Havelock in its final match. The badminton team also finished third after defeating Buntine, and the walla rugby team finished fourth, following a loss to Havelock.

Our historically poor soccer teams continued their disappointing run, with the seniors suffering defeat to Parry in the final and

finishing eighth. Sadly, the juniors finished last despite a committed effort throughout the season and a significant improvement in their ability.

With the winter sports now over, we turned to our most successful event, the cross country. This represented another victory for Wilson, with the Years 8, 9, 10 and 12s winning their divisions and the Year 11s finishing third. The House had eight students that finished in the top five places in their division.

The final Cock House Cup event was the athletics carnival. Although enjoying a healthy lead, we needed a top four finish to secure the win for the third successive year. After leading for much of the day, the jubilant boys secured victory and the Cock House Cup again stands in the Wilson House trophy cabinet.

The House Arts Cup campaign was led by the talented Theodore Cunningham. Our House choir finished second behind Havelock, with our version of the Australia's National Anthem, sung to Jimmy Barnes' tune, *Working Class Man*, and backed by a four piece band. Our House band certainly achieved top marks for entertainment, with Theodore and Lincoln Meeking dressed as the girls from ABBA and Chris Lim and Daniel Topandansani disguised as their male counterparts. To the delight of the audience, they sang *Honey, Honey*, accompanied by dancers Curtis Edwards, Todd McNeill, Kirk Parker and Mitchell Davies and musicians Jamie Slarke (guitar), Taylor Smith (drums) and Chris Russell (keyboard). In addition to our unforgettable musical performances, points were amassed by our senior art team that finished fourth, and our junior team in seventh place.

Wilson placed a credible fifth in the House debating competition. The rotating senior team of Theodore Cunningham, Tom Taylor, George Cunningham, Lincoln Meeking, Taylor



Smith, Matt Duncan and Luke Owen, and the juniors, Ethan Schrum, Chris Carson, Michael Salmon and Luke Whitson had outstanding seasons. The number of keen young orators reveals the strength that will remain following the departure of the senior students.

The senior theatre sports teams finished in equal fourth place and the juniors were awarded second place. The boys are congratulated for their fantastic efforts that ensured fourth place overall for Wilson - our best ranking ever in this contest!

The House is very proud of Taylor Smith, who as one of three Year 11 Nulsen Haven youth patrons, did such an outstanding job raising the awareness of the difficulties encountered by people with disabilities in 2007, that he has been asked to be a youth patron again in 2008.

Finally, to those boys who leave the House at the end of the year - thank you for the way in which you have helped shape and develop Wilson for years to come, and for your contribution to the strong spirit that exists within the House. We hope that you will remember your time here with much fondness.

2007 is also the last year at the helm for Head of House, Mr Brian Grimes. After fourteen years at Hale School, seven of which have been spent in charge of Wilson, he has decided to take up a new position as the Head of Senior School at Swan Valley Anglican Community School. He has been influential in the development and success of the Wilson boys over the years. Always a committed and caring Head of House, he led us to three consecutive Cock House Cup victories and is highly respected by all students. We will miss him and wish both him and his family well in the next chapter of their lives.

Mr Ian Tredget will assume the role of Head of Wilson in 2008. He has a reputation for being a very caring and effective leader and we welcome him and his family to the Hale School boarding community.

Taylor Smith and Lincoln Meeking



YEAR 10

Back Row (l to r): Reece Bailey, Stephen Bignell, George Cunningham, Jack Jasper, Xavier Davidson, Heinrich Van der Merwe

Middle Row: Alex Newman, Lachlan Burges, Thomas Taylor, Justin Lam, Haydn Parker, Christopher Hearn, Timothy Fulwood

Front Row: Matthew Lim, Yan Huang, Dane Johns, Tyler Barnes, Joshua Hirsch, Tobey Stanley



YEAR 9

Back Row (l to r): Luke Whitson, Lee Smith, Mitchell Walker, Scott Wilson, Charles Cousins

Middle Row: Ms J Fordham, Riley Hodgson, Callen Williamson, Nicholas Griffies, Shaun Garlick, Bryne Tuckey

Front Row: Peau Chilton, Christopher Russell, Michael Salmon, Thomas Fowler, Lyle Burton, Samuel Hooper

Year 8 Pastoral Care Groups



YEAR 8.1

Back Row (l to r): Jacob Schoonens, Jack Webster, Dougal Haslam, Robert Tucker, Daniel Campbell, Cody McKiever, Jackson Simkovic, Trent Ryan

Middle Row: Rory Hindle, Scott Rudd, Ethan Reed, Joseph Havlat, Brendon Lim, Byron Dillon, James McAuliffe, Ryan Atkinson, Douglas Paterson

Front Row: Robert Dempster, Douglas Hermans, Alexander Flett, Ms M Gilchrist, Emmitt Papadimitriou, Ryan Dennis, Jesse Gherbaz

8.1

Excited, yet apprehensive, the boys in 8.1 were all very anxious to meet each other on the first day. Term 1 proved very hectic. The boys had to juggle a timetable as well as co-curricular activities, such as sport and music. It was trying for some, but by Easter most were organised and in a routine.

Term 2 began with the camp to Icy Creek Dwellingup. Many boys cooked great meals for the first time. It was a very positive experience as the boys bonded as a group and got to know each other well. The mountain biking and canoeing were the most popular activities.

Term 3 was busy with the Arts Cup and sport. Brendon Lim and Byron Dillon competed at the PSA Athletics carnival and Trent Ryan had a successful year in the cross country team. Brendon also had an outstanding year in football and Joseph Havlat excelled in the music programme. Ethan Reed was 8.1's excellent class representative this year.

In Term 4 Mr Weston introduced the inaugural PCL Cup competition which comprised various activities over four weeks. 8.1 did not win, but had fun trying! All boys can look back with satisfaction on their achievements this year.



YEAR 8.2

Back Row (l to r): James Hogan, Robert Ferritto, Mattison McGellin, Hayden Scott, Ross Haylett-Petty, Christopher Carson, Alexander Grant, Mitchell Bestry

Middle Row: Robin Chab, Shane Tate, Stephen Savage, Samuel Neilson, Seby Robinson-Arrow, Seng Fu Wen, Mitchell Smith, Shannon O'Connor, Zakary Fleisher, Mr S Lane

Front Row: Tayt Mumme, William Hofmann, Jackson Peos, Luke Burton, Simon Ogden, Zeren Wang, Jason Woollard, Zain Lakhani

8.2

Year 8 is in many ways a fresh start, accompanied by foreign rules and goal posts that seem to constantly change. The 8.2 boys were fantastic in the way they came together and adjusted to the pace and life of the School within a short period of time.

The Outdoor Education camp in Term 2 was a wonderful experience and really helped to establish strong relationships as well as providing a good opportunity for the boys to personally challenge themselves.

Sport also played a major role in the harmony of the group. All boys were very appreciative of the chance to participate in both the House and PSA competitions during the year. Many boys also took full advantage of the Music and Drama Departments to extend their own abilities and interests. The same can be said for attendances at the clubs and societies meetings throughout the year.

I'm certain that 2007 was both a challenging, but equally exciting time for all members of the group. They can be proud of their efforts and the way they adjusted to the Senior School. It will stand them in good stead for Year 9 and the demands of 2008.

Mr S Lane

year 8 pastoral care groups

8.3

This year has been a big year for pastoral care group 8.3. Having met our wonderful pastoral care leader Mrs Wallas, who is sadly leaving us, we had a very exciting year. Term 1 was our getting-to-know-you period. Mrs Wallas helped us during the year with our troubles and attended to our every need. The pastoral care group is a very reliable system which helped us fit in to school.

Camp was really fun for 8.3. The funniest event was Khang's massive bike stack. Our camp activities were mountain biking, cooking and team games. It brought us all together and we found it fun. Our camp leader was Mr Murray (Muzza) Curran.

Term 3 was a fun, challenging term. We had many fun activities including the sports day with St Mary's on Brine 1 and 2. We also competed in the House cross country.

In Term 4, a Pastoral Care Cup competition was introduced by Mr Weston and the eight student representatives. In the end, it was won by 8.5, but 8.3 put in a good effort to stop other Pastoral Care Groups from succeeding. Everyone should be proud of himself, as we had a great year.



YEAR 8.3

Back Row (l to r): Simon Dennis, Levi Della-Franca, Morgan Hughes, Isaac Tyson, Nathan Stanley, Christian Siemer, Blake Hammersley, Elliot James

Middle Row: Alistair Jardine, Keshav Nair, Michael Ogden, Andree ter Kuile, Khang Do, James Allpike, Daniel Price, Benjamin Taylor, Preston Sudlow

Front Row: Con Angelkov, Brendon McAlpine, Stewart Marshall, Aiken Lim, Harrison Wagner, Luke Frewer, Adrian Johnson

Absent: Mrs A Wallas

8.4

Year 8 has been an enjoyable but hectic rollercoaster ride for the boys of 8.4. We have greatly appreciated the help of our two Pastoral Care leaders, Ms O'Brien and Mr Will who have guided us through the year with their organisational tips. Ms O'Brien started us off in Semester 1 and Mr Will took over at the beginning of Semester 2. We sincerely thank Ms O'Brien for all her hard work, words of wisdom and guidance in those crucial first months of high school. 2007 has been extremely enjoyable and has held many memorable experiences for us. We will fondly remember the tireless efforts of the boys in the Pastoral Care Cup, the many academic challenges, the Interhouse swimming and athletics carnivals and the lunchtime table tennis championships.

Our camp featured amongst one of many highlights this year. It provided a valuable bonding experience for the group, as we struggled over many physically challenging tasks and team building activities. At the end of this introductory year to the Senior School we are all that little bit wiser, have forged closer friendships and are confidently equipped to tackle the challenges that face us next year. Roll on Year 9!

Ben Joseph



YEAR 8.4

Back Row (l to r): Riley Tonkin, Mark Longbottom, Jake Willet, Nathan Sawyer, Joshua Price, Thomas Maddison, Beau Cocking, Brodie Spryan

Middle Row: Andrew Murdoch, Ryan Nicholson, James Whitby, James Prince, Ms O'Brien, Gary Zhang, Nicholas Mozley, Daniel Liang, Brock Fowler

Front Row: Jeremy Lane, Scott Howieson, Lester Lee, Jack Quenby, Benjamin Joseph, Ian Damant, Jake Metcalfe

year 8 pastoral care groups



YEAR 8.5

Back Row (l to r): Lukas Michel, Jack Fischer, Henry Giles, Adam Birman, Joshua van Helsdingen, Ashley Blake, Zachary Montague, Haydn Bradley

Middle Row: Ryan Bothe, Ridge Shrubbsall, Evan Taylor, Clark Mei, Mr K Moir, Oliva Callisto, Thomas Bevan, Drew Murphy, Edwin Nie

Front Row: Luxem Lee, Robert Gillam, Calum Peoples, Cameron O'Brien, Hadi Shahril, Thomas Bigwood, Adam Tynas, Liam O'Shea

8.5

Mr Moir has made 2007 a memorable year for the students in 8.5. After an intimidating first few weeks, we quickly got to know each other and feel at ease and were able to avail ourselves of the many different opportunities in the Senior School.

Year 8 camp at Icy Creek was definitely a highlight of the year, replete with challenges and a cold that will never be forgotten! We found the opportunity to work together as a team enjoyable and quickly understood the meaning of friendship and the value in encouraging one's classmates.

8.5 was awarded the PCL Cup in its inaugural year with wins in floorball and chess and a second place in table tennis. Everyone did extraordinarily well in the TUG-OF-WAR competition too. The cup is now engraved and will hold a special place in our memories for many years to come.

As we reach the end of the school year and have finished our academic work, sport and co-curriculum activities, we wish to thank Mr Moir for being, in our opinion, one of the best teachers, counsellors and friends that we have had.

Adam Birman & Liam O'Shea



YEAR 8.6

Back Row (l to r): Nicholas Chapman, Mats Koelemij, Jack Young, Jack Zuvelek, Frederick Effendi, Daniel Crisp, Sebastian Ashford

Middle Row: Mr St J Kenny, Sheldon MacDonald, Callum McGlashan, Jack Murray, Christopher Morley, Timothy Rossiter, Simon Fitzpatrick, Clayton Wood

Front Row: Nat County, Ivan Lee, Joseph Hanna, Scott Anderson, Kingsley Frearson, Daniel Marshall, Robert Yeoh, Daniel Mincherton

8.6

At the start of the year there were 22 students in 8.6 and by the end of Term 3, our numbers had swelled to 24. The six boarders in our group gave the rest of us the chance to get to know boys from country WA. Our PCL, Mr Kenny, both a Hale parent and a long time teacher at school, helped us settle in quickly.

In Term 2 we enjoyed our camp at Dwellingup and found it a real bonding experience. House and Interschool sport was a highlight as there were many opportunities for all to be involved in a variety of sports.

Despite no House sports programme in Term 3 and the many tests, it was a fun term with everyone putting in 100% all the time.

Term 4 meant summer uniform and lots of work in a short period of time. We all worked hard and achieved some great results. All Year 8s were involved in the tussle for the PCG Cup. 8.6 did not win it, but we tried our best and had lots of fun.

Year 8 has been an awesome experience and we are all looking forward to an equally hectic Year 9.

Sebastian Ashford

year 8 pastoral care groups

8.7

The boys in 8.7 had a great year. They settled in well, matured and improved their results across all areas of their education. At the beginning of the year they were all a little worried about finding classrooms, cranky teachers, enormous amounts of homework and other new aspects of Senior School life. It was also extremely difficult getting used to being organised and having to use lockers. This year has flown by, leaving the boys with a number of interesting experiences, life lessons and achievements. Pastoral Care leader and maths teacher of the group, Dr Colclough, set a laid back and constructive environment in all lessons by having a set joke time and lots of group work. Class birthday parties once every term, allowed the boys to socialise and get to know each other well.

It has been an exciting and productive year for all and the boys now feel well prepared for Year 9. They adjusted well to the new environment, learning that taking any problems to Dr Colclough and sorting them out quickly and without much hassle, made life easier. They thank Dr Colclough for her patience and understanding throughout the year – it has been great!



YEAR 8.7

Back Row (l to r): Benjamin Pascoe, Thomas Head, Reo Hollick, Hayden Hinchcliff, Patrick Wilson, Nathaniel Francis, Ethan Schrum, Timothy McLeod
Middle Row: Damon Marsh, Aidan Orr, Cameron Tyncherov, Evan McInnes, Dr D Colclough, Gus O'Neill, Matthew Smith, Brian Cheung, Nicholas Hughes
Front Row: Nathan Shave, Michael Price, Liam Hughes, Louis Mitchell, Joel Burton, Thomas Elliott, Samuel Forward, Tanuj Ruhai

8.8

This year has been an enjoyable one for the boys in 8.8. When we first met on orientation day, we knew that of a new way of life had begun. Our PCL, Mr Hunt helped to facilitate the change.

During our camp experience at Icy Creek we got to know each other better as we enjoyed canoeing, cycling, team games and hiking. Mr Hunt accompanied us throughout this awesome adventure.

When Semester 1 ended, Mr Hunt returned 8.8 to Mr Weston, who had been on Long Service Leave for the first six months of the year. Mr Weston has made many changes, including providing us with table tennis equipment and organising the PCL Cup.

Semester 2 began with a barrage of assignments and PSA winter sport. Term 3, as we rapidly discovered, is the term in which you need to work the hardest to keep up with everything. Term 4 arrived and our thoughts turned to the long holidays ahead. However, this reverie was quickly shattered as we prepared for the last tests and assignments of the year.

The class of 8.8 thank Mr Hunt and Mr Weston for their care and guidance this year.

Alister Sandover & Andrew Rule



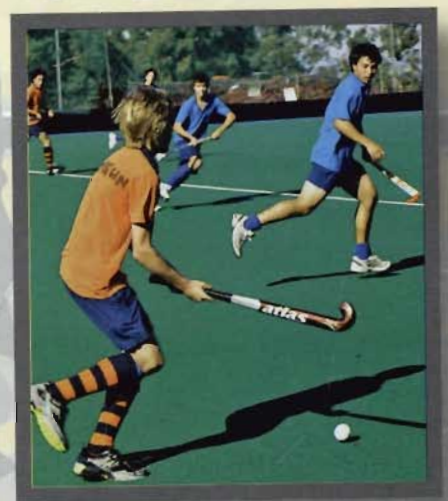
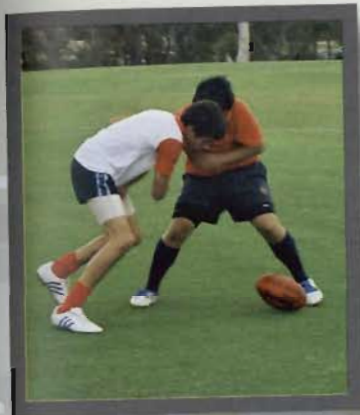
YEAR 8.8

Back Row (l to r): Riley Herbert-Taylor, William McKelvie, Tushar Bhatia, Rourke Moynihan, Mark Harwood-Nash, Andrew Rule, Teylar Begley, Ryan Huynh
Middle Row: Samuel Turnbull, Nicholas Kenner, Brett Penny, Benjamin Tapley, Mr S Hunt, Oliver Pearce, Matthew McAlpine, Dylan Bishop, Brandon Doney
Front Row: Ryan Lewis, Alister Sandover, Jeremy Ruggiero, Joshua Hills, Daven Foster, Seymoure Little, Byron Bignoux, Khang Nguyen

Summer House Sports



Winter House Sports



Cock House Cup Statistics



BASKETBALL CUP

Position	House	Points
1	TRG	25
2	PRY	21
3	BNT	18
4	FLK	15
4	LTN	15
6	HYN	12
7	WLS	10
8	STG	8
9	HVL	6
10	RLY	4

CRICKET - PARKER CUP

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	22
2	FLK	19
3	PRY	16
4	TRG	14
4	HVL	12
6	RLY	10
7	LTN	8
8	STG	6
9	HYN	4
10	BNT	2

SWIMMING - GN ALTORFER CUP

Position	House	Points
1	TRG	25
2	HVL	21
3	RLY	18
4	STG	16
5	BNT	14
6	HYN	12
7	LTN	10
8	WLS	8
9	PRY	6
10	FLK	4

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	10
2	LTN	9
3	PRY	7
4	BNT	8
4	STG	6
6	HVL	5
7	HYN	4
8	TRG	3
9	RLY	2
10	FLK	1

TENNIS - HASWELL CUP

Position	House	Points
1	LTN	10
2	WLS	9
3	FLK	8
4	BNT	7
5	HVL	6
6	RLY	5
7	HYN	4
8	TRG	3
9	PRY	2
10	STG	1

TEAM GAMES - SHOLL CUP

Position	House	Points
1	STG	60
2	PRY	50
3	WLS	42.5
4	LTN	42.5
5	HVL	35
6	FLK	30
7	TRG	25
8	RLY	20
9	BNT	12.5
10	HYN	12.5

Position	House	Points	Swimming Carnival	Sholl Cup	Basketball	Cricket	Ultimate Frisbee	Tennis	Cross Country	Football
1	WLS	258.5	8	42.5	10	22	10	9	25	40
1	PRY	221	6	50	21	16	7	2	12	30
3	FLK	205.3	4	30	15	19	1	8	19.5	35
4	TRG	199.3	25	25	25	14	3	3	9	22.5
5	STG	192	16	60	8	6	6	1	19.5	22.5
6	LTN	187.3	10	42.5	15	8	9	10	14	11
7	HVL	178.8	21	35	6	12	5	6	16	15
7	BNT	138	14	12.5	18	2	8	7	9	15
9	RLY	111	18	20	4	10	2	5	4	8
10	HYN	99.5	12	12.5	12	4	4	4	6	11

cock house cup statistics

ATHLETICS

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	60
2	FLK	50
3	PRY	45
4	TRG	40
5	LTN	35
6	STG	30
7	HVL	25
8	BNT	15
9	RLY	20
10	HYN	10

HOCKEY - BRINE CUP

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	15
2	HVL	12
3	FLK	10
4	LTN	9
5	STG	8
6	PRY	7
7	TRG	6
8	BNT	5
9	RLY	3.5
10	HYN	3.5

BADMINTON/SQUASH

Position	House	Points
1	PRY	5
2	BNT	4.5
3	WLS	4
4	HYN	3.5
5	STG	3
6	RLY	2.5
7	LTN	1.75
8	HVL	1.75
9	FLK	0.75
10	TRG	0.75

CHAMPION FOOTBALL HOUSE
AE DEVENISH CUP

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	40
2	FLK	35
3	PRY	30
4	TRG	22.5
5	STG	22.5
6	HVL	15
7	BNT	15
8	HYN	11
9	LTN	11
10	RLY	8

WALLA RUGBY

Position	House	Points
1	RLY	10
2	HYN	9
3	HVL	8
4	WLS	7
5	LTN	6
6	BNT	5
7	PRY	4
8	TRG	3
9	STG	2
10	FLK	1

CROSS COUNTRY CHALLENGE
CUP CHAMPION HOUSE

Position	House	Points
1	WLS	25
2	FLK	19.5
3	STG	19.5
4	HVL	16
5	LTN	14
6	PRY	12
7	TRG	9
8	BNT	9
9	HYN	6
10	RLY	4

VINCE D'ADAMO
CHAMPION SOCCER HOUSE

Position	House	Points
1	TRG	23
2	BNT	23
3	PRY	16
4	LTN	16
5	HVL	16
6	FLK	12
7	STG	10
8	HYN	8
9	WLS	6
10	RLY	4



Hockey	Walla Rugby	Athletics	Badminton/Squash
15	7	60	4
7	4	45	5
10	1	50	0.75
6	3	40	0.75
8	2	30	3
9	6	35	1.75
12	8	25	1.75
5	5	15	4.5
3.5	10	20	2.5
3.5	9	10	3.5

House Arts Cup







Art

Jackson Harvey
Year 12



In her opening speech at the annual Hale Student Art Exhibition, Ms Jan Stewart, CEO of Lotterywest and member of the Board of Governors, spoke of the need for creative thinkers, problem solving in the world of the future and the link between creativity and imagination in the exposition of our world. She congratulated Hale School for its commitment to a broadly based education philosophy and support of the arts, which fitted our young men for the time of unrelenting and accelerating change ahead. In the artworks on display creativity and imagination were shown to be flourishing at Hale School.

Hale has a reputation for being a wonderful environment for the liberal education and balanced development of boys thanks to the value placed on the arts and how they are delivered within the School. Both curricular and co-curricular opportunities are available for whichever artistic pursuit attracts and inspires the student. Unlike many other schools, Hale offers lower school arts subjects in full timetable sets, not as an 'option'. If a boy is studying Art in lower school, he completes five periods per week as he does in his other subjects, thus giving it value and a sense of rigour. The heart of the School beats strongly and its soul soars!

2007 was a busy year for the Art Department with the annual day camp at Curtin University providing a stimulating beginning for the upper school Art students. Students from Years 10, 11 and 12 displayed works in the Cathedral Art Awards exhibition at St George's Cathedral in July.

This year's artist-in-residence, sculptor Stuart Klipston, enhanced our focus on sculpture and as a result, each class completed at least one sculptural project. One of the highlights of our Art Exhibition was the stunning vision of the central aisle of superb sculptures produced by Mr O'Connell's Year 11 Art class.

Once again, the Year 12 students excelled in the TEE, placing Hale School in the top ten schools in the State for Art. Wesley Pendlebury's visual diary scored an amazing 99% and the raw examination marks for the top 85% of this year's cohort ranged from 91.8% to 71.9%. Congratulations to Robert Mead whose work has been selected to be exhibited in the 2008 *Perspectives* Exhibition.

Congratulations also to joint Art Committee Scholarship winners for 2008, Michael Ridley and Thomas Smith, and to Jaxsun Plumley, who was one of six Year 11 students nationwide to be awarded a National Gallery scholarship to a residential course in Canberra during the summer holiday period. It is the third time in the seven years since this scholarship's inception that a Hale School student has been selected to participate.

Mrs M Fisher,
Head of Art

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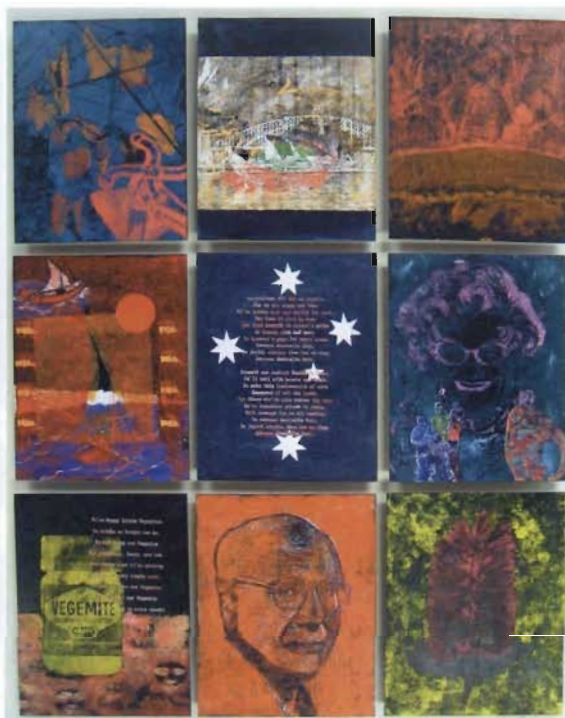
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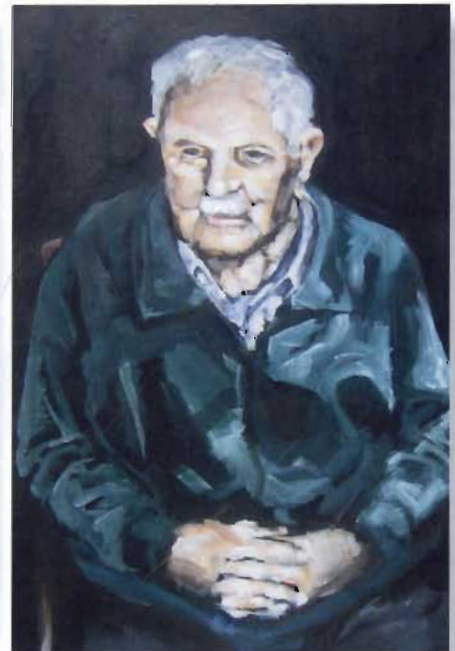
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Jackson Harvey



Jordan Yoxall



Charles Skender

Outdoor Education



EXMOUTH

In 2007 I joined the team at Hale. At the end of my first year, it is helpful to reflect on the simple questions that often come from students:

Why is it compulsory to go camping with boys I don't know?

Why is carrying and living out of a pack good for me?

What impact do I really have on the environment?

These questions are often discussed around the campfire throughout the year-long camping programme and, in many ways, the role of Outdoor Education at Hale is to help boys discover and understand the answers to them, in their own way and in their own time. The journey begins for many in Year 5 and culminates in Exmouth, the flagship programme of the Outdoor Education Department, in Year 10. The learning and search for answers, we hope, continues far beyond camp.

The following reflections and comments have been drawn from my experience with two wonderful groups of boys in Exmouth this year:

- I've never seen a sun rise like that.
- I've never seen so many shooting stars.
- I was expecting the walk across the range (Cape Range National Park) to be much harder – I actually really enjoyed it!
- That was the hardest thing I have ever done – my hands actually started to bleed!
- I didn't think I would be able to handle being dirty and not having a shower for so long.

- I miss my music so much!
- You do not realise how hard it is to be the leader when no one wants to listen!!
- Fishing is so much better when you catch things.
- I am really glad I was in this group and got to know everyone.
- It was really cool seeing your teacher in a different way and getting to know him.
- I can't believe how different I feel now. After the first day of hiking, I thought I would never make it to the end.

These types of comments provide just a snapshot of how the Exmouth experience impacts on the hearts and minds of the Year 10 students. The long term benefits, difficult to measure and hard to put into words, are often found lying beneath these simple, honest reflections and represent just the tip of the iceberg. Outdoor Education research suggests an expedition of this length (12 days) can have a significant impact on the values and attitudes that shape our behaviour. As we move towards an uncertain environmental climate, the shaping of conscious, proactive minds in the area of environmental conservation is perhaps one tangible outcome.

Essentially Outdoor Education is about living in the bush and undertaking a journey through the wilderness. The day to day challenge can be easily summarised: "Students learn to live without mobile phones, radios, i-Pods, and all the clutter of modern life...Students have to carry and cook their own food, collect water or go hungry and thirsty. They have to make their own camp at the end of a demanding day, learn the importance of remaining dry and warm at night, dig and fill in their own latrines and when they abandon their camping site in the morning, return the environment to its pristine state" (Outdoor Education Group, 2007).

The value of extended expeditions, such as Exmouth, is in providing an alternative challenging experience, an important counterbalance to the impact our modern lifestyle can have in the shaping of our values and attitudes. It is a different reality to feeling hungry and knowing that the shop or the 'fridge is close by; to adjusting the air conditioner when we feel hot or cold or to making decisions based entirely on our own personal needs.

Hale students have experienced a great variety of locations ranging from Albany,

Margaret River, Dwellingup, Kalbarri and Exmouth undertaking the joys of travelling on foot, kayak, canoe, mountain bike, sail boat or rowing boat (Dory) and learning about communal living. For sheer beauty, remoteness, variety and challenge, the Year 10 Exmouth programme delivers something for everyone.

However, the development of social life skills and resilience building cannot happen in just twelve days. It does of course take many years of carefully planned curriculum, delivering age-appropriate challenge and reflection skills to be able to realise such an outcome. I look forward to continuing the journey next year.

Tim Harley, Middle School Camp Coordinator

CLIMBING CLUB

The Outdoor Education Department continued to coordinate the Hale School Climbing Club, an informal club providing opportunities for boys of all years to try the sport of indoor rock-climbing. In many cases, this is a natural extension of the rock climbing experienced on camp in Year 9 or 10. For others, it is an opportunity to try something new and different to their usual sporting commitments and meet a different set of boys. Several senior boys made time for the club in first Semester which proves to be a fun way to spend a Friday afternoon (4-6pm).

This year, in Term 2, the club attracted twenty-seven members, ten to fifteen of whom attended on a regular basis. The variety of climbs on offer at the Hale climbing wall, one of the best purpose built walls in the State, provides instant challenge, starting on the easy walls slowly progressing up to the overhangs. The boys are taught to rig the climbs for themselves and play a hands-on role in operating the belay (safety system). Specific lessons on how to 'move in the vertical world' were also a feature of the club meetings.

In Term 4, the Outdoor Education Department launched the new Kayak Club open to senior students. With the acquisition of ten new playboat kayaks, Hale is ready to provide an opportunity not offered anywhere else. Our new fleet is the only one of its kind in WA schools.

With good access to rivers and beaches in Perth, kayaking is an increasingly popular and obvious choice of recreation. Hale Outdoor Education staff's qualified instructors and/or guides in the pursuit of kayaking and are very excited to offer this opportunity to boys and equip them with skills that may enhance their lives beyond their secondary years.

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Student Service Learning

Symbols awarded to:

S Cowley, P Donnelly, D Dougherty, M Hagemann, J Harvey,
B Hogan, H Johnston, J Lewin, C Lyche, J Payne, B Pearce,
M Riley, G Salter, T Sullivan, HE Tan, A Towler, D Vernon

Hale School's Student Service Learning programme offers students from Years 8 through to Year 12 the opportunity to be involved in voluntary work in both the local community as well as overseas.

Year 8

This year, for the first time, a group of thirty-two students visited the Gladys Newton School in Balga on Wednesday afternoons. The Gladys Newton School caters for eighty-five children aged between four and eighteen years with a range of physical and intellectual disabilities. In 2006, four of their students attended the Hale Sony Foundation Holiday Camp for Kids and this year, six of their number joined us at camp.

The boys are involved in a variety of activities with the children. These include bike riding, drama, art and craft, assisting with the visually and hearing impaired students, helping and encouraging the girls in the Health Club and entertaining the severely disabled children by talking to them and accompanying them to the Sensory Room.

Comments from those involved, taken from their reflection and evaluation questionnaire, indicate that they find this experience quite challenging, most worthwhile and very rewarding. Some of their remarks were;

'Now that I have done these activities with the people at the Gladys Newton School, I think of them as normal people, because they are.'

'I have now realised that disabled people are not that different from us.'

'I was amazed at the staff and what they did to help and what some of the disabled kids could do as well.'

'At first we were all quite scared and intimidated but, once we got to know each and every one of the kids, they were some of the best kids I have ever met! A great experience!'

'My first impression was that I am so lucky to have no disabilities. I also realised that my everyday problems were nothing compared to those faced by the students and people with disabilities.'

We are looking forward to continuing our association with the wonderful children and staff at this institution.

Year 9

Students from this group participated in a range of activities at a variety of agencies including the James Brown Anglican Home, the Mt Hawthorn Special Education Unit, Family Pathways, St Vincent de Paul and the Chrysalis Montessori School.

Year 10

On Wednesday afternoons, a small group of boys visited the Wearne Hostel in Cottesloe where they read poetry and prose, played scrabble and chess and chatted with the elderly residents.

Year 11

The older boys have the opportunity to participate in the Nulsen Haven Youth Patron programme. This programme aims to assist our students to develop a greater understanding of the needs, abilities, talents and humanity of people with disabilities.



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Year 12

Our senior students have the chance to be involved in two very exciting programmes – a trip to Vietnam and the Hale Sony Foundation Holiday Camp for Kids.

During the 'Vietnam Experience,' students volunteered their time and energy to care for children at the Christina Noble Children's Foundation in Ho Chi Minh City. Here our boys were able to meet the five children sponsored by the Hale community, including twins Duyen and Ngoc who are sponsored by the boarders in Faulkner House. They also assisted with children, many of whom are disabled, at the orphanage in Hoi An. Here the boys painted the nursery, library and dining room and added murals to the walls in the nursery and eating areas. In 2009 it is hoped that we will also visit a school and children's shelter in Cambodia through our involvement with the Ride Aid charity.

The Hale Sony Foundation Holiday Camp for Kids provides twenty-two of our senior boys with the opportunity to care for children with disabilities at a four day live in camp at Hale School.

All of these programmes are exciting, challenging and most rewarding for those students who participate in them.

Mrs J Maskiell

Student Service Learning Coordinator



Sony Camp

The annual Sony Foundation Holiday Camp for Kids in 2007 was a deeply moving experience, if not life changing, for all involved. Recently graduated students from both St Mary's Anglican Girls School and Hale School gave up four days of their holidays to volunteer their services at this camp, displaying a willingness to work for the benefit of others, the hallmark of the service learning programme. The camp seeks to give children with special needs a fun-filled holiday while giving their remarkable parents and guardians some well-earned respite. The 2007 camp was a resounding success in achieving its aims.

Sixteen St Mary's students and twenty-three Hale students came to Hale, filled with a compassionate spirit, ready to contribute in any way they could. Twenty-four of these students filled the role of personal companion. This entailed being the sole carer of an individual child, bearing the responsibility of the child's well-being on a twenty-four hour basis, a task which proved challenging to say the least. Many personal companions were sleep deprived and exhausted, while some were also faced with the difficult task of getting to know a non-verbal child. However, such irrelevant hurdles were all forgotten as each and every personal companion learned to understand their child, saw beyond their child's disability and most importantly, befriended them. Assistants also shared in

the precious bonds that were formed at the Sony Camp, providing all the personal companions with much needed assistance and some respite, feeling just as exhausted as the personal companions and interacting with the children too.

Sony Camp was just as much fun for the carers as it was for the children, as a multitude of engaging activities were organised. Many children perhaps will never again experience such activities, and the joy that lit up their faces was a sight to behold. The off-campus excursions allowed children to experience horse riding, swimming at Beatty Park and to explore the playground at Kings Park. At Hale, the children engaged in face painting, karaoke, sing-alongs, cricket, and many other sports as well as dramatic, circus and musical performances. The children were also visited by an animal farm, a police car, a fire engine, a gang of motor cyclists and by the mysterious Spiderman and Wonder Woman. There is not a more fulfilling experience than watching a child with motor-neurone disease enjoy bowling a cricket ball, or seeing the elation on the face of one child, when you sing him his favourite song, Can You Feel the Love Tonight by Elton John.

As a personal companion, the strength of the bond that I felt with my child grew with every fleeting moment of happiness, a feeling that all carers had for the children. I was

lucky enough to see a happy, engaged and intelligent person, behind the disability, seeing it as an unfortunate fact of life. As the camp concluded, we once again met the parents of the children. Each carer spoke to the families with a new found perspective on life, feeling that they had made a difference; feeling that their efforts were valued by others. Every year special children touch the hearts of all carers who are privileged to participate in Sony Camp. I encourage any boy who may be interested in service learning, to embrace the Sony Camp experience wholeheartedly.

We would like to thank Dennis Lillee, Janet Holmes à Court and the Sony Foundation for their generosity. The contribution of the School, teaching and non-teaching staff, former students and parents who helped at camp did not go unnoticed and we are all grateful for their efforts. We also thank Sister Thomas and her staff who worked tirelessly throughout the camp, keeping all participants healthy and happy. Finally, we all stand in awe of Mrs Jill Maskiell as 'the boss' of camp, the organiser, a leader, a supporter and friend and thank her sincerely for giving us this opportunity.

Edward Wang



SmARTS

Since the beginning of the year, ten Year 11 students have been involved in the University of Western Australia's extension programme, entitled **SmARTS**, which is organised by academics within the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

The Hale School students, members of a total group of ninety-four Year 11 students from thirteen metropolitan secondary schools, were organised into small groups to explore particular topics in contemporary culture including: an exploration of the Americanisation of Australia, a study of the impact of terrorism on modern life, an examination of the Australian identity, and the How and Why of Generation Y.

Hale School participants were Nishant Anandan, Byron Jameson, Michael Heyns, Simon Joseph, Binu Jayawardena, Tom Bartlett, Marcus Giacci, Christopher de Beer, Toby Dawson, and James Campbell.

The students were guided by tutors from the University of Western Australia and worked in effect like first year undergraduates producing an individual research paper, contributing to a group paper and performing in a group presentation at the university.

Much of the research and communication between group members and tutors was done online as well as in the Reid Library at UWA.

Each group, comprising up to ten students from a variety of schools, voted on the best student contributor and four of Hale School's Year 11s received this award. They were: James Campbell, Chris de Beer, Tom Bartlett and Michael Heyns. Of the nine groups, the project voted as the winner of the Academic Excellence prize was on the topic of Australian Identity and Nishant Anandan and Tom Bartlett were group members. The group project to win the Innovation prize for effective communication and sheer flair in performance on the presentation night was a survey of the Y Generation and the team included Chris de Beer and Marcus Giacci.



HALE SCHOOL UWA SmARTS TEAM

Back Row (l to r): B Jayawardena, C de Beer, S Joseph,

Middle Row: N Anandan, M Heyns, T Bartlett

Front Row: Mr DA Bean, B Jameson, J Campbell, T Dawson, M Giacci

We congratulate these students for their commitment to this academic extension programme. They gained a university-type experience while still at school and had to be extraordinarily organised to manage the demands of the **SmARTS** programme. The University of Western Australia staff running the programme complimented the boys on their enthusiasm, the quality of their ideas and the way they conducted themselves.

CareerLink

Twenty-three Hale students participated in the CareerLink Programme this year. This programme gave the boys the opportunity to complete nationally accredited training programmes in a variety of areas ranging from business to construction. They also had the chance to gain valuable work experience in a selected industry area as part of a minimum 110 hour Structured Workplace Learning course. All students impressed their Workplace Supervisors with their strong work ethic, enthusiasm and well developed skills and attained strong grades at the conclusion of the year.

Four of the CareerLink students were presented with Student of the Year awards. These awards are based on the student's progress in the training portion of the courses while at a specific Registered Training Organisation. Students were competing against the entire cohort of students from other schools enrolled in the programme.

Congratulations go to the following young men for their fine effort:

Mitchell Davis
Motor Industry Association for Automotive

Curtis Edwards
Regional Training Services for Construction

Matthew Bancroft
Central TAFE for Electrotechnology

Joel Iliffe
Central TAFE for Information Technology

Steven Hanning (Year 12, Faulkner) was nominated in Term 2 as a candidate for the VET Student of the Year in the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander category, an award offered to all students in the State across both the private and government sectors. Steven was short listed in the Top Three students in the State and after two extensive interviews came second overall, a commendable achievement.

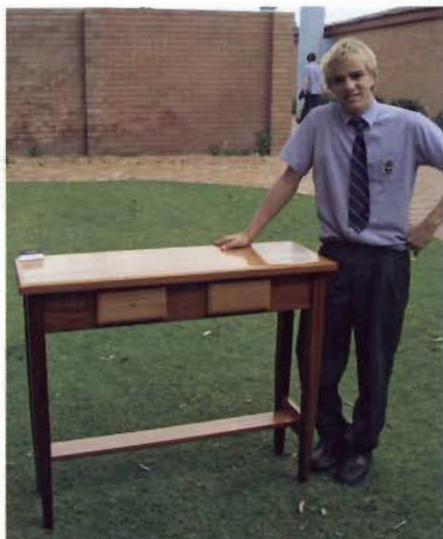
Matthew Bancroft was also awarded VET Student of the Year for the School. He received a medal and a monetary prize for his fine achievement as well as winning the prize for top student in the subject Career and Industry Awareness.

Many of the students who completed the CareerLink programme so impressed their various trainers and Workplace Learning Supervisors that they were offered apprenticeships in their different industry areas. Several of the students have accepted these and start their training in 2008.

Congratulations to all the CareerLink students for their general success, overall application and for ensuring that future Hale CareerLink students will be welcomed into workplaces and be given training opportunities based on the excellent reputation this year's students have established.

Mr T Parish
CareerLink Coordinator

Design and Technology

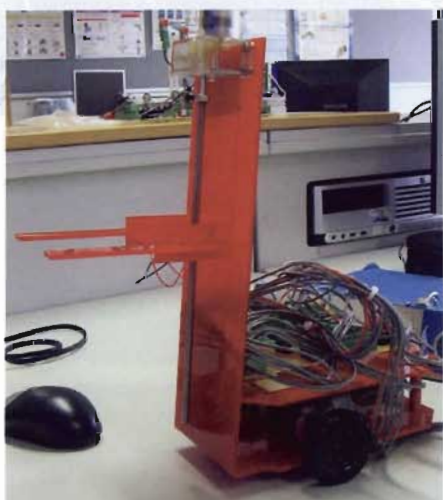


The Design and Technology students of 2007 continued the tradition of gaining recognition for their high achievements. The year started with Peter Cooper being awarded a Subject Exhibition and Taylor Harrison receiving a Certificate of Distinction in Systems Technology, making them the top two students for the subject in WA. Our Year 11 Applied Technology students made a clean sweep in the Fine Wood Working *Out of the Woods* competition gaining first (Paul Broad), second (Scott Young) and third (Sam Parker) prizes. We capped off the year with our Year 8 team from the electric vehicle club racing to second position in the Swan TAFE *eV Challenge*. Callum McGlashan, Brett Penny, Tim McLeod, Byron Bignoux and Daniel Mincherton were the participants in this competition.



The Design and Technology Department welcomed two new staff members this year, Braydon Buttler and Toby Trewin. They bring with them a good mix of knowledge and experience along with youthful enthusiasm for the subject.

The New Courses of Study continued to be a focal point this year as we make the transition from three non-TEE subjects to three new TEE courses in 2008. It has been an interesting and challenging process developing these new courses. However, the motivational factor keeping us going is the knowledge that many of our students who in the past would complete their Design and Technology experience in Year 10, now have the opportunity to continue right through to Year 12.



Well done to the staff and students of the Design and Technology Department for making 2007 another great year.

Mr H McGlashan
Head of Design and Technology

Electric Vehicle Club 2007

A strong team of keen and excited Year 8 and 9 boys gathered early in Term 1 to develop ideas and build vehicles in preparation for Hale's second year of competition in the Electric Vehicle Challenge.

In 2007 the team entered two cars in the event. The 2006 car, The Cygnets was re-fitted with a bigger motor and had the front-end reshaped to allow for improved performance. The second car entered was a new design, conceived by Year 9, Thomas Fowler. Based on a 'Chopper', the three wheel tricycle was light-weight, quick and 'cool'. The Hale-ley Davidson was constructed by the boys with

help from Mr McGlashan and Mr Lane. Both vehicles were powered by 36 volt batteries and propelled using Hub Motors spoked into the rim of the main bike wheel.

The *eV Challenge* event was held on a wet day in late October. Starting from near the back of the pack, both Hale School vehicles began the race well, quickly establishing good momentum and even lap times. As time passed, more and more teams slowed or dropped out of the race. At this point, it became apparent that the 'Hale-Ley Davidson' team was in a strong position to achieve a placing, possibly even a first. With skilful driving from the final crew member, the team came second, only two laps less than the winning team.

For the boys a second place was as good as first and celebrations were lively. Hale School entered five drivers in each of the vehicles, compared to the three used by most of the other teams. While the changeovers did cost the boys time, the option taken to give everyone a go was very rewarding and more than made up for the loss of time and possibly a higher place.

Overall, 2007 was a most successful year. The boys involved with the club learned many new skills and were able to see real results for their hard work. The enthusiasm generated has already paid dividends with many boys already involved in the design and construction of bigger and better entries for 2008.

Mr S Lane & Mr H McGlashan
Design & Technology



Chess

The year has been one of the club's most successful for some time with two strong players Matthew Arnold and Sean Gilleran as Captain and Vice Captain, together with Edwin Nie in Year 8, who is very promising and played number one.

Hale hosted two State Junior Events in 2007 and this encouraged several Hale students to gain their first experience of serious, competitive chess. Sean and Matthew, as well as Adam Tynas (Year 8) won prizes in the WA State competition, and Edwin won the Midland tournament.

Because of the lack of a strong State Schools' League this year, Hale, Christ Church and Scotch set up their own three-way tournament. This was an exciting afternoon with acute time pressure affecting the results. Christ Church won, but Hale won the first team section, with Oliver O'Neill on board 4 undefeated.

Hale won the *North of the River League*, with little opposition, apart from Christ Church. The League final was a different story, with Applecross Senior High School in crushing form once again.

At the Interschool one-day final at Perth Modern School, Hale, weakened by the absence of Year 12s, still achieved a respectable second place and allowed newcomers to the first team, Nic Bean, Paul Oliver, and Nihar Jha to gain valuable match practice.

At lunchtime, Room B4 has been a happy centre of mainly chess activity this year with a resurgence of interest in the game, especially



CHESS CLUB

Back Row (l to r): J Van Buren, N Bean, J Hargrave, L Oliver, D Vindin, N Holgate

Seated Row: A Tynas, E Nie, M Arnold, Mr R Shaw, S Gilleran, O O'Neil, S Bath

for keen new players from Year 10, who also enjoyed the two closely fought social chess evenings with Penrhos College.

The House Chess Final was once again a very close one with Tregonning defeating Buntine. Matthew Arnold won the Nigel Sonntag Individual trophy for the second consecutive year.

IO Computing Club

2007 has been a highly eventful year for the Programming group of the IO Computing Club. For the first time, Hale School students took part in three National Level Competitions over the academic year.

The first of these was the Australian Informatics Competition conducted by the Australian Mathematics Trust in association with National ICT Australia, in which John Hodge and Binu Jayawardena of Year 11 and Reagan Leung of Year 9 all achieved Credit certificates.

The Club also entered a team into the senior division of the *Australian Computer Programming Competition* hosted by the University of Southern Queensland which comprised Year 11 students John Hodge, Blair Hurley and Binu Jayawardena. The team was required to use a computer programming language of their choice to solve five tasks within a time limit of two hours. The team managed to achieve a Credit award in this competition as well.

Binu Jayawardena also took part in the *Australian Informatics Olympiad*, which is the first step in the process for selecting the Australian team for the International Olympiad in Informatics. He achieved a Bronze Award and was ranked second in WA in the Senior Division.

A small group of Year 8 boys have been using 'GameMaker' to design, develop and write their own computer games. The programming skills they develop are an important precursor to more serious programming.



COMPUTER CLUB

Back Row (l to r): J Hodge, Mr M Giles, B Hurley, B Jayawardena

The Hardware group continues to develop their knowledge of open source software and in particular building machines that run with the *Linux* operating system. The group used the computers successfully to build a small network.

A side project for the Hardware group was to build a computer that could be used as a media centre, using only open source software. After many false starts and problems, the machine got to a stage where it could receive and display free to air television. This project will continue in 2008.

Drama

What an amazing year of Performance Drama this has been! Not satisfied with the state of the art performance facilities in the John Inverarity Music and Drama Centre, the production team have created new venues around the School campus and invited audiences to witness the results of first class production and performance.

Macbeth in the Quadrangle

The year started with a real explosion as the quadrangle was transformed into a giant outdoor theatre for the spectacle that was *Macbeth*. The Scottish play demands real passion, real energy and huge commitment. All these elements were on show in abundance as the cast of sixty retold this most bloody Shakespearean story. Superb performances from our senior students certainly set the standard over the four night run. The production included a haunting and magical original soundtrack, performed by more of our dedicated students. Those who were there will not forget the terrifying ghostly apparitions, the omnipresent chorus of witches, the flames that engulfed the stage and the fireworks that marked the end of a stunning evening's entertainment.

Lost Property

This year's visiting author was James Moloney. To mark his visit, a small group of students met to create a theatre version of his novel, *Lost Property*. Rehearsals were a mix of material selection and performance discovery as we sought ways to tell this story. Decisions were made to use a minimal set and no props; the challenge was to tell the tale using just the skills of the performer. The culmination of the project was a performance to the author himself. The group performed with confidence, precision and a great deal of style. This excellent project will become an annual event.

Robin Hood in the Dining Hall

A cast of over seventy students took to the stage for an original production of *Robin Hood*. The Dining Hall was the perfect venue for this story, set as it was in the banqueting Hall of Nottingham Castle. An audience of two hundred people per night crowded around tables as the story of Robin, Marion, the evil Sherriff of Nottingham and his various henchmen was played out around them. Nobody could be sure where the next scene would pop up, sometimes even in the audience itself. A full meal was served throughout the evening, with wonderful support from willing parents. The atmosphere in the Hall was tremendous; the crowd staying long after Nottingham had received his just deserts.

The Melbourne Theatre Tour, October

The cast of last year's *Willow Pattern* production was back together for a week of theatrical mayhem as we set for Melbourne. During the week, the company performed to over a thousand students across four schools in Melbourne. The performances were a huge success – one school audience even asked to see some moments again so impressed were they with the quality of the production. But this week was about far more than simply performing to others. It was about professional drama workshops, getting stuck on the tram, touring world class theatre facilities, falling down the stairs, sharing a workshop with students from another school, eating in doughnut shops, developing friendships, sharing our thoughts and learning to appreciate ourselves and our companions.

Whilst away we also visited a range of venues and saw the work of professional performers from a range of genre; everything from

a version of *Macbeth*, performed by a cast of six with no set and minimal lighting to the multi million dollar production of *The Phantom of the Opera* at the Princess Theatre. The week included museum and exhibition visits, a trip to the zoo, a memorable afternoon at Melbourne's shrine and botanical gardens. The company also found themselves performing on the outdoor theatre at Federation Square close to midnight.

This fabulous group of young people worked their socks off and kept smiling. It was a memory making tour, a roller coaster tour. It was a privilege to share this time with such an enthusiastic and dedicated group of students.

Mr D Parker
Productions' Manager



ANIMATION CLUB

Front Row (l to r): Z Girando, C Bowden, Mr A Murphy, L McCracken, E Panos



CIRCUS CLUB



THEATRE SPORTS CLUB



TECHNICIANS' CLUB

Standing (l to r): A Wilkinson, G Van Eden, M Bancroft, A Abadi Ghadim, N Wilkinson, N Melanko, J Helliwell, L Huxtable

Seated: C McGlashan, D Mincherton, V Demiris, Mr A Arnold, O Callisto, M Neale, B Cocking

FAREWELL ADRIAN ARNOLD

Hale School has an enviable reputation for the quality of its public presentations in theatre, music and art. Most of that positive response has been generated by the clarity and layout of displays, the evocative lighting and sets for theatrical productions and the pleasant ambience and excellent sound quality at musical presentations and concerts. To attain such standards, an extraordinary level of technical skill, attention to detail, colour and design and sheer hard work are required. We, the patrons, arrive at the event and settle in to the experience mostly unaware of what has preceded it and what will follow in dismantling and moving on to the next challenge.

For sixteen years, Adrian Arnold has been the technical heart and soul of all of those events from the rambunctious School Ball, the dignified art exhibitions and the raucous sports events through to the musical soirées and brilliant theatre and he has been a driven man. Driven by his passion for balance, clarity, mood and powerful images, he has pushed himself and the rest of us to achieve standards not often experienced in a school environment. Of course he was extremely lucky that he is a renaissance man, equally at home with a band saw, brad gun, welder and paint brush, as he is with a camera, lighting board and microphone. I know of no one in the local theatre scene who has the range of skills at his command that Adrian does. I was so envious of his ability to take a packing case and turn it into a piece of Edwardian furniture in one afternoon.

His contribution goes well beyond just presentations. He also ran a technicians' club where young men who were fascinated by things that can be plugged in, could hone their skills to the point where they would run the lighting for major productions. I would often see him, seated near the console; his feet up on the wall watching with pride as his tech boys' eyes ablaze with the excitement of it all, pressed buttons and twiddled knobs that brought another world to life. Many of those lads have gone on to make significant contributions to the world of theatre, television and communications in Perth.

His most lasting and visible contribution to Hale is the John Inverarity Music and Drama Centre where many of his practical ideas were incorporated into the design that led to the creation of a building which is now considered to be the one of the best of its kind in Western Australia.

On behalf of the staff and the many parents and boys who experienced his expertise either as audience or performer, I say thank you for enriching our lives and wish him all the very best in his new position as Theatre Manager for Methodist Ladies' College.

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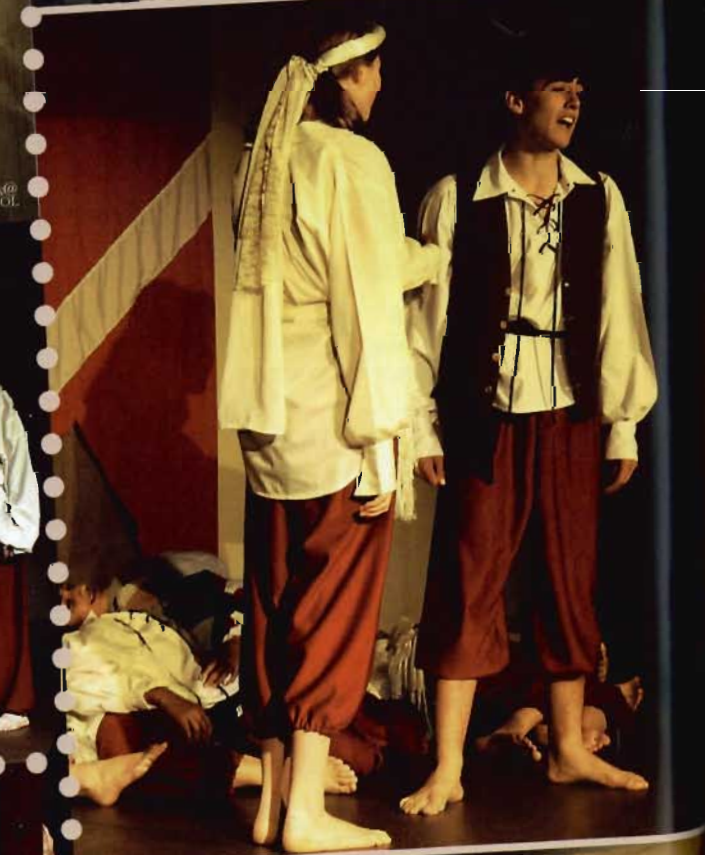
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BAD LUCK!

The short, muscular boy sat there studying, studying his heart away...

"John, go to bed," said Mr Fleming.

"Wait Dad, I can't. I've got a Physics test tomorrow," reasoned John.

"John, it's almost 3am! What are you doing? Cramming again???" Mr Fleming argued back.

"Well, how else am I meant to get good marks?" said John, questioning his Dad.

"Go to bed John!" shouted Mr Fleming, who started to flame up.

"But...", said the sleepy John.

"John, when I was at school, I studied for half an hour the night before and I got lots of A+'s and 100%'s, so you can do it too...after all, it's in your blood!" said Mr Fleming, starting to get extremely angry.

"But Dad, you have a photographic memory," John answered, trying to get his Dad off his back.

"No buts or you'll wake your mother! Now go to bed!" shouted an angry Mr Fleming.

"Yes Dad," said John, who had given in.

John flicked off his light switch, dropped onto his bed and immediately dozed off.

The next morning at 7am John woke up with a start. His Physics test! He was going to be late. It was his Dad's entire fault, he thought to himself. He had Physics first up today. He jumped off his bed and peered into his small but shiny bedroom mirror, analysing his messy brown hair and his face with many pimples. He got changed into his school uniform and was down eating breakfast ten minutes later. He then bolted out the door and sprinted down his elongated street to the intersection. He even forgot to brush his teeth! There were cars streaming all over, back and forth, and he had no chance to cross. He glanced at his watch. Five minutes till his test began. He leaned patiently right on the 'Give Way' sign, watching and waiting. Suddenly a Toyota Hilux swerved around the bend and its trailer struck John on the forehead, knocking down the sign he was leaning on as well! John stumbled back to the pavement he had sprinted across and landed backwards on his head. He saw the clear blue sky, then, everything went black...

John blinked his eyes. Above was...a roof! A white roof! He blinked again and assessed his surroundings...He was in hospital! His Physics test! Suddenly, the adrenalin hit him and he was panicking. Just at that moment, a nurse glanced in...

"Oh, you're awake now!"

"What's the date?!" John demanded

"Umm," said the nurse looking at her watch "it's the 22nd of October, two days since we found you on the side of the road."

"WHAT!???" John screamed out furiously.

"That's right, now calm down. I believe you are John Fleming?" said the nurse, still talking in a calm voice that you would probably hear from an administration lady.

"Yes, but..." interrupted John.

"Your parents, they were worried sick about you, especially your father. He went frantic, threatening to sue the hospital and all these other things if you weren't okay!" said the nurse as she started to turn impatient and lose her calm voice.

"Really? My Dad did all that stuff just to help me...?" John questioned.

"Yup, you had one caring Dad..." said the nurse, back into her caring voice.

The nurse walked out as John contemplated his thoughts. Had a caring Dad, he thought to himself. He was pondering this thought until he was interrupted from a sound next door. He could hear another boy crying as he was getting scolded and threatened by his own father.

"Dad, you wouldn't do that! It's child abuse!"

"It's your own stupid fault for mixing with the bad kind, Thomas! It was never my fault! I warned you!"

"But Dad..."

"Thomas, it isn't my fault! If you can't think for yourself, then go and live on the street!"

"Dad..." wailed the boy

"Thomas, if you can't behave, I will be forced to dump you out of my house! Ever since your mother has gone, you have started to act up, and now it's time for you to start behaving!"

"Dad, I didn't take the drugs...I didn't kill the man!" said the boy, who must have been Thomas.

"Thomas, we know that you were drunk on vodka and took ecstasy! It shows in your bloodstream. The doctors have tested it and you are now lucky to be alive!"

"I hate you! You never trust me! You never liked me ever, you just liked Mum!!!" the boy screamed in a high pitched voiced.

There were some banging noises and it sounded like the whole room was being turned up-side down. This boy, Thomas, was having a fight with his father! Soon after, the same nurse that had talked to him broke up the confrontation. John soon realised how lucky he was, with a caring Dad.

Soon, after the fight had been broken up, the boy spoke, for what was the last time that John would hear.

"I didn't kill him. I didn't kill that Bloody Fleming Idiot! I was paid to get to his son!"

It struck John liked he'd been hit in the head with a hammer. He realised everything and pieced it all together. His father was dead, while trying to protect him from a drunk and crazy kid who had taken drugs! John realised how lucky he was. His father had made the biggest sacrifice of all, his life.

John wept. He never got to say he was sorry to his father for all the bad times...and all this bad luck. He wished he could see him just one more time. He then looked down onto the floor of his ward and saw his father dead, lying on the floor. He had got his wish; he had seen him once more.

Lawrence Lee, Year 9

creative writing

MY WORDS

My words,
Falling from my mouth, crawling
Across the table, reaching
For your heart.

My heart,
Falling from my eyes, slipping
Through my fingers, chasing
After you.

And you,
Falling from myself, turning
Away from me, hiding
Your soul from mine.

My soul,
Beating on the expanses, fighting
The restrictions, increasing
On my mind.

My mind,
Longing to turn to you, reaching
Desperately to touch you, scrambling
For your eyes.

Your eyes,
Passing momentarily over me, glancing
Briefly over, fleeting
Over me.

And me,
Seizing suddenly, freezing
Ceasing everything, clutching
My being.

My being,
As you're turning, breaking
I'm losing your attention, falling
From the light.

The light,
Shining from the cracks, glowing
Crevasses in me, catching
Your eye.

My eye,
As you notice me, seeing
How you may just love me, longing
I break myself apart.

I lie in pieces on the ground
Only to be found
By you.

And you love me
For the light that once shone within me.
And in this moment I could live forever.

Tim Montgomery, Year 12

THE DROUGHT

Dead, dying trees cry out for a long drink
As birds and bees slowly begin to die
No rain means no hope I begin to think
The tanks, hearts and water troughs are all dry.

What shall come now for the crops and livestock
No rain for months, they will surely perish
Or leave us with no option but to cull the flock –
The smallest drop of rain we shall cherish.

But wait: dark, solemn clouds loom overhead
We pray that this may bring us good rain
If not it will be too late for the dead
And if rain should come it will ease the pain.

Here comes one drop, two ... a few thousand more
This rain should save us now, for sure
For sure.

George Cunningham, Year 10

CHRISTMAS

Amid the twinkling, mingling crowds, all
rejoicing in the occasion,

There wakes an unwanted man, oblivious to all
around him,

As trees and bells are decorated, there he
stands, hoping, longing,

One moment after another, rushing, pushing
past his broken soul,

Tearing a fragile heart.

Morning breeze gusting through his tattered
outfit,

His newspapers ripping, floating and flying
horribly,

Through the chilly air, he wonders, remembers,
He takes a final glazed look, then strides away
painfully,

Small as an ant's nose.

He walks at a snail's pace, footsteps echoing
one thousand miles,

Overjoyed robots hustling and bustling,
stepping through him,

Watching life go by, bravely masking his infinite
heartache.

Through the icy mist, he steps, one foot after
another,

His and the world's existence apart.

Finally, though still walking on that never-
ending path, darkness swallows him up, his
figure unnoticeable, yet was it not always
minuscule?

Just another day in his monotonous life; hark:
one sound, though not angels chorusing...

A lament, shattering through the rags of mist,
no spirit able to bear such a burden.

Drops beginning to flow on the waiting
ground,

Those drops aren't snow.

Matthew Ng, Year 9

LEAKS ON WALLS

While you were sleeping, the cold winter passed us as the swamps and willows painlessly took our breath, spiked with the spirits of our parents and with the spirits we stole from the liquor store on the corner of your little complex.

While you were dreaming, we ran the night without a touch of splendour, without an inkling of terror we ran through the tunnels we carved in the hillside with our frequent blasphemy that made the sheep run to their shepherd who died after he called out too loud for a wolf that only came once.

While you were waking, we bounded across the bridges that you tried to burn, aptly the ones we managed to burn along with the neglected events in the sky that turned you down; you were too bright for the night sky but they made you weep for your books.

While you stand there looking at us, we'll wonder how you are, as you toil once and over on the cold tile floor.

Bobby Ly, Year 12

creative writing

THROUGH THE EYES
OF A PILOT

Operation 78. 5 January 1944. Target – Berlin

P/O J.L. Hills RAAF, Sgt A. Cleverly, F/O C.E. Agg RAAF, F/O J.E. Radcliffe RAAF, F/Sgt J.H. Grahame RAAF, Sgt H. Hartwell, F/Sgt A.R. Duel RAAF.

The sound of the four grand Rolls Royce Merlin Mk. XX V-12 engines with 1,640 horse power were almost enough to deafen us as we flew over the North Sea on our mission to bomb the capital of Germany, Berlin. The temperature was freezing; cold enough to cause frostbite and hypothermia, but the big woolly suits we were wearing were only just enough to keep the coldness out. The view was amazing from up here at the height of 20,000 feet, but there wasn't enough time to be thinking about that now, for there was a mission to complete and I was going to do everything in my will to make that happen.

The Lancaster Bomber was a beautiful plane, but so big to fly. I was piloting the G for George, with a wingspan of 31.09m and length from nose to tail of 21.15m. It was equipped with eight 303-inch machine-guns and was loaded up with 6,350 kilograms of bombs. The bomb load with all the bombers was 1 x 4000lb HC, 24 x 30lb incendiaries, 510 x 4lb incendiaries and 120 x 4lb incendiaries. There were 358 bombers altogether, 18 were 460 squadron bombers, including the one I was in right now. There were seven crew aboard the 'G'; me (Pilot Officer), and six other boys. We were all convinced that we would successfully bomb our target and make it home safely.

Two hours had passed and we still had an hour to go until we got to our target and started to drop the bombs. Suddenly, out of nowhere the plane started descending and we dropped both speed and height. I caught sight of the sparks - anti-aircraft shells which looked like fireworks in the night sky. I tapped my speedometer which had suddenly gone blank, but nothing happened.

"Damn!" I muttered. I assumed the propeller had been shot out by the German anti-aircraft guns. My fuel gauge showed that one fuel tank was full and the other was half full. We were already too far into the mission to turn back, so I decided to fly on, even though we had to feather a propeller to complete the bombing.

We were just flying over the German border when the anti-aircraft guns started firing at us again. I looked out the front window to see one of our Lancasters going down below the clouds.

I radioed my bomb aimer (Bert Cleverly) and commanded him to line up where the firing was coming from. He replied, "Johnny I've lined it up. Bomb doors open.... Steady, steady, steady. Bombs gone. Bomb doors closed. Steady for photo".

I heard the click of the camera as Bert took some photos to report back to base in Binbrook. "Target hit sir," Bert radioed back, and once again we flew on to Stettin.

We were just about there, and the boys and I were all pretty nervous. It had only just hit us that this was real and we might never see each other again. I thought of Johnny Radcliffe who had proposed to his girl before we came here. That was all he could talk about for the last few months since we had been here. He had photos of her everywhere, especially at the barracks.

As soon as I thought of the barracks, I remembered all the boys peevish me off about what they called 'the world's worst set of false teeth'. I laughed under my breath. The thought also reminded me of the letters I had sent home and whether the Sergeant had received any back from mum and dad and the family yet. I suppose that was a reason to get back home quicker then, I thought, and carried on flicking all the switches and knobs preparing for the BOMBING OF BERLIN.

Okay, the time had come. It was all action now. We were still feathering one propeller; we couldn't go higher than 15,000 feet, and we were likely to get shot down.

Then the firing started. All I could hear was the thunder of the engines again, and it was game on. "Johnny, come in Johnny," radioed Bert.

"Yeah, copy," I replied. "We're here".

"Bomb doors open. Steady, steady, steady.... Bombs gone. Bomb doors closed. Steady for photo....". Two bombs had been dropped from the undercarriage of the plane and were on their way to Berlin at a pretty quick pace. Once again the fireworks were alive. The bombs were dropping from the 358 Avro Lancasters and our planes, dropping aimlessly out of the sky, catapulting to the ground to explode into flames.

My God, I never thought I would see this happen. I was probably flying the lowest plane of them all and I wasn't being shot at. Next thing I knew the Germans were firing away at us like a target at the rifle range back in Yealering.

I radioed again. "Bert, come in."

"Yeah Johnny," he replied.

"Line up another mate. We're goin' in."

"Righto," he replied, and he went to work lining up two 30lb bombs to drop on the city. Once again the radio came in, "Bomb doors open. Steady, steady, steady. Bombs gone. Bomb doors closed. Steady for photo.". The bombs descended and landed fair in the middle of the anti-aircraft fire. "Target hit sir."

"Good work Bert. Mission completed. Let's get the hell out of here! I've seen enough to last me a lifetime." I reeled the plane around and headed back to base.

We were just about home; all we had left to fly over was a little more of the North Sea, before coming in to land at Binbrook, Greenland. I glanced at my gauges and looked in horror at the fuel gauge to see that there was none left in any of the tanks. The bloody Germans must have put a hole in the fuel tank and it must have leaked the whole way here. There was still ten minutes to go till we got back. I thought to myself, "Would we make it back? Or would we be just one of the 460 squadron bombers to not make it home?"

EPILOGUE

February 13, 1945

Here I am standing outside Buckingham Palace waiting to be greeted. I am here by request of King George VI to proudly receive the Distinguished Flying Cross for Operation 78, January 5, 1944, Target - Berlin.

I was dressed in Service Dress, which the King had requested me to wear. The King's servant came out and invited me in with the words, "His Majesty will see you now, sir," before showing us the way into the ballroom.

It was stunning. A crystal chandelier hung from the middle of the room and portraits of the Royal Family hung on the walls. The King entered the room attended by two Gurkha Orderly Officers. I knelt down on one knee and bowed before him. He was dressed immaculately in a beautiful gown, with a golden cape around his neck which reached to the ground. He was then presented with a sword and the investiture began.

"I, King George VI, present to you the Distinguished Flying Cross, the medal of bravery through flight."

"Pilot Officer Hills completed numerous sorties, attacking such heavily defended targets as Berlin, Hamburg, Munich and industrial centres in the Ruhr Valley. As Captain of aircraft, he has evinced fine leadership, fearlessly attacking his objectives regardless of enemy opposition. On one occasion when detailed to attack Berlin, owing to mechanical failure, his aircraft was unable to climb above 15,000 feet. The speed indicator failed and one engine had to be feathered. Nevertheless, with great determination, Pilot Officer Hills flew on and completed his mission in the face of intense anti-aircraft fire. This officer's fine record of achievement has been reflected in the excellent photographs he obtained".

He then placed the sword on each of my shoulders and handed me the Distinguished Flying Cross.

Joshua Hills, Year 8

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THE PIANO LADY

The shrill whistle that had been growing for several minutes suddenly degenerated to an agitated bubbling. The kettle had boiled over again. Stirred from her reminiscences, she reached for the socket, switching it off at the wall. Even in such simple actions, her movements embodied an aura of precision, and a certain delicate grace that seemed to occupy the room as she moved. She turned back to the window with which she had been occupied. Staring at the window itself, the countryside became a hazy mesh of colour. She traced the lone creeper that crawled across the pane, and looked beyond it. The hills which stretched out behind her property were clearly defined in the fading hues of the sun. A single star hung sparkling against the slowly darkening sky. She could almost not bear to look, but she did, finding the hazy pillar of dirty brown, clearly distinguishable against the yellow of the horizon line. Sometimes, when the day was clear and the wind was right, you could see the tops of the stacks, silhouetted.

She sighed, and closed the curtains. The room had now become quite dim and she made her way carefully past the small table and flicked the light switch. The light flared briefly, flickered, and died. Her brow knitted into a frown. She would have to abandon the kettle until tomorrow morning. She turned out of the kitchen and made her way through the rapidly dimming house. Walking through the door, she nearly fell over the piano stool which was pushed out almost a metre from the mangy upright. She felt her way around it, and then sat down. The little girl, that was right, she remembered telling her to push the stool in. She had left the lid up as well.

As she sat, that weathered piano seemed to stare back at her, but the feeling passed. Certainly in the last decade she had poured so much of herself into it, so intimately did she know the keys. Her right hand came forward, almost of its own accord, and began to play. Suddenly the silence that had pervaded her house, pressing in and holding her, was lifted from her. It hovered there, like some malevolent dark presence, picking its way through the sound. She closed her eyes, her hand kept playing. The sound was almost a physical feeling now, she could feel, feel the lake of silence, disturbed, yet only as by the ripples from a leaf. A single voice that was now walking lightly through the house. And then, another joined. An answer, an answer to the call. And there was the silence, still there yet robbed of its authority. Its dark tendrils were receding, and the leaf began to stir.

Two voices, then one, then two, playful, light, so like her, at the beginning. It was there, the memories, they came with the music. Her, a young girl, full of life and energy. Why could she not go outside? Why? Her mother; stern and unforgiving. Then forward. Suddenly with her playing came recognition, all the people who had passed her by, became her friends. All fleeting, how bitterly she remembered those smiles now. But there had been one person, one person who had seen through it all, seen what was really her. Even in those heady days she had seen that. The music slowed, the two lines moving in and out of each other, courting. And suddenly, there was light. Blinding light, flooding across the stage. The music swelled. Her pride, her immortality. The whole house came alive, rejoicing with her. The leaf, now tossed frantically about. And the music rose still. Many voices, a polyphony which rose to engulf her. And the woman, in the middle, her hands moving frantically, eyes closed. The music swirled, and she, the focal point, became one with it.

And then, a jarring halt. Her fingers came loose, and the sound died. The silence came, mockingly. Where were the cheers, where were the claps it called? The dark house returned, and she was an old woman. She could feel the cold frost of arthritis in the joints, felt it more and more every time. She leaned forward, and wept, an old woman, alone, in a dark house. She wept, not for herself, but for the picture, now smiling down on her. In the darkness of the room, she could not see it, but it was there, and he was not.

Ronan Chapple, Year 10

KNOWING WHY

She used to turn away from the passing looks at her inner scars when she ran around the town after dark, contemplating within herself if what she didn't do was the right thing to do for herself and her kin – she'll see what she needs to see when the time passes.

She used to toil away at the kitchen sink for her sporadically loving husband who ran away on trips to the coast; never looking back into her wide and glassy eyes, never telling her what he thought but always telling her how to think – she'll wonder why but won't know.

She used to run away from the lights in the sky, but the glorification of the new life will bring her toils to rest and bring the waiting to a standstill as her ungrateful husband will never realise what he needs and will never disclose the reasons why – she'll find out.

She used to try to escape her sinking standards, her simple side of life, but now she knows why and it keeps her genuine.

Bobby Ly, Year 12

Library



Many thanks to Parent and Student Assistants

We could not do without our student Library Assistants. Year 12s Daniel Dougherty, Mat Duncan; Year 11s Tom Bartlett, Vikeer Shah, Cameron Fitzgerald, Samuel Nicholson, Zac Girando, Daniel Archondakis, James Hargrave, John Hodge and Year 10s Matthew Yeoh, Richard Wills and James Wu.

Daniel Dougherty Year 12, St George's was awarded Symbols for Service to the Library.



Hale Library ...an attractive place

Displays promote resources and school events



Visiting Authors

Author in Residence, James Moloney offered much to individuals, classes and parents



Author Justin Somper's visit created huge demand for his books

Philosophy Club

There were a number of exciting initiatives in the area of Philosophy, Ethics and Religion at Hale this year. These included the establishment of the Hale Philosophy Club, the Senior Students Ethics Seminar and the 2007 *Philosothon*.

On Tuesday July 31, more than 25 students participated in a lunch time Senior School Philosophy Club. We started with a discussion about a quote from Voldermort in *Harry Potter*, 'There is no such thing as good and evil, only power and those with the will to use it!' This is a statement taken from Friedrich Nietzsche. The nature, depth and extent of philosophical discussion were impressive, with Year 8 students being able to hold their own with Year 11 and 12 students. Since that time, the club met weekly to discuss such weighty topics as; 'Big Bang cosmology and the existence of God', 'The abortion debate' and 'Do humans have free will'?

We use a Community of Inquiry model which is simply a group of individuals who use dialogue to search out the problematic borders of a puzzling concept. A Community of Inquiry promotes critical thinking and encourages respect for one's fellow inquirer. It attempts to address contemporary challenges in ethics and philosophy, producing better thinkers and more caring members of society, who accept differences and at the same time, submit conflicts to reasonable scrutiny. All participants are expected to respect one another as thoughtful people who communally seek to better understand the issue at hand.

In August, 40 Hale boys attended an Ethics seminar at St Mary's Anglican Girls' School. Over 500 Year 10, 11 and 12 students from eight schools attended the seminar and were addressed by Dr Peter Vardy, the Principal at Heythrop College, University of London. He spoke to the students about Business and Environmental Ethics.

The boys found his presentation very challenging, entertaining and engaging. The following are examples of their reactions:

'I was glad I went to this talk...it was really interesting. 'Awesome!' 'Definitely worth doing again!' 'This has increased my awareness of ethics.' 'Very interesting and valuable.' 'It was valuable and I know much more about ethics now!'... Hale School will host a statewide Senior Students' seminar on Philosophy and Ethics in September 2008.

Another exciting initiative this year was the introduction of an *Interschool Philosothon*, an event that is scheduled to take place annually. A collaborative initiative of the Philosophy, Values and Religion Department and the Gifted and Talented Department at Hale School, the *Philosothon* was held on Wednesday November 7, at Hale. Ten schools each entered a team of five students who participated in a competition based on the Community of Inquiry model. The judging panel included Philosophy lecturers and the discussion facilitators were made up of post graduate university students. The judges were Dr Felicity Haynes, Dr Raymond Driehuis, Dr Richard Hamilton, Dr Alan Tapper and Dr Nicolas Damnjanovic.

The winning school was presented with a magnificent trophy and medals were awarded in various categories. All students received a certificate in honour of their participation in the inaugural *Philosothon*.

The students who represented Hale at the *Philosothon* were Robert Gillam (Yr 8), Shane Chandra (Yr 9), Arjun Kaushik (Yr 10), Blair Hurley and Lee Fitzmaurice (Yr 11).

Mr M Wills

Head of Philosophy, Values and Religion



Public Speaking

Symbols awarded to:	Z Girando, M Haederle, B Hurley, H Johnston, S Nair, C Twigger, J van Rooyen
Colours awarded to:	F Ellis, H McCormack
Honours awarded to:	F Ellis



PUBLIC SPEAKING

Back Row (l to r): H McCormack, S Chandra, Ms A Wallas, J Payne, G Fatin
Seated: B Jayawardena, F Ellis, N Virgo

Public speaking at Hale School was taken to a new level this year with consistent success across the year groups in both the *Rostrum Voice of Youth Competition* and the *United Nations Youth Association Competitions*. The *Rostrum Voice of Youth Competition* is the State's premier public speaking competition, and Hale has a fine pedigree in this prestigious contest, with two previous winners and representatives in the final for the past two years. This year a large number of boys wished to compete and as a result, competition for the allotted two places was so fierce, a deciding heat had to be held to determine who would represent the School. Niall Virgo, who narrowly missed out on winning one of these places, represented the School with confidence and flair in the *Apex Public Speaking Competition* later in the year.

All three entrants in the senior division of the *Rostrum Competition* enjoyed great success, with Binu Jayawardena reaching the semi-finals and Hamish McCormack and Felix Ellis going on to the State final. Many memorable speeches were given, with topics ranging from Felix's subtly explicit interpretation of pop art culture to Hamish's fire and brimstone condemnation of the nature of modern media. At the end of the day, Felix was selected as the winner and represented Western Australia at the National finals in Canberra. There he demonstrated Hale's ability to consistently produce students gifted in the art of speaking in public. Gabriel Fatin, Shane Chandra and James Payne represented Hale in the junior section and showcased Hale's public speakers of the future.

Hamish McCormack

UNYA



UNYA SENIOR

Back Row (l to r): Mrs H Gray, B Meyer, S Cowley, H McCormack, B Iyer
Front Row: H Johnston, T Widdicombe, T Carlson, C Twigger, A Sutton

The other main public speaking events associated with Hale are those run by the United Nations Youth Association of WA. These are divided into two categories; *The Hammar skjöld Trophy Competition*, a mock UN Security Council debate, and the mock General Assembly debates held at the United Nations Youth Association State and National Conferences. Five Hale boys attended the State Conference, following which, Hamish McCormack and Felix Ellis were chosen to represent Western Australia at the prestigious National Conference in Canberra, taking on the role of delegates from Sweden and Denmark respectively.

Having entered nine teams, Hale enjoyed great success in *The Hammar skjöld Trophy Competition*, with three representative teams making it to the final held in Parliament House. Sean Cowley and Henry



UNYA JUNIOR

Back Row (l to r): J van Rooyen, L Freedman, L Williams, Z Girando, J Blades, Mrs H Gray
Front Row: N Bean, G Kenny, N Virgo, A Ninkov, R Pearce, A Burton

Johnston represented Belgium, Max Haederle and Callum Twigger argued the case for Ghana and Year 11s, Blair Hurley and Zac Girando, ensured that the Congo had a voice. Special mention goes to Callum Twigger, who won the award for Best Speaker on the day.

Twelve Year 10 Hale students attended the *United Nations Youth Association Day Forum* held at the University of Western Australia. The forum focussed on issues of Indigenous Peoples and the United Nations, and it proved to be an educational, enjoyable and rewarding day.

Hamish McCormack

Debating

Symbols awarded to:

A Abadi-Ghadim, P Ashforth, T Cunningham, S Gilleran, T Grgich, J Helliwell, B Hurley, B Jayawardena, T Jockel, H Johnston, N Jha, S Joseph, R Parameswaran, C Robinson, N Virgo, T Widdicombe, A Young

Colours awarded to:

C Robinson

Honours awarded to:

F Ellis, H McCormack

Hale has had one its best years in debating ever, with boys not only achieving success at House, School, State and National levels but also enjoying a strong groundswell of support and participation that saw many boys giving debating a go and having a lot of fun.

The School entered 17 teams into the Western Australian Debating League (WADL) Schools Debating Competition throughout the Year 8, Junior and Senior divisions. In several divisions, Hale teams made up a good third of the teams debating, and a number of debates forced the boys to turn the wrath of their considerable debating skill upon each other. Proving that we had quality as well as quantity, by the end of the third round of debates we had chalked up many more wins than losses and teams didn't take the foot off the pedal. Throughout the year there

were some outstanding individual and team achievements but, due to the sheer number of boys participating this year, it is not practical to acknowledge them individually.

NATIONAL DEBATING

At the start of the year, trials were held to select a squad to represent WA in the National debating competition. After a gruelling selection process that spanned five months and involved the best debaters under the age of 18 in the State fighting it out for the four spots on the representative team, Felix Ellis (Yr 12) managed to retain the place he had earned on last year's team, and was joined by Hamish McCormack (Yr 12). For the first time in a very long time, Haleians

debating

made up half of the best four debaters in the State. The Nationals were held in Melbourne in July. WA was incredibly successful, reaching the grand final for the first time this century. Unfortunately WA was beaten by the host team in a close and memorable debate. Felix was then selected to be first reserve for the Australian team. Overall, the Nationals were very successful for WA and perhaps even more so for Hale.

WADL WINNERS (AGAIN!)

The WADL competition finished for Hale just as strongly as it had started. All teams performed well, with a significant majority of Hale teams finishing the season with a positive win/loss record. Four teams were able to win their pool, some without recording a loss. These were the Year 8 team of Liam O'Shea, Ben Joseph, Adam Birman and Calum Peoples, the Year 10 team of Paul Oliver, Chris Burton, Sean Kelley and Alex Ninkov, the Year 11 team of Niall Virgo, James Helliwell, Blair Hurley and Aaron Young, and the Year 12 team of Felix Ellis, Hamish McCormack and Cameron Robinson. Each of these teams progressed through the knockout final rounds and the Year 8 team and the Year 12 team, (the famous Hale 2), reached the grand final, beating every team in its path in a competition that involved more than a thousand students. The Year 8s had to debate philosophically against Perth College that 'the pen is mightier than the sword' and the Year 12s tackled the controversial topic, that 'the Federal Government's intervention in the Northern Territory will do more harm than good' against Christ Church. Incredibly, Hale won both debates in a result that underlines the strength now present in the School and the Year 12s succeeded in defending their 2006 title. Liam O'Shea and Felix Ellis were presented with 'best speaker' awards following the contest. Many teams throughout the year have risen meteorically and everyone is looking forward to emulating this year's performance next season.

AHISA

After all the drama and jubilation of the WADL competition, teams kept coming back for more in the AHISA competition. While there were no Year 12 participants as they were doing exams, many teams enjoyed experimenting and trying new things in the smaller, shorter competition and teams once again won their divisions. This is a contest that is regarded as the warm up for the more challenging WADL competition and many teams proved they will be a force to be reckoned with next year.

HOUSE DEBATING

As usual, the House debating was very popular amongst all boys. Experienced debaters enjoyed the theatrics and showing off in front of their mates while new ones took on the challenge to represent their House. All boys certainly relished hurling good natured abuse at one another. In what can only be described as a travesty, Loton's senior team went undefeated, however, Buntine House won the contest with teams that were strong across the board.

Overall it has been a huge year for debating at Hale. Rarely have we seen such a successful year. All teams have had their memorable moments, from satisfying victories, crushing



SENIOR DEBATING

Back Row (l to r): C Robinson, R Parawesmaran, J Helliwell, H McCormack, S Gilleran, N Virgo, T Cunningham, B Hurley

Middle Row: Ms S Watson, A Young, P Ashford, F Ellis, Mr M Vaswani, T Widdicombe, B Jayawardena, S Joseph, Mrs B Korbosky

Seated: T Grgich, H Johnston, A Abadi Gadim, S Rath, R Pritchard, TE Tan, B Iyer



JUNIOR DEBATING

Back Row (l to r): C Carson, A Eranki, J Reed, C Burch, S Bignell, J Hurley, G Cunningham, G Fatin, S Kelly, P Oliver, T Taylor

Middle Row: Dr D Colcough, Ms S Watson, B Cheung, R Chab, T McLeod, D Haslam, A Birman, G Kenny, R Ferrito, S Chandra, J Hirsch, E Reed, R Tonkin, B Doney, Mrs B Korbosky, Mr M Vaswani

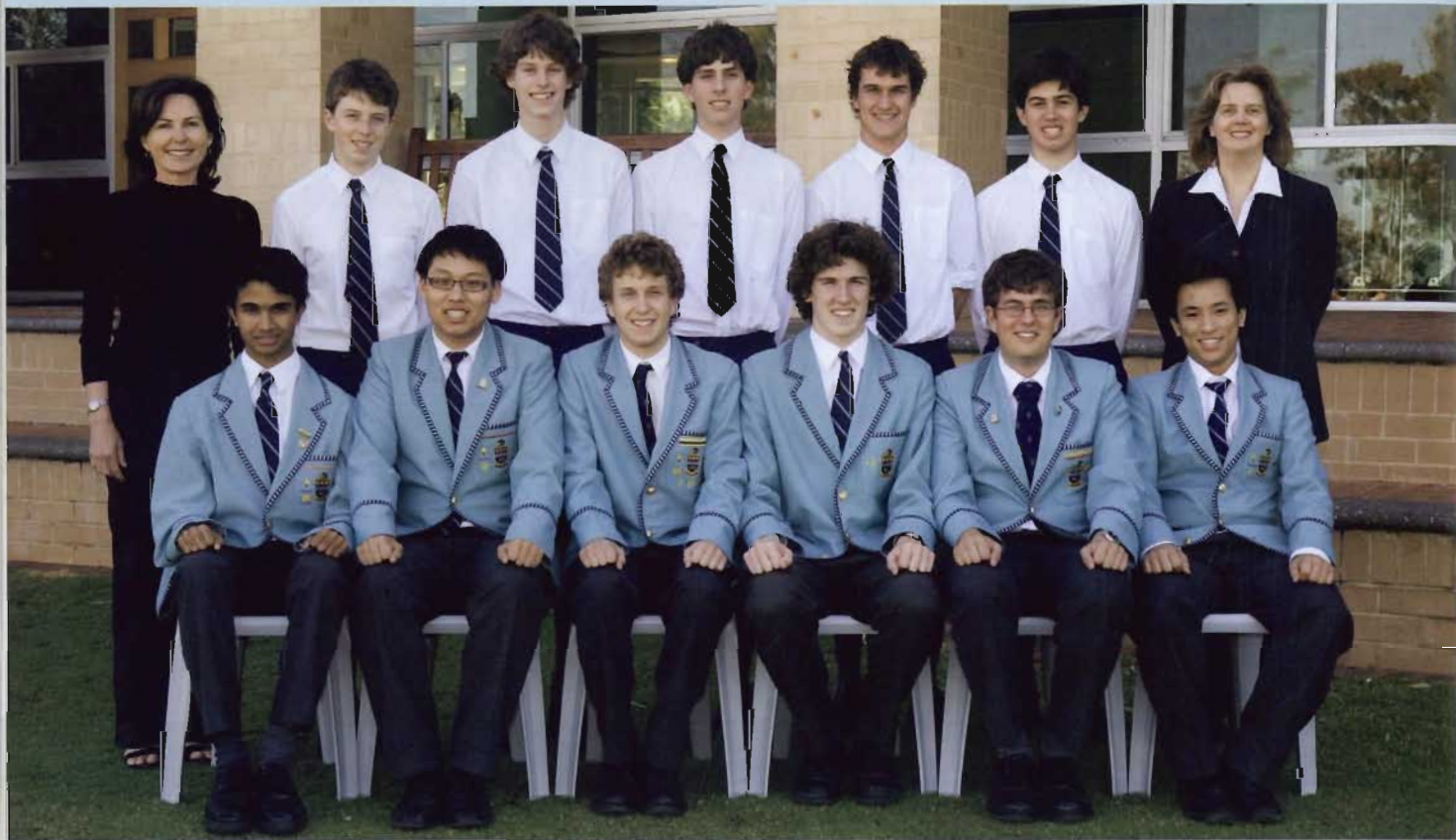
Seated: L O'Shea, M Kabir, B Joseph, B Taylor, P Sudlow, A Murdoch, A Kaushik, S Ogden, C Peoples, J Hanna, T Bigwood

defeats, vigorous discussions from the audience during question time, and lots of moments where debaters just cracked under the pressure. The support from parents and coaches who came to listen and encourage was greatly appreciated by the boys, whose commitment has been a measure of Hale's success. They boys also thank the staff who gave up their time to help them learn and prepare this year; Mrs Park, Mr Vaswani, Ms Watson, Mrs Hankinson, Dr Colcough, and especially the tireless Mrs Korbosky. We hope that next year the boys enjoy similar results and will perhaps surpass the outstanding success of 2007.

Mock Trial

Symbols awarded to:

T Cunningham, B Iyer, C Maruthiah, W McGeehan, C Skender



MOCK TRIAL

Back Row (l to r): Ms C Sas, G Kenny, W McGeehan, J Hurley, T Cunningham, B Hurley, Ms P Leiper

Seated: B Iyer, E Wang, H Johnston, L Weir, L Oliver, E Lim

The season began with great promise as many new faces joined the Mock Trial stalwarts and registered their interest in this competition. All boys received their manuals, though it was sometimes clear that not all had read them.

Preparations for the first trial began with a visit from Old Boy, Chris Mofflin - Mock Trial extraordinaire and Beazley Medalist. This proved extremely successful as Chris' knowledge of Mock Trial procedure proved invaluable. Having thought themselves sufficiently briefed, the boys headed into the first trial, brimming with confidence.

For those unfamiliar with the Mock Trial competition, here is a brief explanation. The prosecution and defence sides of a fictional case are taken by two competing teams of students and are heard in the presence of a practising barrister, who acts as the magistrate. Competition nights are high stakes events, with the winning team taking all and the losing team facing the prospect of spending another September watching from the sidelines. The tension of the night is increased by the fact that students are well and truly on their own. No input from staff or coaches is permitted, which inevitably causes some degree of chaos.

In round 1, the Hale 1 team competed against Sacred Heart, and the Hale 2 team competed against Scotch. Unfortunately Hale One lost the trial at the hands of a magistrate who had mistaken Hale 1's passion and flair for what he described as 'unbridled anger'. The magistrate's parting comment to the boys is worthy of mention, "To cross examine does not mean examine crossly".

The boys in Hale 1 looked forward to their next meeting with this particular magistrate. Hale 2 soundly defeated the team from Scotch College.

Round 2 was a good round for Hale, with both teams victorious. Eddie Wang took on the role of barrister for the first time. Before becoming the new barrister, Eddie had spent his time as one of Hale's finest solicitors. Not being satisfied with watching proceedings from the back seat, he pounced like the tiger he is, to claim his share of the glory in being part of a winning team.

In Round 3, Hale continued its good fortune with both teams again recording victories. Hale's combined win-loss ratio for the home and away season now stood at 5-1. On this occasion, Hale 1 was awarded a victory at the hands of the friendly magistrate from Round

1. Hale 2 faced an agonizing wait to see if its dream of a place in the mock trial finals had been realised. Much to their delight, Ms Sas was able to inform the boys they had been successful.

Preparations for the final began early, with both teams pitching in to give Hale 2 every chance of success. The case was unlike anything anyone had seen before; a complex mix of boats, cats and chardonnay. Hale 2 would take the defence, their client being charged with the destruction of a boat on the aptly named "Cygnets River". Hale 2 performed admirably throughout the trial, but the boys were unlucky and lost the case. It should be noted that the Christ Church barrister is the only person I have ever seen exceed the 10 minute time limit on a closing address.

Thanks go to all those who helped out this Mock Trial season; especially to Ms Sas and Natalie our new coach. Thanks also to all the boys who made the season so enjoyable for everyone.

Henry Johnston
Captain, Mock Trial

Geography

This has been an exciting and involved year for Geography students across the senior school.

Year 8 geographers investigated cultural differences which exist in Perth and the wider world and took their studies into the city to see how immigration has impacted on buildings and businesses in the CBD.

Meanwhile Year 9 students examined the geography of the North West Cape in preparation for their Outdoor Education camp in 2008. Yet again this year, they produced some excellent animations of cape geology.

Year 10 geographers looked at conflict and migration and, as part of their studies, they researched the birthplaces of their parents and grandparents to produce an impressive Google Earth layer highlighting the diversity of Year 10 families.

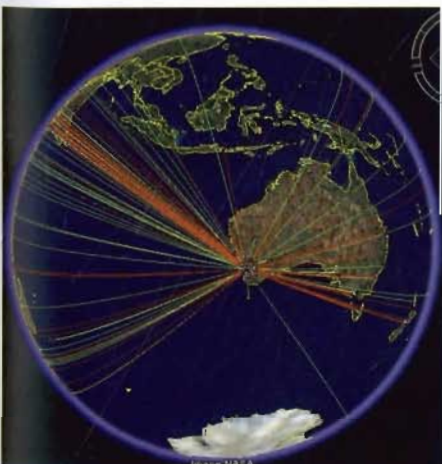
Our Year 11 and Year 12 students have worked hard to achieve excellent results in their in-class assessments and final examinations ahead of significant changes to the courses beginning in 2009.

All Geography students participated in the Australian Geography Competition in February and for the second year running, Hale picked up the award for highest performing school in WA with Ray Pritchard achieving the highest mark in WA in his age group.

Congratulations to Ray Pritchard who scored a moderated school assessment mark of 100% and to Nick Scott who achieved a standardised examination mark of 100% and was awarded the Subject Exhibition for Geography.

All in all, it was another successful year!

Mr M Crawshaw
Head of Geography



Languages

French Exchange Programme

On Easter Saturday, Hale families gathered at Perth International airport to welcome eighteen French students and their two accompanying teachers from the Lycée Notre Dame in Dijon, to Western Australia. For all but two of the travellers, this was the longest journey they had ever made. No sooner had the group landed, than some students were whisked away to the south of the State to begin a holiday with their host family by the sea or on a farm learning to play polo. Others celebrated Easter in Perth, spending time at the beach, swimming, scuba diving or sight-seeing. One lucky girl celebrated her birthday with a party put on by her generous host family. Excursions to Rottnest, Caversham Wildlife Park, Aqua WA and a twilight gathering in the hills at the Mundaring retreat of the Deves' family, gave the visitors the opportunity to see some Australian animals up close. The group left WA to cross Australia, visit Uluru and then Sydney before embarking on the voyage back to the northern hemisphere. The Languages department thanks all of the families who ensured that the two weeks spent in their company were unforgettable. It is hoped that Hale boys who choose to go to France next year will enjoy a similar experience.



Japanese Exchange Programme

The 2007 Japanese exchange programme took place in mid August and boys welcomed ten students and one teacher from our partner school in Tokyo, Shukutoku School. The Japanese students each stayed with a host family of a student learning Japanese in Year 11 or 12. During their stay, they attended some classes with their host student, English lessons, specially organized for them by Mr Seth, and enjoyed several excursions in and around Perth.

Both the Shukutoku students and the Hale students clearly benefited from interacting with each other, not only improving their communication skills but also learning a lot about the cultural differences between Japan and Australia.

The Languages department thanks all the host families for their hospitality and everyone at Hale – teachers, staff and students – who extended such a very warm welcome to the visitors from Japan. The boys are already looking forward to next year's programme. The 2008 visit will be Hale's third exchange with the Shukutoku School.



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Alliance Française

2007 was another successful year for Hale students in the Alliance Française examinations, with a total of three finalists. This world-wide organisation dedicated to promoting both the language and culture of France offers students the opportunity to experience an externally set and corrected written examination. More than 1,000 WA students in Years 10, 11 and 12 compete for places in the finals. The top 30 students in each year group are then invited to participate in an oral examination to determine the final 10 prize winners. Hale achieved a high degree of success with 10 students reaching this final stage. In the Year 10 category, Chris Burch was placed third, and in Year 12, Ben Hogan came sixth and Tim Montgomery was second.

Heartiest congratulations to all our students on achieving such excellent results.

ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE FINALISTS

Standing (l to r): D Vindin, C Burch,
J Aitken, P Oliver,
G Kenny

Seated: J Holborn,
T Montgomery,
J Naisbitt,
B Hogan,
M Heyns



Japanese Speech Contest

The 2007 Japanese Language WA Preliminary Speech Contest, organised by Murdoch University together with the Japanese Language Teachers' Association of WA, was held at Murdoch University. Participating for the fifth consecutive year, Hale was represented by students **Edward Wang** and **Darryn Sherry** from Year 12 and **Ben King** from Year 11.

Each competitor must prepare and memorise a speech in Japanese and then deliver it to an audience of their peers, parents, teachers and a panel of three Japanese judges. Although it is not easy to speak publicly in a foreign language, particularly in such a formal situation, the boys performed well. The number of contestants this year may have been relatively low, but the standard was higher than usual. All contestants displayed a high degree of language competence that made selecting the top three a difficult task. Ben and Edward are congratulated on being awarded second and third places respectively.



Ben King and Edward Wang

TEE

The Hale Languages Department once again achieved outstanding results in the 2007 TEE examination. For the third year in a row, Japanese was one of only three schools placed in the top 10 in its subject area, and the French section, as well as gaining its usual top 10 placing, was rewarded with an unprecedented 1st and 2nd places for the second year in a row. Congratulations to all the Year 12 Japanese and French students for their outstanding efforts, and in particular to **Ben Hogan** for winning the Subject Exhibition in French and to **Tim Montgomery** for a Certificate of Distinction in the same subject.



Ben Hogan and Tim Montgomery

Language Week

The theme this year for Language Week was 'Rev Heads'. The Year 8 and 9 French students were asked to design a poster that featured anything French that had an engine. Their imaginations working overtime, the boys presented works of art comprising Formula 1 racing cars, Ariane rockets, fighter jets, modern cars and boats, many of which were displayed in the foyer of the Administration block during the week.

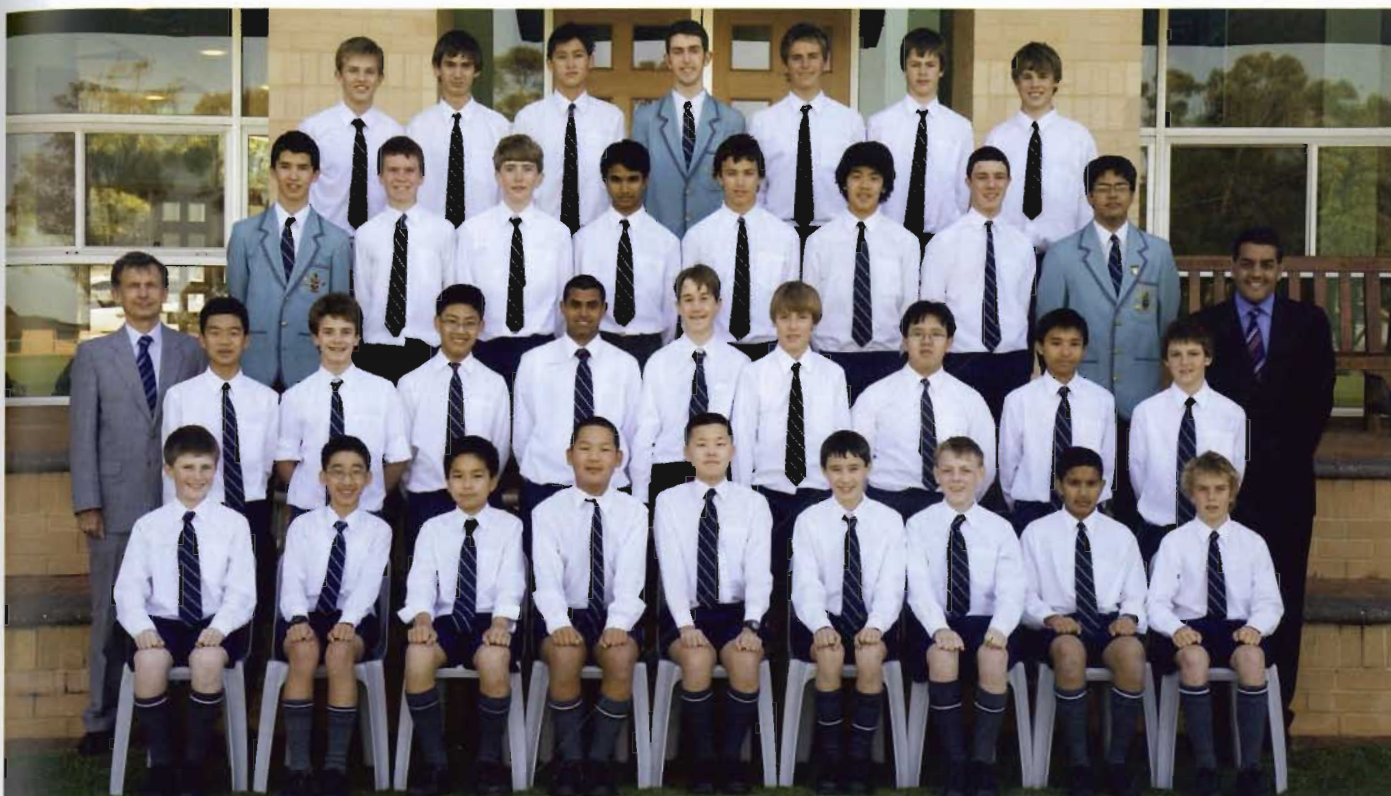
Monday's annual Languages' Cup soccer match between the Japanese and French students from Years 11 and 12 was a great success. Captain of the French side, Trent Grgich, is heartily congratulated for melding a team from among the rugby, hockey, water polo and cricket stars in the cohort. Not wishing to disappoint Dr Dunham, coach of the winning 3rd XI soccer team, Trent organised intensive after-school training sessions for his side. Both teams were evenly matched and the crowd watched as a penalty shootout decided the game. Nick Wilkinson's prowess in goal ensured a win for the French students.

Following Tuesday's assembly, the boys inspected three brand new French cars; a rally model Citroën, a Peugeot sedan and a stylish Peugeot sports car, parked in the main quadrangle and a sleek Toyota saloon located in front of the School. They were impressed to learn that Dr Dunham had the keys to these fully-insured and fuelled French vehicles but was not quite 'au fait' with the mechanism to make them into convertibles. Having learned how to lower the roof, the next challenge was how to get the cars out of the quadrangle and test drive them. Unable to fathom how the expert drivers from Allpike had managed to weave through the columns of the Administration building and dodge the front end loaders destroying the last of the boarding houses, Dr Dunham and his band of Year 12 boys were saved by the bell and left to ponder the problem.

Thursday recess gave all boys a chance to enjoy pain au chocolat and sushi before returning to class. Language students in all years had the opportunity to participate in cultural activities and win prizes throughout the week. No sooner had the festivities ended, than plans were being made to celebrate language learning in 2008!



Mathematics



MATHEMATICS ACHIEVERS

Back Row (l to r): P Oliver, J Reed, S Khor, P Cash, J Aitken, A Wilkinson, S Kelley

Third Row: R Pritchard, J Abbott, M Graff, B Iyer, A Hall, E Li, R Ferritto, S Rath

Second Row: Mr R Shaw, M Yeoh, S Bath, L Lee, B Jayawardena, M Bestry, M McDonald, R Huynh, B Cheung, B Doney, Mr M Vaswani

Front Row: A Tynas, J Huynh, P Keong, C Mei, R Leung, K Frearson, D Marshall, B Joseph, L O'Shea

The year started with the welcoming of Mrs Jane Kauhanen as a part time teacher and the acknowledgement of the excellent achievement of Paul Reid who secured both a Subject Exhibition and a Subject Distinction in Applicable Mathematics. Chris Mofflin and Conrad Pogson also received Subject Distinctions in Applicable Mathematics, while Michael Li earned a Subject Distinction in both Applicable Mathematics and Calculus. Worthy of note is the final scaled mean score for the Calculus cohort of 16% above the State mean – a staggering result from a highly able group of students!

The International General Cambridge Secondary Education (IGCSE) Additional Mathematics course continued this year for the most able Year 10 students. Two Advanced Mathematics classes ran again in the second semester of Year 10, as did a Year 9 Mathematics Enrichment class.

The Maths Plus and Maths Prime clubs continued their activities and many students were involved in extra-curricular programmes and competitions. At the Year 9 Hale/St Mary's 'Maths Night', students had fun playing strategy games and answering quiz questions. The Year 8 boys were involved in a Mathematics camp with St Mary's at Araluen and had a great time undertaking many mathematical activities and games.

Monitoring Standards in Education (MSE)

Hale School's results in this year's MSE testing for the Year 9 cohort indicate that our students, once again, are doing extremely well when compared with students in WA. This is especially so within the Algebra strand.

As can be seen from the list below, many students were involved in a number of mathematical endeavours beyond the classroom. It is great to see so many actively involved.

Have - Sum - Fun Competitions

A number of students took part in these fun problem solving competitions which took place at St Hilda's. Hale was represented by two senior teams and two junior teams who all managed to secure very good scores.

Mathematics Games Camp

In Term 2, two teams of four Year 9 students attended the Mathematics Games Camp held at the Ern Halliday centre in Hillary's. The team comprising Lawrence Lee, Reagan Leung, Eugene Teo and Paul Keong emerged as equal second place winners!

Australian Mathematics Competition

This year, Hale School students did extremely well in this 'Westpac Maths Competition'. Benjamin Joseph earned a medal and a prudence award for his outstanding performance. The following boys obtained a major prize: Joshua Hirsch (Yr 10); Matthew McDonald and Adam Wilkinson (Yr 9); Brendon Doney, Benjamin Joseph, Shane Tate and Adam Tynas (Yr 8).

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HIGH SCHOOL MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD TEAM PROBLEM SOLVING

Standing (l to r): Mr R Shaw, R Huynh, G Zhang, M Bestry, R Ferritto, J Price, G O'Neill, E Reed, D Liang, C Mei

Seated: A Tynas, J Hanna, B Cheung, K Freason, B Doney, S Ogden, D Marshall, B Joseph, L O'Shea

Mathematics International Competitions & Assessments for Schools

This year, 379 Year 8 and 10 students entered this National competition run by the University of New South Wales. Hale School achieved 17 High Distinctions (top 1% of State entrants), 72 Distinctions and 100 Credits. These are indeed some of the best results recorded by Hale School.

Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians

Three Year 8 boys - Adam Tynas, Ryan Huynh and Benjamin Joseph - were among the top six per cent of nationwide candidates in this year's Mathematics Challenge for Young Australians. The boys are to be congratulated for gaining High Distinctions in this rigorous challenge comprising six problems held over a three-week period.

Mathematics Olympiad

This competition represents the highest level of achievement possible as a school student.

In the West Australian Junior Olympiad, Hale was represented by four Year 8 and one Year 9 teams. The team of Reagan Leung, Lawrence Lee, Adam Wilkinson and Darren Tan emerged as the equal champions. The following seven students received Merit Awards: Adam Wilkinson, Darren Tan, Kingsley Frearson, Ryan Huynh, Benjamin Joseph, Daniel Marshall and Clarke Mei. In the Intermediate Olympiad, eight students across Years 7 to 10 participated in a gruelling four hour examination.

Australasian Problem Solving Mathematical Olympiad

This annual competition has been running since 1987, and Hale School participated for the first time this year. Ryan Huynh was one of 19 students from the 3500 students in Australasia who achieved a perfect score and thus earned himself a medal. The Year 8 team which achieved an Outstanding Team Award comprised Brandon Doney, Robert Ferritto, Kingsley Frearson, Ryan Huynh, Benjamin Joseph, Daniel Marshall, Clark Mei, Joshua Price, Adam Tynas and Gary Zhang.

Science & Engineering Challenge

This year, 32 of our most able Mathematics students in Year 9 participated in the Science & Engineering Challenge. This contest, run by Engineers Australia, had teams of students building bridges, designing air balloons and erecting air cannons amongst many other activities. Hale students emerged in fourth place, doing a great job representing the School.

National Mathematics Summer School

Nihar Jha and Ramanan Parameswaran are two of the seven brightest Year 11 mathematicians from Western Australia attending the Summer School in January 2008. We wish them well and congratulate them on this outstanding achievement.

Congratulations to all the boys who took part in the various competitions and thank you to all the dedicated Mathematics teachers who helped in preparing and inspiring the students. 2007 has been a year of continued success for Mathematics at Hale.

Mr M Vaswani

Head of Mathematics

Chemistry

Students studying Chemistry at Hale have many opportunities to participate in State and National competitions. These competitions in the main serve to motivate the boys and engender a greater enthusiasm for Chemistry (not that that is needed).

Australian National Chemistry Quiz

The Royal Australian Chemical Institute sponsored by Charles Sturt University administers this quiz through 1,382 schools across seventeen countries. 214 Year 10, 11 and 12 Chemistry students participated in this event in 2007.

In each year group, Hale scored higher marks than the State average by, on average 8%. Hale received 70 High Distinction certificates. These are awarded to students in the top 10% of the State for their age group. 45 of these students were in the top 5% of the State for their age group. In addition, 50 Distinction certificates were won, (the next 15% of students in the State). Thirty-eight Credit awards were also won, (the next 15% of students in the State).

The following boys performed particularly well.

In the top 2% of the State:

Year 10	Year 11	Year 12
William McHarrie	Lee Fitzmaurice	Bharath Iyer
Joshua Reed	Byron Jameson	James Lewin
Matthew Yeoh	Binu Jayawardena	Shovan Rath
	Simon Joseph	
	Bennett Lovelady	
	Yasuhito Nakajima	
	Samuel Nicholson	
	Niall Virgo	
	Mitchell Wansbrough	
	Christopher Wilson	

The top 800 students are awarded plaques. Congratulations go to the following boys who came in the top 0.5% of all entries.

Year 10: Jeremy Huynh

Year 11 Enura de Silva

Year 12 Raymond Pritchard

Each of these boys scored one mark less than the highest score in the State.

Australian Science Olympiads

This year 20 boys took part in the National Qualifying Examinations, the prerequisite for entry into the Scholars' Summer School which is the training camp for selecting members of the Australian Chemistry Olympiad team. These examinations, which are at first year university level, test not only students' chemical knowledge but also their ability to apply this knowledge in completely unfamiliar contexts. After coming second in the State, Binu Jayawardena was invited to attend this school and Jeremy Huynh from Year 10 was awarded a High Distinction. The Australian team will be selected after a final examination in March.

Hale School Chemistry

The following boys are acknowledged, not for their performance in a one-off competition, but for their efforts during the year in their day-to-day Chemistry odyssey. These boys were the top ten students in their respective cohorts, taking into account the whole year's work, examination results, test results, practical work and assignments.

Year 10:

Jordan Aitken, Josh Reed, Sam Khor, Shrey Sharma, Jack Farrell, Paul Oliver, Joshua Hirsch, Jeremy Huynh, Aditya Eranki, David Vindin

Year 11:

Michael Liu, Toby Dawson, Binu Jayawardena, TJ Hoon, Cameron Fitzgerald, Joshua Chong, Rhodri Simmonds, Chris McFarlane, Geoffery Tan, Simon Joseph

Year 12:

Raymond Pritchard, Bharath Iyer, Edward Wang, Shovan Rath, James Lewin, Hsien Ern Tan, Timothy Widdicombe, James Sawyer, Matthew Dulaney and Yusof Muthahar

The Year 10 and 11 boys will, no doubt, be looking forward to being part of the Chemistry Challenge Programme in 2008.



Music

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS 2008

Violin & Pianoforte	T Takashima
Violonello & Pianoforte	C Jia
Saxophone & Voice	L Vickery
Violin & Pianoforte	A Wang
Trumpet and Piano	B Moody

MUSIC CAPTAINS 2007

Captain of Music	B Hogan
Vice-Captain (Choral)	D Sherry
Vice-Captain (Instrumental)	E Wang

Symbols awarded to:

M Arnold, A Ball, N Bean, B Caley, R Chapple,
S Davies, P Donnelly, J Farrell, L Fischer,
L Fitzmaurice, J Gardner, C Gherbaz, M Hagemann,
D Hardie, M Heyns, B Hogan, J Holborn, J Huynh,
D Ivanov, B Jayawardena, H-R Lee, E Lim,
L Malloch-Smith, B Meyer, T Montgomery, J Ng,
S Rath, M Riley, D Sherry, T Simmer-Knight,
C Skender, J Su, HE Tan, J Therry-Lim, N Valenti,
N Virgo, E Walker, J Weir, L Weir, P Whitfield,
O Williamson, J Wu, J Yapp

Colours awarded to:

J Holborn, D Sherry

After more than eight years' involvement with Hale Music, I have seen the Department grow in size, prestige, and variety. The construction of the John Inverarity Music and Drama Centre in 2000 not only made the Department physically imposing, but opened up countless opportunities for large-scale musical productions such as *Little Shop of Horrors* in 2005, the acclaimed Visiting Artists' Programme, and a series of informal lunchtime concerts. A number of small, barbershop choral groups were inaugurated this year, including *Inhale* and *Twelve in a Bar*. In Term 1 we had the first combined Symphony Orchestra/Concert Band camp, bringing together around 200 musicians from Hale and St Mary's. At *Music Under the Stars*, Senior School musicians joined with the Junior School band and orchestra for a monumental rendition of John Farnham's *You're the Voice*. We were pleased to be able to support our sister school St Mary's and host Ivanhoe Girls' Grammar School in Melbourne, by providing a venue and musicians for a combined concert in April. During the July school holidays, Hale St Mary's Cantate spent two weeks on the road, singing at England's major cathedrals. The recently conceived and tremendously successful *Jazz @ Hale* evening attracted more parents than ever before.

Week by week through regular rehearsals, the instrumentalists and singers in the 25-or-so Hale and Hale/St Mary's groups have worked together to hone their art. At the same time, our Music Department has become something of a home to us. Everything is there: the only soap to be found in the School, the best study desks, the best facilities, but more importantly, a very close and welcoming community. There are several people who must be honoured and thanked for their tireless work in nurturing the music fraternity at Hale. They include our esteemed and august director Mr Bushell and his ever-benevolent and gracious personal assistant, Mrs Waltham; the venerable Mrs Harper in the Music Library with her extensive knowledge, and our colourful and committed conductors, and teachers, in particular Mrs Sims, Mrs Chong and Mr Venables. I also wish to acknowledge Mr Meade and Mrs Meade for their active support of the Hale Music community.

As Hale eagerly awaits the 2008 sesquicentenary celebrations and the Music Department prepares for an enormous year, my co-captains Ed, Darryn and I congratulate all Hale musicians for their efforts this year. It has been great to see the Year 8s enjoy the Senior School music programme and we wish them fun and success in the future. Finally, I implore my fellow leavers to stay in contact with Hale Music as it grows and flourishes throughout the 21st century.

Ben Hogan
Captain of Music

ORCHESTRA

In 2007 Hale St Mary's Camerata officially became a fully fledged symphonic orchestra, assuming the name, the Hale St Mary's Symphony Orchestra. Rehearsing with full winds for the first hour of rehearsal throughout 2007 allowed the Camerata to flourish as a symphony orchestra. This year it has tackled demanding pieces such as Beethoven's *Symphony No. 1 in C major*, as it was arranged for the blockbuster movie trilogy, *Pirates of the Caribbean*, as well as Tchaikovsky's *Sleeping Beauty*, whilst being kept masterfully in check by Mrs Sims and Mrs Gethin. A prolific schedule of ten concertos formed an enormous part of the orchestra's repertoire.

The 2008 tour to Singapore and Malaysia promises to be a highlight of another successful year for the Hale St Mary's Camerata, as it continues its transformation into a symphony orchestra.

Edward Wang, Vice-Captain of Music (Instrumental),
Concertmaster of the Hale St Mary's Symphony Orchestra

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CONCERTS

For Hale students there was never a better time to try their hand at music, as a full calendar of musical concerts ranging from casual Thursday lunchtime recitals to the Governors' Concert and Concerto Night allowed boys the thrill of performing in front of an audience. Students were also able to explore the many fields of music, as close harmony barbershop quartets, pianos trios, full symphonic orchestras, jazz bands and even a mandolin and guitar orchestra all graced the auditorium stage throughout 2007. Two other highlights of the year included a tribute concert for Ms Chan and a LMusA preparatory recital by Alexander Vickery.

CHORAL EVENTS

The Barbershop singers expanded into three groups this year. They were aptly named *Twelve In A Bar*, directed by Mr Bushell, *The Hale Stones*, directed by Mrs Sims, and *Inhale*, directed by Mrs Chong. The expansion of this programme gave more boys the opportunity to sing in a close harmony environment, and as a result a greater variety of barbershop repertoire was performed. A master class given by the famous a capella quartet, *Idea of North* was enjoyed by all three groups, and was found to be very interesting and beneficial. At the end of the session, all 50 students had learned the advantages of listening carefully in a close harmony group and had performed in front of the singers of *Idea of North*, from whom they received many tips and helpful advice. The Big Barbershop Day Out (aka BBDO '07) was held early in the year and was a congregation of barbershops from various schools who wished to celebrate, perform and share their skills. Each barbershop had the opportunity

to come together with other singers, learn from outstanding educators, and if they wished, to perform one piece from their repertoire in front of a live audience. They also received ultra-cool BBDO '07 pens.

This year, the newly named *Hale Harmony* led by Mrs Chong and Mrs Sims was well received at the Hale May Concert and the Governors' Concert. Learning the barbershop style and the doo-wop style, as well as many of Mrs Chong's and Mrs. Sims' groovy dance moves, *Hale Harmony* performed numbers such as *Moondance*, *In the Still of the Night*, and other popular songs. The enthusiasm of the boys was such that they managed to attend every 7:30am rehearsal, in spite of daylight saving!

The highlight of the Hale Music Calendar was the Hale St Mary's Cantate tour to England. Fourteen St Mary's girls and thirteen Hale boys had the privilege of performing in the enormous, awe-inspiring cathedrals of England, including York Minster, Lincoln Cathedral, and Westminster Abbey. One of the enduring memories of the tour was the unfortunate 'misplacement' of the students' luggage upon arrival at Heathrow Airport. However, this one incident did not stop them from enjoying themselves. They still managed to go shopping, sightseeing and get lost in the streets of London. They also enjoyed participating in a master class at the Royal Academy of Music in London.

Choral music at Hale has had yet another fantastic and exciting year and with many good singers in the School, I am sure the quality of singing at Hale will continue to improve and amaze us all.

Darryn Sherry
Vice Captain of Music



music**HALE ST MARY'S
CONCERT BAND 1**

Conducted by Mr P Venables, Mr K Harrison

Piccolo : K van Rooyen**Flute :** M Yamamoto, E Lim,
E Jasper, S Mofflin,
J Cash, S Jamnadass,
N Askew**Oboe :** D Buurman, E Cumming**Bassoon :** H Gladstones, J Shield**Clarinet :** B Hogan, F Jones,
T Simmer-Knight,
K Cordy-Hedge, N Bean,
P Whitfield, L Green,
A Hall, E Falconer,
R Chapple, A McKenna,
S Raynor**Bass Clarinet :** P Cash, M D'Adamo**Alto Saxophone :** S Tennant, A Ball,
S Davies, L Weir,
R Ashwin, H Tan**Tenor****Saxophone :** M Riley, S Akers,
C Twigger**Baritone****Saxophone :** J Gardner
Trumpet : Y Takeshima, J Holborn,
D Ivanov, C Gherbaz,
J Weir, P Donnelly**French Horn :** K Enright, H Moore,
G Bannan, S Gee**Trombone :** L Fitzmaurice, B Caley,
N Shah, M Woollard,
J Farrell**Euphonium :** B Malcolm, G Salter**Tuba :** N Anandan, J Spryan**Percussion :** C Skender, T Smith,
J Loi, E Panos, E Walker,
O Williamson, D Hardie**HALE ST MARY'S CAMERATA**

Conducted by Mrs M Sims, Mrs J Gethin

Violin 1 : E Wang, A Vickery,
D Sherry, E Huynh,
N Pritchard, A Hon,
K Chin, E MacLaurin,
L Holt, J Wu**Violin 2 :** C Huxtable, L Fischer,
L Lee, J Yapp, SM Yoong,
KW Sun, H-R Lee, K Goh**Viola :** S Cowley, M Kyron,
L Buchanan, J Bradbury,
M Heyns**Violoncello :** J Huynh, R Lowe,
G Williamson,
G Serjeant,
A Buckeridge, D Hansen,
A Thornton**Double Bass :** N Virgo

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HALE ST MARY'S
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Conducted by Mrs M Sims, Mrs J Gethin

Flute: M Yamamoto,
E Jasper

Oboe: D Buurman,
E Cumming

Clarinet: B Hogan,
T Simmer-Knight

Bassoon: H Gladstones, J Shield

Trumpet: Y Takeshima, J Holborn

French Horn: K Enright, H Moore

Trombone: L Fitzmaurice



HALE ST MARY'S
CONCERTANTE

Conducted by Ms E Chong, Ms S Clare

Violin 1 : E Clarke, D Price,
C Weber, A Hon,
E Lamberto, M Crofts,
B Karnadi, C Sandhu
Violin 2 : L O'Shea, G Zhang,
I Griffiths, B Doig,
R Trehan, A Ninkov,
S Patel, A Xu

Viola : J Hallett, D D'Adamo,
R Tonkin, M Purton,
R Nicholson

Violoncello : E Sullivan, S Nicholson,
C Burch, W Fan,
M Gorecki, A Burch,
J Havlat

Double Bass : Z Gladstones



music**HALE ST MARY'S
CONCERT BAND 2**

Conducted by Mr M Taylor, Mr J Moore

- Flute :** M Zheng, H Takashima,
T Nicholson,
S McCormack, N Giles,
M du Plessis
- Oboe :** M Askew
- Bassoon :** E Mitchell
- Clarinet :** G Fatin, L Huxtable,
S Embry, M Read,
C Bloecker, E Herbert,
S Shah, C Armstrong,
S Mack, T Al-Kaisi,
A Darby, C Russell
- Bass Clarinet :** A Birman
- Alto Saxophone :** S Khor, C Adler, M Lam,
N Cordy-Hedge,
A Vieraitis, M Heyns,
S Kelley, A Killen
- Tenor
Saxophone :** N Bowes, P Anderson
- Baritone
Saxophone :** C Woolfrey
- Trumpet :** A Carslake, M Bartlett,
I Chiang, L Saare,
P Burke, A Malde,
R Stephenson
- French Horn :** B Sprlyan, H Mofflin
- Trombone :** G Eastwood,
T Buurman, A Parker,
T Bartlett
- Euphonium :** C Hoyle
- Percussion :** H Bond, L Han, M Ng,
L Valenti, J Rickett

**HALE ST MARY'S
CONCERT BAND 3**

Conducted by Mr G Kerr, Mr A Greig

- Flute :** S Carter, A Malone,
T Horton, B Raynor,
V Young, D Fawkes
- Oboe :** S Smith
- Bassoon :** I Tyson
- Clarinet :** L O'Shea, D Riddell,
A Lewin, S Boyd,
A Ioppolo, T Ruhai,
D Ashwin, D Thornton,
L Baars, S Pearce
- Alto Saxophone :** B Pallas, K Stevens,
R Yeoh, G Dunlap
- Baritone
Saxophone :** S Ashford
- Trumpet :** J Peos, S Berryman,
C Knox
- French Horn :** D Marsh, N Kirton
- Trombone :** S Durand
- Euphonium :** K Frearson, A Murdoch
- Bass Guitar :** H Giles
- Percussion :** A Ferrier, N Stanley,
J Fischer, C Patrick,
A Smith

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HALE ST MARY'S CONCERT BAND 4

Conducted by Mr P Venables, Mr J Moore

- Flute :** E Nie, C Panos, D van der Post,
J Ruggiero, L MacLaurin, A Khuu,
M Jamieson, V Kwok, K Fisher,
M Tresize
- Flute :** L Do
- Bassoon :** E Twigger
- Clarinet :** J Prince, J Lane, M Koelemij, L Michel,
J Whitby, J Price, J Murray, H Cottrill,
J Wong, A Whitehead, A Davies
- AltoSaxophone :** A Mann, E Phillips,
C Askew, T Rossiter, C Tull
- Tenor
Saxophone :** R Atkinson
- Baritone
Saxophone :** S MacDonald
- Trombone :** A Lim
- Tuba :** C Peoples
- Percussion :** V Shah, D Vaswani, S Forward,
J Gherbaz, R McKenna



HALE ST MARY'S SINFONIA

Conducted by Miss S Ellison, Ms S Clare

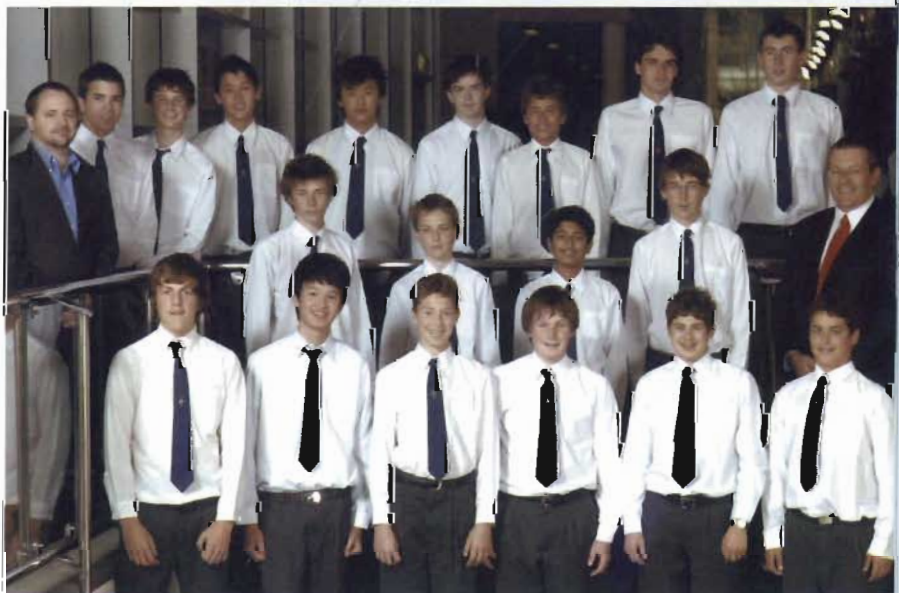
- Violin 1 :** R Huynh, N Harrison, H Bishell,
P Newnan, J Beh, G Burnfield,
T Ryan, E Weeda
- Violin 2 :** E Papadimitriou, P Keong, S Nair,
M Smith, E Gelavis, R Cant, L Frewer,
R Arnold, J Hogan
- Viola :** T Carruthers, S Robb, N Giannini
- Violoncello :** A Sandover, G Chapple,
W McKelvie, D Laczko,
R Gillam, S Ogden,
F Hall, M Young,
L Ntoumenopoulos, S Dennis



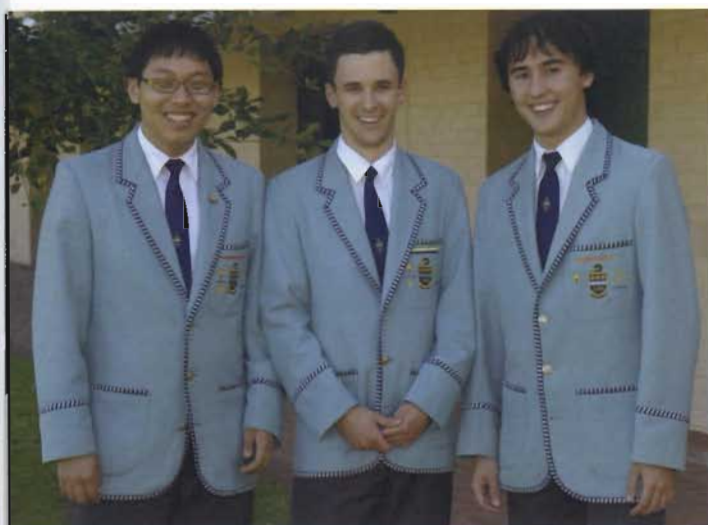
HALE STAGE BAND

Conducted by Mr G Kerr and Mr P Venables

- Back Row (l to r) :** Mr G Kerr, S Marnewick, J Rickett,
S Khor, B Tan, R Chapple, C Knox,
J Weir, T Bartlett
- Middle Row :** G Eastwood, L Saare, A Kaushik,
R Stephenson, Mr P Venables
- Front Row :** H Williams, M Lam, B Pallas, J Gardner,
C Adler, N Cordy-Hedge
- Absent :** N Bowes, S Chandra



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MUSIC CAPTAINS

(l to r) : E Wang (Vice-Captain Instrumental), B Hogan (Captain of Music), D Sherry (Vice-Captain Choral)



HALE ST MARY'S PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

Standing (l to r) : Mr C Mills, K Etherington, J Marsh, D Llanwarne
Seated : J Bamford, L Lee, A Jardine, N Francis, N Wilkinson



HALE PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE

Standing (l to r) : E Walker, C Skender, A Ferrier, Mr C Mills
Seated : J Fischer, N Natarajan, M Ng



HALE SAXOPHONE ENSEMBLE

Standing (l to r) : A Ball, L Weir, Mr M Collinson
Seated : T Montgomery, R Ashwin



HALE HARMONY

Back Row (l to r) : L Fischer, L Malloch-Smith, E Wang, D Sherry, HE Tan, B Jayawardena, Mrs SL Chong, Mrs M Sims
3rd Row : J Bradbury, J Wu, G Fatin, R Chapple, L Fitzmaurice, A Hon, B Tan, J Therry-Lim, D Ivanov
2nd Row : W Udayana, J Hogan, E de Silva, L Lee, J Murray, L Han, J Havlat, M Smith, D Laczko
Front Row : R Tonkin, R Huynh, F Hall, C Russell, D Price, J Huynh, T Ruhul, L O'Shea, R Gillam



COMBINED SENIOR CHAMBER MUSIC GROUPS

Back Row (l to r) : C Burch, J Wu, J Bradbury, L Fischer, Miss S Ellison, Ms E Chong, Mr A Smith
Middle Row : J Havlat, L Han, L Lee, M Smith, R Huynh, HE Tan, J Yapp
Front Row : J Huynh, L O'Shea, D Price, R Gillam, D Laczko, D Sherry, E Wang

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SENIOR GUITAR ENSEMBLE

Standing (l to r) : B Meyer, M Hagemann, S Rath, Mr M Roberts
Seated : L Fitzmaurice, M Arnold



HALE INTERMEDIATE GUITAR ENSEMBLE

Back Row (l to r) : J Reed, E James, G Eastwood, R Moynihan, J Abbott, B Meyer, Mr M Roberts
Front Row : A Wilkinson, E McInnes, H Giles, E Reed, J Hanna, S F Wen



HALE WOODWIND ENSEMBLE

(l to r) : M Askew, E Mitchell, C Armstrong, Mr A Roberts, R Chapple, N Bean



FUNK BAND

(l to r) : A Ball, T Simmer-Knight, C Skender, J Holborn
Absent: Mr G Lee



HALE STONES

(l to r) : B Jayawardena, H-E Tan, J Therry-Lim, Mrs M Sims, R Tonkin, L Han, J Wu
Absent: N Bean, N Bowes, M Gorecki



FOURCE

(l to r) : A Hon, A Vickery, Mrs M Sims, J Huynh, K Chin

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12 IN A BAR

Back Row: A Hon, L Fischer, L Malloch-Smith, D Sherry, A Vickery, E Wang
Front Row: G Bannan, J Huynh, W Udayana, K Chin, J Yapp
Absent: Mr A Bushell, G Ashforth



HALE JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Back Row (l to r): Mr G Kerr, P Anderson, A Vieraitis, G Fatin, T Rossiter, H Giles, Mr P Venables

Front Row: N Stanley, J Peos, L Stüben, A Bell, L O'Shea

Absent: S Ashford, S Forward, A Lim, S MacDonald, R Yeoh



HALE JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Back Row (l to r): R Ashwin, T Montgomery, L Weir, A Ball, S Davies, C Skender, Mr P Venables

Middle Row: J Farrell, B Caley, L Fitzmaurice, O O'Neill, C Beecroft-Stewart, E de Silva

Front Row: C Gherbaz, J Holborn, P Donnelly, D Ivanov, P Mazzulla, Mr G Kerr

Absent: T Simmer-Knight, R Dawson



INHALE

(l to r): B Joseph, G Fatin, Mrs SL Chong, J Leslie, R Chapple



PSA Summer Sport



1st V Basketball



1ST V BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): Mr E Cecins (Coach), R O'Sullivan, A Ashwin, N Haslam, B Pascoe, M Schmidt

Front Row: N Francis, F Sala, N Freind, A Goh, M Graus, K Goh

Absent: G Lawson

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WJ Edgar Trophy:

Best All Court Player

N Freind

GN Samuel Trophy:

Most Improved Player

A Ashwin

SG Luck Trophy:

Most Promising Year 10

X Davidson

Symbols awarded to:

A Ashwin, N Francis, K Goh, G Lawson, R O'Sullivan, B Pascoe

Honours awarded to:

N Freind

2ND V BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r):

H Hayes,

M Graus,

M Riley,

J Leslie,

M Kyron,

J Borrill

Front Row:

S Joseph,

B Jayawardena,

N Francis,

Mr R Clarke (Coach),

M Bin Omar,

J Gan,

T Anderson



The 1st V team was a harmonious group of boys focussed in their desire to win the Blackwood Cup – a feat that has eluded the School for more than a decade. In January, a highly successful tour to Singapore was undertaken and this provided the boys with the opportunity to gain fitness and cohesion. At the Old Boys' Summer Sports Day, the boys pushed the strong Old Boys' team for the duration of the match before going down by a solitary point.

The first official fixture of the season was against the highly rated Trinity team. The first half went poorly and resulted in a 20 point deficit. After eight minutes of the second half, a spirited fight back by Hale saw the gap reduced to seven points. Unfortunately, the star Trinity player, a State representative, turned his team's fortunes around in the final twelve minutes of the fixture and Hale slumped to a 31 point loss. Trinity finished the season undefeated and won the Blackwood Cup.

The next three games against Guildford, Aquinas and Wesley all resulted in wins for Hale. The fixture against Christ Church, the equal pre-season favourite, determined who would finish outright second in the competition. The game took a similar turn to the opening fixture against Trinity. Hale was outplayed in the first half then fought back strongly in the second only to lose in the final ten minutes.

With one game remaining, Hale's aim was to secure outright third place in the competition which fortunately it did, playing its best team game against the unpredictable Scotch team – a great way to finish the season.

The trophy for *Most Valuable Player* went to Nathan Freind. He averaged 27.8 points per game and his attitude and leadership were superb. Nathan was awarded Honours in recognition of three fine seasons in the 1st V. Aidan Ashwin was named the *Most Improved*

player and Adrian Goh received the *Coach's Award*. There was strong support from all of their team mates, in particular Year 12s, Nick Haslam, Nick Francis, Gus Lawson, Mark Schmidt, Keng Goh, Filip Sala and Bevan Pascoe.

A strong Year 10 group should provide the basis for another very competitive team. Perhaps that elusive Blackwood Cup will finally find its way back into the Hale trophy cabinet in 2008!

Mr DE Cecins

The players in the 2nd V were a fantastic group of boys, with great team spirit and excellent skills. Each member of the squad began every game with a sense of focus and vigour, wanting to give his best for the team. Following an early loss to Trinity, the boys won a string of games against quality opposition, losing only once more in a very close contest with Scotch.

Their results reflect the depth in the team. Josh Borrill, Josh Leslie and Mark Graus were all very capable on-court leaders who ensured speed and purpose in being able to move the ball in offence. Matthew Riley and Marcus Bin Omar provided the team with similar strength under the basket in vital contests for possession. Finally, the long range shooting prowess of Mike Kyron, Nick Francis and Hylton Hayes meant that Hale was always going to be a formidable opposition. This was especially notable in the last fixture when Hylton gave the crowd a shooting exhibition, sinking every shot from the field.

It was a pleasure to work with this team. I also thank Mr Cecins, coach of the 1st V, for his support and look forward to next season.

Mr R Clarke

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3RD V BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): M Hagemann, K Bailey, J Leslie, J Furner, A Carson, M Stevens, N Stewart

Front Row: L Chapman, C Hardie, Mr P Sansalone (Coach), T Anderson, T Smith



4TH V BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): M Ridley, L Schrum, J Ng, D Kiel, M Poh

Front Row: M Liu, Mr P Sansalone (Coach), B Whitham



10A BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): M Roy, D Henderson, T Sawyer, N Benjamin, L Thomas, L Ashby

Front Row: D Pascoe, C Vacca, Mr M Giles (Coach), S McEntee, J Therry-Lim

Absent: X Davidson

It was a tough season for the 3rd V team, but the boys played well to end up in the middle of the table with three wins and three losses. Hale was able to win a number of games convincingly against Christ Church and Guildford, but in a couple of close encounters, the team was edged out in the last minutes, particularly against Wesley and Aquinas.

Notable performances came from Nicolas Stewart and Tom Smith who never missed a training session or a game, putting in a maximum effort throughout the season. Also impressive was Matthew Stevens, who worked his way up from the 4th V to become a regular player in the 3rd V side.

Special thanks go to Mr Cecins and Mr Clarke for their assistance coaching the boys this year and to the parents who attended the games and showed the boys the support they needed at 7:45 am on Saturday mornings.

Mr P Sansalone

The 10A basketball team has been one of the strongest in recent years. Many players are members of district clubs and the depth in the team has made it difficult to choose just ten players every week. No other



10B BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): L Bennett-Menezes, R Pearce, Mrs L Green (Coach), A Diamond, M Lam

Front Row: T Rivers, O Johnston, J Lam, E Li, J Wu, V Shah



10C BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): Y Huang, L Huxtable, J Reed, K Shahril, A Scannell, Mr B Butler (Coach)

Front Row: J Ovens, N Shave, C Gherbaz, E Cameron, E Panos

Absent: S Khor, J Corsini

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team has come closer than 20 points this season and this statistic is a credit to the quality of the defence that has been played by Hale.

The defensive strategy from Hale was the key to every victory. The team played a full court press and a strong man-to-man defence that broke the rhythm of opposition sides and led to easy scoring opportunities from fast breaks and quick transitions into offensive moves.

Consistent top performances came from Xavier Davidson, Cameron Vacca, Dale Henderson and Lewis Thomas who were capably supported by Leigh Ashby, Michael Lam, Michael Roy, Jay Therry-Lim, Dan Pascoe, Samuel McEntee, Nathan Benjamin and Tristan Sawyer.

When the team had a full complement of fit players, they looked unbeatable. The game against Christ Church was an example. With only a few points difference at half time and feeling under pressure, it seemed Hale would be struggling to win. The second half proved a turning point. The ball was moved quickly through many players in offence and the defence was stepped up a notch. Hale won by 22 points in what was one of its closest matches.

Mr M Giles

The 10B basketball team finished a creditable second on the ladder after four wins and two losses. All members of the team contributed to the overall success of the team by giving their best at all times. The boys played with enthusiasm and determination to win, often using 'next basket wins' as their motivation. Offensively, there were some fine individual performances and the team was able to take advantage of this and work cooperatively together. Defensively, the team worked hard to limit the scoring opportunities of the opposing sides. Although Hale lost the game to CCGS by eight points, the game was undoubtedly a highlight. It showcased the determined effort and enthusiasm by the whole team and the boys did not give up trying their best until the end. Congratulations go to all of the players for their efforts throughout the entire season.

Mrs L Green

The 10C players had a great season overall. They were able to utilise skills learned at training and focus this into consistent and well executed games. The best games for the season included the opener against Trinity (47/15) and the game against Scotch College (35/8). Consistent performances from all players ensured the boys were a difficult team to beat. At the end of the season, the team finished with four wins and one loss. Well done to all of the boys for giving every game their very best. It has been great to see each player continue to improve his skills and knowledge of the game. The most improved player for the season was Elliott Panos, who became an excellent defender, and the most consistent and determined player was Joshua Reed, who is commended for his leadership throughout the season. Well done boys.

Mr B Butler

The 9A basketball team had a mixed season, with some good wins and a couple of tight losses that could have gone either way. Hale started the season with good wins against Trinity and Guildford but was unable to defeat a well-drilled Aquinas side, Wesley or the undefeated Christ Church. However, in the last game against Scotch, the boys played well together and were able to outplay their opposition.

Over the season, centres Matthew Taggart and Luke Shipway showed they will be forces to be reckoned with in the future. James Rivers was inspirational with many, 'how did he do that,' plays. Luke Falconer, Rhys Bedford and Fraser Simcock displayed great control of the ball at guard and the small forward brigade of Levi Copley, Harrison Schaus, Seng Foong Wen and Scott Wilson, provided solid defence and great run in transition. All of the boys were a pleasure to coach and I wish them every success in the future.

Mr B Hantke



9A BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): Mr B Hantke (Coach), J Rivers, L Shipway, S Foong Wen, S Wilson

Front Row: L Copley, L Falconer, H Schaus, R Bedford, F Simcock



9B BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): Mr M Dawson (Coach), D Chu, M Gorecki, M Stevens, L Geidans

Front Row: Z Paul, M Kurniawan, A Vieraitis, D Tan, S Locke, P Anderson



9C BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): Dr D Colclough (Coach), M Clarke, M Heyns, A Dunbar, A Wilkinson, C Cousins, M Whinnen

Middle Row: J Beh, A Lewin, D Grierson, P Anderson Loake, C Strickland, A Gorter, K Varma

Front Row: D van der Post, J Dean, E Turner, J Tan, B Curtis, E Teo

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8A BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): J Schoonens, D Crisp, B Lim, Mr M Walsh (Coach), C Carson, M Hughes, J Simkovic

Front Row: B Joseph, H Bradley, J Prince, B Pascoe, S Little, C O'Brien



8B BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): O Pearce, N Francis, J Price, Mr A O'Garr (Coach), D Haslam, M Longbottom, T Head

Middle Row: K Nair, O Callisto, D Bishop, J Havlat, R Atkinson, J Hanna

Front Row: L Lee, P Sudlow, I Lee

Absent: T Ryan



8C BASKETBALL

Back Row (l to r): B Fowler, J McAuliffe, M McGellin, L Della-Franca, M Siemer, A Flett

Front Row: A Sandover, M Ogden, Mr T J Steenekamp (Coach), E Papadimitriou, E Nie

The 9C squad was extremely popular and by the end, 21 regular, keen, enthusiastic players turned up to training and represented the School with pride.

It became evident that choosing a team to play each week was going to be difficult as each boy was prepared to give 100%. Being tall certainly helped when it came to defending, and although rebounding was a skill the boys needed to work hard at, they certainly made a concerted effort to improve in this area.

It was a pleasure to be part of a team that believed so strongly in fair-play. Injustice was the only thing that caused tempers to flair, thus it was that 9C was able to move so expertly through the season as a winning squad. With so many players it was expected that less time would be available for each person on the court, and player substitutions were handled with maturity. The team came first.

Dr DM Colclough

The 8A basketball team enjoyed a successful season with a 5-1 win/loss record. The only loss was by six points in the first game against Trinity. The team easily accounted for all other teams, although Aquinas and Wesley proved to be very competitive units.

The athletic Brendon Lim dominated under the basket all season and proved too strong and quick. Ben Pascoe showed his tremendous skill and basketball knowledge in all games. Seymoure Little often scored with a variety of trick shots. Jacob Schoonens also played with great flair and skill. Chris Carson was the team's other key tall and he played aggressively under the basket at both ends. Haydn Bradley and Daniel Crisp linked up well with the 'talls' and made many well executed passing shots. Jackson Simkovic was important to the team with his deadly left hand lay-ups and jump shots. Morgan Hughes provided the third big man option for the team and worked hard in defence. Ben Joseph and Cameron O'Brien were both injured for most of the season, but made a positive contribution in the few games they did play.

All players are congratulated on their high level of team play. The sportsmanship displayed in all games was most pleasing, as was their commitment and interest during training.

Mr M Walsh

The 8B basketball players this year have exhibited a high level of sportsmanship and a willingness to work hard, develop their court craft and improve their basic skills. This team had a large number of players and the boys quickly learned the value of having a team with depth. As circumstances changed in a game, injury and involvement in other school activities, it was not always possible to put forward the best team players each week. However, due to the strength and depth of the team, the boys achieved five wins from six games. The experience gained against other teams was invaluable and should help all team members in the future. I was delighted to be associated with such a fine group of young men and look forward to hearing of their continued success.

Mr O'Garr

The 8C basketball team had a very successful season winning five of its six games, losing only the last game against Scotch by one goal. This result was a true reflection of the boys' commitment, determination and enthusiasm not only during practice but also during game time. Each of the boys played a crucial part in the success of the team. A special mention goes to Brock Fowler for the most improved player and to Edwin Nie for his 'never say die' attitude and great leadership, setting the standard for the rest of the team. I would like to thank all the boys for their dedication, hard work and great sportsmanship; you have done yourselves proud!

Mr TJ Steenekamp

Squash

Dean Williams Perpetual Trophy: Best Singles Player V Shah

Symbols awarded to: T Montgomery

The 2007 squash season was as active as ever and all players improved their skills. It was heartening to see so many juniors coming down to training. Our Interschool competition was held down at Cambridge Squash Centre once again, and although we tried hard, no Hale team made it through to the finals. The School Squash championships welcomed 2006 Junior title holder Vikeer Shah into the senior ranks for the first time. Even as a Year 10 he proved to be too strong for the competition and he now has the opportunity to win the Dean Williams perpetual trophy for three consecutive years.

In the Junior Championships, Keshav Nair was up against Haydn Bradley in the final. Haydn had not played during the regular season and he put up a good fight but Keshav emerged the victor. Many junior players are really keen to improve their standard, so Hale squash should improve over the next few years. The players thank Mr Alderson for his excellent coaching.



1ST SQUASH

Back Row (l to r): M Duncan, T Anderson, L Owen, T Montgomery, V Shah, Mr D Alderson



JUNIOR SQUASH

Back Row (l to r): T Rossiter, K Nair, B McAlpine, O Pearce, M Ogden, Mr D Alderson

Sailing

The sport of sailing is yet to become a summer option at Hale, however, the School continues to support those students keen to participate in the Yachting Western Australia **Sunsmart** Secondary Schools Teams' Racing Championships. This event is held in the April school holidays and the number of schools who participate is growing each year, with some schools entering two teams. Training for Hale boys is held at the Royal Perth Yacht Club in Puffin Pacer dinghies. This year, 17 schools took part in the Teams' Racing Championships, with Hale finishing in the top pool and seventh overall. The team members were Tom Lovelady (Capt) and James Clarke (Y11), James Naisbitt (Y12), Sam Jameson and Michael Gorecki (Y9) and Mats Koelemij and Tim Rossiter (Y8).

Due to various sporting and academic commitments during Term 1, the boys were unable to attend regular training sessions and therefore opted to train on the weekend prior to the regatta. The boys were coached by Old Boy, Steven Thomas. They gained valuable boat handling tips and tactical advice and given the minimal time spent on the water in training, performed exceptionally well. Training culminated in a debriefing on water performance and ended with a theory and tactical session.

The three day regatta saw some close racing and some magnificent battles. Hale did well to finish in the A pool following the first round of racing. The boys showed great sportsmanship both on and off the water and are looking forward to a better result in 2008. Mats and Tim represented the School at the Individual Championships held at Mounts Bay Sailing Club, where they competed in an international 420 dinghy and secured second place.

Trevor Whittle, the club's Development Officer is thanked for his kind assistance and so too is Steven. Well done boys – you did us all proud! My special thanks to the School, sportsmaster Simon Young and to all the Parents for their continued and generous support.

Sr J Thomas- Sailing Team Manager



SAILING

Back Row (l to r): S Thomas, J Naisbitt, S Jameson, T Rossiter, M Gorecki, Sr J Thomas

Front Row: J Clarke, T Lovelady, M Koelemij

1st XI Cricket



1ST XI CRICKET

Back Row (l to r): Mr S Henderson (Coach), A Cameron, C Murdoch, D Vernon, D Mitchell, G Salter, N Jones, Mr R Gray (Manager)

Front Row: T Jenkins, A Smail, N Smith, L Gepp, D Haylett-Petty, C Lim, N Shah

Cricket

Charles Veryard Trophy:

Randall Trophy:

AH Christian Trophy:

Derek Chadwick Cricketer of the Year:

Old Haleians' Trophy:

The Irvine Trophy:

Symbols awarded to:

Colours awarded to:

Best Batsman

Best Bowler

Highest Wicket Aggregate

D Haylett-Petty

Best Fieldsman

Most Promising Year 10

A Cameron, T Jenkins, N Jones, C Lim, G Salter, N Shah, A Smail, D Vernon

D Haylett-Petty, C Lim, D Mitchell

D Mitchell

C Lim

D Haylett-Petty

N Jones

T Jenkins

2ND XI CRICKET

Back Row (l to r):

J Turner, J Wood, S Sherring,

Mr M Campbell (Coach),

C Murdoch, S Young, M Wilson

Front Row:

S Jain, S Quenby, D Kaye, A Kelly,

A Hall, T Lewis, J Payne



The 1st XI commenced the 2007 Darlot Cup season full of confidence, following some impressive performances in Term 4 and also in the Cricket Festival in January. Hale won three games in Term 4, and drew its other match, and won all four games against Interstate schools in the Festival. The side was very well prepared for what was to be an absorbing contest for the Darlot Cup.

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Hale 181 Mitchell 60, Salter 31 def **Aquinas** 106 Jones 3/7, Salter 3/36.

Hale 7/247 Shah 67, Gepp 42, Salter 31 drew with **Trinity** 8/139 Smail 3/10, Lim 2/6, Salter 2/28.

Hale 5/211 Mitchell 52, Haylett-Petty 48no, Cameron 35 def **Scotch** 208 Morton 4/15, Haylett-Petty 2/19.

Hale 5/167 Cameron 84no, Salter 37 def **Guildford** 8/164 Jones 3/12, Smith 2/14.

CRICKET FESTIVAL – HALE SCHOOL

Hale 206 Smith 51no, Cameron 43 def **Geelong College** 150 Salter 3/48.

Hale 8/205 Mitchell 52, Murdoch 47, Haylett-Petty 45no, Shah 34 def **Barker College** 6/203 Haylett-Petty 3/12.

Hale 2/187 Cameron 51 ret, Tolentino 38no,

Murdoch 36 ret def **Scotch College** 111 Cameron 3/10, Smith 3/23.

Hale 9/217 Haylett-Petty 37 def **Trinity Grammar** 111 Salter 4/38, Haylett-Petty 3/7.

DARLOT CUP

Round 1: Trinity

Trinity 248 Salter 5/88 and 3/36 Lim 2/7 def **Hale** 229 Mitchell 95, Haylett-Petty 59.

Bowling first, Hale's bowlers initially had difficulty bowling a consistent line. Trinity batted positively, and made the most of dropped catches. Salter deserved his fine figures of 5/88 from 26 overs. Hale then had trouble recovering from being 3/20 in the run chase. Mitchell's long innings of 95 showed tremendous concentration. He received terrific support from Haylett-Petty in a 101 run partnership for the fourth wicket. However, the side fell 19 runs short of the Trinity total.

Round 2: Guildford

Hale 233 Lim 52, Salter 50, Haylett-Petty 45 def **Guildford** 86 Haylett-Petty 5/27, Salter 3/15, Jones 2/14 and 0/50.

Hale won the toss and batted first but was soon in strife at 2/1. With some solid middle-order batting from Salter, Haylett-Petty and Lim, the total advanced to a respectable score. Then, a wonderful spell of fast bowling

from Haylett-Petty had Guildford reeling at 3/9, a position from which they were unable to recover. Salter and Jones were in fine form with the ball. Had it not been for a rain delay of two and a half hours, Hale may have been in a position to press for outright points.

Round 3: Aquinas

Aquinas 204 Lim 6/24, Haylett-Petty 2/34 and 5/46 Haylett-Petty 2/14, Smith 2/24 def **Hale** 174 Mitchell 78, Haylett-Petty 33.

A very similar situation to the Trinity game took place at Aquinas where Hale again struggled to chase a score that was well within reach. On the first afternoon, the bowling of both Lim and Haylett-Petty was too good for the Aquinas top order. Mitchell again held the Hale innings together, but he lacked support. Wickets fell at regular intervals, with seven batsmen failing to reach double figures.

Round 4: Wesley

Hale 181 Gepp 37, Jones 24no, Smith 24 def **Wesley** 156 Haylett-Petty 4/39, Vernon 2/21 and 7/211 Shah 2/10.

A very tight encounter saw Hale reach the Wesley total with only one wicket in hand! With the score at a precarious 7/103, a solid partnership between captain Gepp and Lim saw the total creep closer to the target

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**3RD XI CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): S Sherring, S Cheetham, C Fulwood, R Fleay, T McNeill, Mr B Will (Coach)

Front Row: P Vrankovich, P Nunn, W Forrester, L Mellor, N Kommer, M Cockcroft

**4TH XI CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): Mr B Will (Coach), N Scott, S Cowley, J Helliwell, J Stretch, R Hammersley

Middle Row: D Counsel, D Smith, G Moriarty, AJ McDonald, D Gault, J Gray, D MacLeod

Front Row: N Anandan, E de Silva, M Sadka, T Mugford, T Dawson, J Cockcroft

**10A CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): T Jenkins, E Walker, S Marsh, J Aitken, A Hamp, B Giles, H Van der Merwe, Mr R Piggot (Coach)

Front Row: A Ninkov, J Farrell, N Crosby, C Hearn, J Bradshaw, T Young, M Lim

required. Last pair Jones and Vernon batted sensibly under pressure and the side was safely home. Earlier, Wesley struggled against the pace bowling of Haylett-Petty and Vernon, who were aided by two run-outs in some superb fielding.

Round 5: Christ Church

Hale 3/124 declared Haylett-Petty 84no and 1/61 Mitchell 29no def **Christ Church** 51 Lim 4/12, Vernon 3/6, Salter 2/1 and 132 Salter 3/37, Cameron 2/1, Lim 2/23 outright.

The chance of an outright victory was set up early as Hale had the visitors all out prior to tea! Lim and Vernon bowled with fire and accuracy. Then, thanks to some power-house hitting from all-rounder Haylett-Petty, whose 84no came off only 37 balls and included 5 sixes, Hale was able to declare an hour prior to stumps on the first afternoon. Again, the Christ Church batting faltered, with spinners Salter and Cameron also getting into the act in the second innings. Mitchell and Salter had little trouble in gathering the 60 runs required for victory. Hale won the match outright by 1:45pm on the second day!

Round 6: Scotch

Hale 6/223 declared Cameron 63no, Mitchell 57, Lim 49 and 7/62 def **Scotch** 175 Haylett-Petty 6/48, Lim 3/31 and 151 Lim 4/28, Salter 2/20, Cameron 2/22.

At the start of the final round, Trinity, Aquinas, and Hale, were all in a position to win the Darlot Cup. Hale required a second outright victory to challenge for the top spot. Hale sent Scotch into bat after winning the toss. Opening bowlers Haylett-Petty and Lim wrapped up the Scotch innings very early. Hale then set about batting positively.

Strong middle-order contributions from Cameron, Mitchell and Lim enabled the side to declare with a first innings lead of 48. Hale bowled Scotch out with only 50 minutes of play remaining, but then had the task of hitting 104 runs for an outright victory in only nine overs!

Congratulations to all players for their superb efforts throughout the season. Thanks also to Mr R Gray for his terrific organisation as Team Manager. Special mention is also made of the wonderful ongoing support from parents and grandparents and their lunches and afternoon teas.

Mr S Henderson**10B CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): L Vrankovich, M Chapman, J Humphries, Mr A Dean (Coach), N Wilson, G Eastwood, P Burke

Front Row: M Evans, T Wright, S Howieson, D Tabeart, D Vijayakumar, B Evans

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The Hale 2nd XI began strongly with a strong win, bundling Trinity out for a paltry 52 and then running up 232 runs. Callum Murdoch 5/4 and David Vernon 4/26 bowled with fire and control. Under no pressure, Hale enjoyed important batting practice with Andrew Kelly 62, Vernon 43 and Calvin Tolentino 52 scoring well. In the game against Guildford, rain spoilt what may have been a close match. When rain halted play Hale was 6/124. With no covers to protect the wicket, the game was cancelled.

In the contest against Aquinas, Hale began well posting 76 runs in the first hour, with Kelly 36 and Michael Wilson giving the team an excellent start. The Hale middle order succumbed to the Aquinas attack. Hale bowled well but was unable to convert a number of chances, with dropped catches and missed stumpings proving costly. Aquinas battled to overhaul the Hale total. 135 runs were never going to be enough on a good batting pitch. Liam Scott bowled well to take 3/15.

Hale batted first against Wesley and opened with Kelly, Turner and Wilson serving Hale well. Hale's middle order misfired and at lunch was 9/130. An unbroken last wicket stand of 64 between Scott (41no) and Sid Jain (19no) turned the game in Hale's favour, enabling Hale to reach 9/194. Hale destroyed Wesley in a devastating session to be all out for 53. All Hale bowlers played a part, with Alistair Smail and Simon Quenby setting Wesley back on their heels. Murdoch cleaned up the middle order taking 3/11.

Against Christ Church, Hale batted first under ideal conditions and compiled a sound 210 with a fine partnership between Lewis (40) and Kaye (32), adding 82 runs. Hale dismissed CCGS comfortably for 117, with Smail 3/16 and Wood 4/30 bowling with good penetration.

In the last game of the season, Hale and Scotch played attractive cricket. Hale batted aggressively first and posted early runs but lost many wickets in doing so. Kaye (69) and Wood (45) were the only batsmen to stay at the crease for any length of time, except for Jack Payne (24) who guided Hale to a competitive score. Hale had trouble initially with Scotch at 1/109. A great boundary throw from Kelly resulted in a run out that changed the game. Soon Hale's bowlers (Murdoch 3/39) found their line and a steady fall of wickets put Scotch behind the run rate required. With one over to go, it was believed that 15 runs were needed for victory, and when these were achieved, Scotch was jubilant. However, on checking the scores, it was found that Hale had won by 11 runs in a remarkable turn of events.

Overall it was a very successful season with four wins, one draw and one loss. Despite the early loss of its elected captain Blair Stone due

1st XI Darlot Cup Batting Averages

BATSMAN	INNINGS	NOT OUTS	HIGHEST	RUNS	AVERAGE
N Jones	5	4	24*	62	62.00
D Haylett-Petty	7	1	84*	237	39.50
D Mitchell	8	1	95	265	37.85
A Cameron	7	3	63*	102	25.50
C Lim	6	0	52	137	22.83
G Salter	8	1	50	116	16.57
N Smith	8	0	24	96	12.00
D Vernon	3	0	16	32	10.66
L Gepp	6	0	37	63	10.50
C Morton	1	0	10	10	10.00
N Shah	5	0	15	37	7.40
A Smail	3	1	6*	8	4.00
T Jenkins	1	0	3	3	3.00

1st XI Darlot Cup Bowling Averages

BOWLER	OVERS	MAIDENS	RUNS	WICKETS	AVERAGE
N Shah	4	1	14	2	7.00
C Lim	98	24	207	22	9.41
D Haylett-Petty	121.2	30	345	24	14.38
D Vernon	35	8	102	7	14.57
A Cameron	47.2	18	89	6	14.83
D Mitchell	32.3	8	87	5	17.40
N Jones	29	4	62	3	20.66
G Salter	99.3	13	382	18	21.22
N Smith	26	4	96	4	24.00
A Smail	15	3	35	1	35.00
C Morton	10	2	49	0	
T Jenkins	1	0	5	0	

to injury, Andrew Kelly led the way winning the *Players' Award* and Jack Payne received the *Coach's Award*.

Mr MR Campbell

The 3rd XI began the 2007 season with high expectations and delivered a series of outstanding performances to finish undefeated on top of the table. Despite some stiff opposition from Wesley and Scotch, the cricketers showed determination and spirit to rally and prevail. Disappointingly the match against Guildford was washed out and a draw was declared. This was followed by a two-week break due to a bye and the mid-term boarders' weekend. Thanks to Mr Campbell and the 2nd XI, the 3rd XI seized the opportunity to play in a combined practice match on Craig Oval during the Saturday bye. This valuable hit out against quality opposition was followed by a convincing win against Aquinas.

Special appreciation is extended to Michael Farmer for his contribution to training, coaching and umpiring the 3rd XI. His expertise and enthusiasm were invaluable and a healthy rapport was developed between coach and players.

Some of the more pleasing aspects of the season were the overall enthusiasm and cohesiveness of the team's performance, combined with consistent batting, tight bowling (led by Scott Cheetham and Cody Fulwood) and outstanding fielding. Notable individual performances included Matthew

Cockcroft's 72 runs against Trinity in the first round of fixtures and Peter Vrankovich's century (no) against Aquinas in Round 3. Peter's batting, bowling and exciting fielding made him a worthy recipient of the *Players' Award*. Congratulations are also extended to the leadership team of captain, Will Forrester and Lloyd Mellor, who picked up the *Coach's Award*.

The 4th XI enjoyed a successful season, emulating the 3rd XI, with only one loss to Scotch in Round 5. Grant Moriarty's 91 runs off 36 deliveries in the first match was the batting highlight of the term. He followed up with 59 runs (retired) in the next game. AJ McDonald put on a fine display of captaincy against Aquinas in the same game, scoring 49 with the bat and taking 4 wickets for a miserly 8 runs. Other bowling honours went to Dean Gault (3 wickets for 9 runs) in Round 2; and Ryan Hammersley (4 wickets for 21 runs) in the last round of the season. AJ McDonald and Sean Cowley shared the on field leadership duties and led the team admirably, ensuring that every game was played in good spirit. The *Players' Award* was won by Grant Moriarty and Toby Dawson proved to be the quiet achiever, receiving the *Coach's Award* for outstanding commitment and endeavour both on and off the field.

The combined squad of the 3rd and 4th XI deserve congratulations for their commitment and enthusiasm. The players represented Hale in exemplary fashion throughout the season.

Mr B Will

cricket



9A CRICKET

Back Row (l to r): D Vaswani, N Vernon, K Bush, Mr S Young (Coach),
D Marshall, T Lewis, R Palframan

Front Row: H Mugford, S Shah, D Wood, C McGrath, J Feakes, S Hooper



9B CRICKET

Back Row (l to r): S Garlick, L Ntoumenopoulos, L Davey, Mr C Ashton (Coach),
M Ng, N Griffies, M Towns

Front Row: R Hodgson, A McGrath, S Freind, N Natarajan, M Salmon,
R Waters



9C CRICKET

Back Row (l to r): J Carter, J Emery, Mr G Roberts (Coach), M Barham, L Glauch

Front Row: J Payne, L Saare, C Williamson, J Willison, M McDonald,
C Russell

The **10A** cricket team completed an extremely successful season in 2007. The four fixtures in the middle of the season saw convincing wins and the final match went down to the wire with a gutsy win in the final over in the dark at Scotch.

For the majority of the season, the batting was a highlight. Consecutive scores over 300 against Guildford and Aquinas were an impressive feat. An outstanding bowling display saw the side victorious against Wesley.

Individual performances that resulted in awards were captain Chris Hearn's 145, Tom Jenkins 119 and Sam Marsh's 5/45. Other impressive displays were Sam's 80 and Jack Bradshaw's 76no.

The side's bowling attack was led by quicks Jordan Aitken, Tim Young, Anton Hamp and Matt Lim. Spin was provided by Alex Ninkov, Andrew Fitzgerald and Sam. A highly successful opening partnership of Jack Farrell and Chris built solid foundations for each innings, with important middle order runs coming from Jack, Sam, Jordan, Ben Giles, Nathan Crosby, Hein Van der Merwe, Emerson Walker, Matt and Anton. Tom Jenkins was a vital team member who was lost to the Darlot side after the third match. Emerson's wicket keeping was outstanding throughout the year. This was a very talented team with amazing potential.

Mr R Piggott

The **10Bs** won five of their six games in convincing fashion and their only loss, to Wesley, occurred in the second last over of the game. The team was known and feared in the competition as an excellent fielding side. In total, the 10Bs scored 919 runs, averaging over 150 runs per innings and conceded only 428 runs in six games, with their opposition averaging 71 runs against them.

Leading wicket takers for the season were Matthew Chapman (9), Declan Tabcart (8) and Brent Evans (7). A late addition to the team, George Eastwood finished with five wickets in his two games.

Our batsmen were led by Captain Sam Howieson, with 142 runs at an average of 35.5 including a fine 56 no. Josh Humphries hit 81 runs including a solid 57 versus Christ Church. Michael Evans made 81 runs, wicket keeping opener Nick Wilson 58 runs and our best all rounder proved to be Tayler Wright with 60 runs and 4 wickets. Hein Van der Merwe made a valuable contribution in the last game versus Scotch with an excellent 79 not out.

The 10B squad, proved to be a group of talented cricketers who displayed good sportsmanship throughout. Mention is made of Luke Vrankovich and Patrick Burke for their commitment to the team through the latter part of the season.

Mr A Dean

As the results show, the **9As** had a very successful year. Wins were recorded against Trinity, Guildford, Christ Church and John Forrest High School (a specialist cricket school). The Scotch team was too good for us, we were washed out against Aquinas and we drew with Wesley in a tight game.

The most pleasing aspect of the season was the improvement shown by the end of the year. Declan Wood is commended for his outstanding leadership as captain. A particular highlight was the determination shown by Devender Vaswani, who after being dropped from the A team to the B team, scored a stubborn half century and forced his way back into the 9As, where he again scored runs. One of our major problems was the loss of our wicketkeeper for the Term 4 games. Sam Hooper, Declan Wood and Saagar Shah all took the gloves, putting the team before themselves.

Alex Malcolm and I extend our thanks to the boys for a successful, memorable and rewarding season of cricket.

Mr S Young

cricket

The 9B cricket team enjoyed a successful year, not losing a game and winning six of its eight encounters. We had a strong team list that involved many boys moving between the grades and performing well. Riley Hodgson, Michael Salmon, James Payne and Nic Griffies all moved up from the C team and became crucial members of the Bs with Nic and Michael opening the bowling and taking numerous wickets. Nic received the *Coach's Award*. Strong batting performances from Matthew Ng, Ashley Mcgrath, Devender Vaswani, Rhys Waters, Niyanth Natarajan and Riley formed the basis of many very strong scores. Wicket keeping duties were shared throughout the year with Mitchell Towns, Niyanth and Lachlan Davey all performing well. Newcomers in Term 4, including Lachlan and Declan Hewton, showed some real talent, and all rounders Sam Friend and Lucas Ntoumenopoulos were always strong contributors. A special mention goes to Lucas and Niyanth who showed excellent captaincy skills and received the *Players' Award*.

Mr C Ashton

The 9Cs first fixture was against Trinity and in spite of amassing a respectable total, Hale lost. The next week, Hale suffered a heavy loss to Aquinas. To their credit, the boys bounced back in the next three fixtures to secure two victories against the same Aquinas side and deliver a comprehensive thrashing to Scotch. Term 4 was a difficult period for the team. Most of the schools were unable to put together a 'C' team for the boys to play. Whilst frustrating, the team made the most of playing combined 8/9 teams from other PSA schools or enjoying more light-hearted internal scratch matches. Congratulations go to Callum Williamson for winning the *Players' Award* for most valuable team member. Matthew McDonald was award the *Coach's Award* for best team man and his overall contribution.

Mr S Lane

The 8A team won seven matches and remained undefeated this season. Special mention is made of Ashley Blake whose effort with the bat and ball, plus captaincy in Term 1, made him a worthy winner of the Coach's award. Andrew Rule established himself as a confident leader in Term 4 with reliable batting and consistent line and length bowling. Ben Taylor received the *Players' Award* - in recognition of his fast scoring ability, sharp fielding and good humour. The team was blessed with many good bowlers, clever leg spinners in Jack Quenby and Scott Howieson and fast bowlers, Mitchell Smith and Alex Grant. Our wicket keeper Blake Hammersley is commended for his competent glove work, positive voice and aggressive batting. Batsman Zachary Fleisher's innings against Scotch College will be remembered for a long time to come!

Mr B Young

The 8Bs season started out with a win against Trinity. Jack Quenby top scored with 34 runs and put on 57 in a partnership with Simon Dennis. Lukas Michel was our best bowler with 3/9.

Next on the agenda was Guildford Grammar. We finished the first innings with a score of 155. Guildford was bowled out for 12 and in the second innings managed a score of 35, giving them a total of 47 runs for the game. Our top bowlers were Louis Mitchell with 4/0, Scott Rudd with 3/4 and Lukas Michel with 2/3.

A first innings score of 75 all out from Scotch put Hale in an enviable position. Our batsmen played well and our final score of 149 meant that we finished the Term 1 season undefeated.

Simon Dennis (Capt)**8A CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): Mr S Goatcher (Assistant Coach), A Grant, J Zuvelek, R Haylett-Petty, M Smith, Mr B Young (Coach)

Middle Row: B Taylor, A Rule, P Wilson, A Blake, B Hammersley, S Ashford, Z Fleisher

Front Row: S Howieson, B Dillon, J Quenby

**8B CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): M Smith, S Ashford, S Dennis, R Haylett-Petty, S Robinson-Arrow, P Wilson, C Wood, L Michel

Front Row: S Marshall, S Anderson, S Rudd, Mr V Uphill (Coach), L Mitchell, T Elliott, C Angelkov

**8C CRICKET**

Back Row (l to r): Mr J Audino (Coach), R Bothe, R Chab, N Sawyer, M Harwood-Nash, J Fischer, B Penny, J van Helsdingen

Front Row: T Ruhai, R Gillam, D Murphy, A Jardine, R Shrubbsall, J Metcalfe, D Mincherton

1st VIII Rowing



9A CRICKET

Bow: J Thomson, G Adendorff, T Cunningham, J Harvey, M D'Adamo, M Kidson, T Widdicombe **Stroke:** J Bremner **Cox:** T Zaunmayr **Coach:** Mr D Vernon

Rowing

Rosser Trophy:

Captain of Boats

T Widdicombe

Symbols awarded to:

G Adendorff, T Cunningham, D Dougherty, J Harvey, M Kidson, S Law, D McManus, N Melanko, L Pickering, J Thomson, T Zaunmayr

Colours awarded to:

T Widdicombe

2ND VIII ROWING

Bow: T Brannan, S Parker,
S Law, K Gilleran, A Olsen,
T Bartlett, D McManus
Stroke: J Berryman
Cox: T Lovelady
Coach: Mr K Reynolds



3RD VIII ROWING

Bow: W McGeehan, L Pickering,
T Culbert, E Mumme, M Plumb,
J Clarke, N Teichman
Stroke: R Bracken
Cox: N Melanko
Coach: Mr S Hunt

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1ST SENIOR QUAD

*Reserve: A White Bow: A Newman, S Whitehead, D Dougherty
Stroke: T Jarratt Cox: M McManus Coach: Mr C Hassall*



YEAR 10 QUAD

*Bow: S Jameson, N Towler, T Fowler
Stroke: L Chapman Cox: C McGlashan Coach: Mr J Gibbons & Mr K Johnson*



YEAR 10A VIII

*Bow: R Sandover, N Bremner, J Merrey, L Burges, J Jasper, J Smith, K Ward
Stroke: G Cunningham Cox: M Callaghan Coach: Fr D Ethell*

At first glance, the 2007 season's results might not look too good for Hale, but if you were to ask any boy who represented the School at PSA level this year how he felt the season went, you would get a completely different response. The 2007 season will be remembered for the memories and the friendships that were formed. This was due to the entire shed being a much tighter group than in previous years.

The Year 9 squad resumed training at the beginning of Term 4 and all were very excited to get back into the boats. The boys trained hard throughout fourth term and the summer holidays, participating in a non-residential rowing camp in January. The 9F quad achieved mixed results throughout the season, their best performance being a third place at the Trinity regatta. Due to the overwhelming numbers of Year 9s wishing to row, the 9F quad had to race against the Year 10s at the Head of the River. It achieved a well deserved sixth place against more experienced opposition. The 9E quad had a consistent year, finishing in fourth place at the Head of the River, as did the 9D, 9C and 9B quads. The 9A quad achieved the best results of any Hale crew in 2007, winning Hale's only full distance race of the year. The Year 10 quad's race at the Trinity regatta was won by a margin of 14 seconds. The 9As also achieved Hale's best result in the Head of the River and together with the 10A VIII finished in third place. We look forward to watching these young boys develop into Hale's future stars of the sport.

For the senior squad, training began in September with a few light sessions, before a short break over the two-week holiday, following which, training resumed at full pace. All boys had to put in as much effort as possible as they were vying for selection for the Christ Church and Guildford long distance regattas.

Hale entered five squads in each regatta, two from Year 10 and three from the senior group. Hale's stand out performance in the Christ Church race was made by the 3rd VIII, which finished third. The 1st VIII managed fifth place after a very short period of training. At the Guildford regatta, Hale's best results came from the Year 10 VIII which placed fourth over the 3km course. The 1st VIII and 2nd VIII raced over 6km and both placed sixth.

The seniors continued training, taking a short break over the Christmas and New Year period. When training restarted, the seniors went straight into 'hell', or, the annual five day residential rowing camp. The intense workload ensured improvements were made by all.

The senior boys and the Year 10s raced at the Wesley indoor regatta in January. Michael D'Adamo is congratulated for achieving a personal best time and finishing second on the night.

Although the 'pint-sized' 10B VIII was the smallest crew on the start



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line in its race each week, these boys demonstrated that size does not matter. They consistently finished third and fourth throughout the season and finished a well deserved and hard earned fourth place on March 31. The 10A VIII crew members, on the other hand, were almost as big as some of the 1st VIII rowers and this was evident in their fast ergo and racing times. They trained with the older boys throughout the season, helping them get used to racing faster crews. This proved worthwhile as the boys battled hard throughout the year, winning a 500m race at the Scotch regatta and coming third at the Head of the River.

Due to a lack of numbers in the senior squad, Hale could only manage one senior quad this year. The quad was formed only three weeks from the end of the season and comprised two seniors and three Year 10 boys. Under these circumstances, their sixth place at the Head of the River day was commendable.

The 2007 seniors knew that they had a hard regatta season ahead of them but they trained well throughout the year to attain the best possible results. The 3rd VIII crew endured a few setbacks during the season, including the breaking of a boat. However, they came together and were able to deliver their competitive best, finishing in sixth place.

The 2nd VIII boys were pushed throughout the season, both by master coach Keith Reynolds and the opposing crews. They stood up to the challenge well, taking all that was thrown at them without complaining, until Keith was out of earshot. The boys definitely rowed well and the Year 11 boys will all be looking to earn a position in the 1st VIII boat in 2008. The 2nd VIII finished seventh overall.

The 1st VIII crew was a very close group, having rowed together since Years 8 and 9. This close group mentality helped the boys push for each other, work together better as a crew and led to a much more enjoyable season. The best result for the 1st VIII was third place in race 1 at the Trinity regatta behind Trinity and Christ Church. In the hardest race of their rowing career, the Head of the River, these boys pulled away from Guildford in the last 500m to take sixth place, narrowly behind defending champions Christ Church.

Heartfelt thanks go to all the coaches for what they have done for everyone in the shed during the season. Mr Vernon and Mr Burt ran the shed so well and have been an important part of my five year rowing experience. I look forward to learning of the success of Hale rowing in the future.

T Widdicombe, Captain of Boats

**YEAR 10B VIII**

Bow: C Armstrong, D Dixon, J Donnelly, H Baxter-Green, P Barber, R Chapple, T Bloking

Stroke: A Wood-Collier Cox: M Melanko Coach: Mr D Bean

**YEAR 9A QUAD**

Bow: N Cook, J Armenti, J Ward, S Berryman

Cox: M Zaunmayr Coach: Mr P Franks

**YEAR 9B QUAD**

Bow: L Jones, C Blignaut, J Reddrop

Stroke: A Lyche Cox: T Horton Coach: Mr L Dallimore & Mr J Stewart

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YEAR 9C QUAD

*Bow: B Pallas, J Bradbury, M Home
Stroke: J Abbott Cox: K Meers Coach: Ms K Ollis*



YEAR 9E QUAD

*Bow: D Cashmore, T Marsh, C Le Fanu
Stroke: W Brown Cox: J Gherbaz
Coach: Mr K Johnson & Mr J Gibbons*



YEAR 9D QUAD

*Bow: M Walker, R Cain, J Harvey
Stroke: S Sawyer Cox: M Lawrenson Coach: Mr S Testi & Mr M Chapman*



Badminton

Best Singles Player:

K Wiese

Symbols awarded to:

E Nie, S Pelham

BADMINTON

Back Row (l to r):

G Lazarov, A Au,
A Abadi Ghadim, S Pelham,
H R Lee

Middle Row (l to r):

Mr T Parish (Coach), T Lim,
R Pritchard, J Koroveshi,
M Arnold, Ms J Richardson
(Asst Coach)

Front Row:

J Huynh, J Chong,
M Duncan, G Tan,
E Lim, E Nie

Absent:

N Bean, K Wiese



While Hale School has not been known for the large numbers of students who have joined the badminton teams over the years, it is fair to say that those who chose to participate in this great sport have proven their skill again and again. Our 1st team began the season with many of the fine players who have been moving up through the ranks over the last three years. These included Toby Lim, Kilian Wiese (whose undefeated record is remarkable in PSA badminton history and will be very hard to beat), Hong Rui Lee (our fine Vice-Captain), and the stalwart players Matthew Arnold and Ray Pritchard. A new and very welcome addition to the team in Edwin Nie, a most talented and determined Year 8 student, completed the list in the first four weeks of competition. The combined efforts of these very skilled and positive players ensured that Hale finished up to the end of Round 7 with an unblemished record of victory.

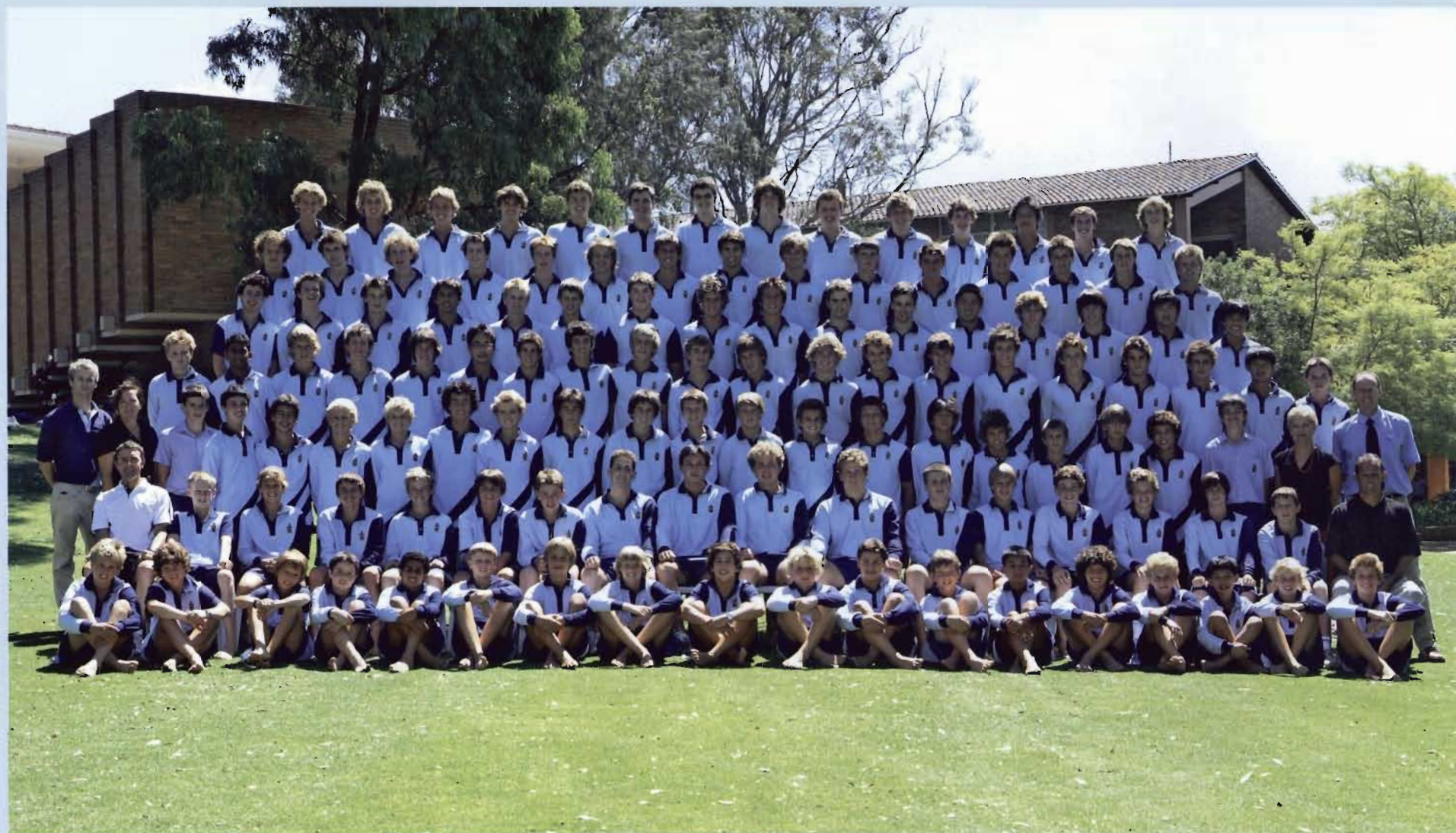
Disaster in the form of the tragic retirement of Toby Lim, our admirable Captain, due to a major tendon injury, left the team feeling that things would be much tougher from that point on and that the trophy, which had seemed so likely to be ours, could potentially slip from our grasp. Thankfully we had Scott Pelham, our star player in the 2nd team, waiting in the wings. He had greatly improved his skills since the 2006 season and was ready to step up and join the team. Both in singles and doubles, the team showed how well it could work together to keep ahead of the opposition. The only cloud on the badminton horizon appeared as Wesley steeled themselves for a return grudge match after their defeat in the first round. Hale fought bravely but lost the match by only one game. This meant that the team needed to be content with sharing the Trophy with Wesley at the end of the competition but, considering the formidable skills and previously undefeated reputation of the Wesley team, this did nothing to reduce the pleasure of victory. A final result of nine games won and one loss was recorded. We bid farewell to all but one of our 1st team players as they move into new realms and we wish them every success in the future.

The 2nd badminton players found the competition more gruelling this year and can be very proud of their efforts, which may not have always led to victory, but certainly proved them to be dedicated and sportsmanlike. Their undiluted enthusiasm and positive support of their team mates was remarkable and many of the players, both old and new, distinguished themselves on the courts. Special mention goes to Errol Lim, Andy Abadi Ghadim, Jordan Koroveshi and Gary Lazarov who leave us after many years of devoted service and great badminton playing. Geoffrey Tan, Joshua Chong, Nicholas Bean, Matt Duncan and several other players all contributed throughout the season and finished with a very successful win against Trinity, six games to three.

Thanks go to Mrs Richardson who worked with Mr Parish to co-ordinate and coach the teams and also to Louis Lee, who returned to Hale to help train and coach both teams very successfully.

Mr T Parish

Swimming



SWIM SQUAD 2007

- Seventh Row:** S Young, H Brown, C York, J Weir, N Virgo, C Skender, N Wilkinson, L Weir, D Hardie, T Dowling, B Meyer, J Su, A Salter, D Dougherty
- Sixth Row:** A Krzus, C de Beer, H Jockel, B Mills, L Roberts, N Francis, T Smith, M Pollastri, T Gregory, K Bailey, A Todd, G Cunningham, J Aitken, P Salter, J Skinner
- Fifth Row:** T Taylor, A Vickery, Z Girando, G Adendorff, S Davies, R Saint, H Garland, T Ashford, J Shield, B Hogan, J Gan, T Sullivan, P Whitfield, A Au, K Chin
- Fourth Row:** E James, A Malde, D Marshall, M Shield, B Boekeman, B Tan, J Levien, S McEntee, H Williams, J Dorrington, L Hands, B O'Connor, D Lissiman, A Vieraitis, B Enright, S Fong, N Levien, N Lucchesi, D Tan, J Murray
- Third Row:** Mr T Dorrington, Mrs S Perace, M Rosher, R Ferritto, J Blades, B Jones, N Stowe, B Lim, A Rule, C Davies, J Carter, J Abbott, P Anderson Loake, S Henderson, D Johns, C Hoon, L Lowe, G Papathanassiou, M Koelemij, B Tapley, R Dougherty, Mrs H Gray, Mr H McGlashan
- Second Row:** Mr K Moir, J Young, R Tonkin, H Giles, A Lewin, J Webster, M Hughes, M Hageman (V Capt), S Cowley (Capt), T Jockel (Capt), D Henderson (V Capt), R Moynihan, R Tucker, A Birman, D Crisp, E Cameron, M Evans, Mr G Lowe
- First Row:** A Blake, D Hermans, C Peoples, I Damant, J Hanna, C McGlashan, N Mozley, S O'Connor, L Burton, L Hughes, N Cordy-Hedge, S Ashford, B Cheung, O Callisto, S Forward, L Lee, L O'Shea, N Chapman

swimming

Claris D'Alton Trophy:*U/16 Champion* T Smith, N Virgo**Chad Miller Trophy:***Most Improved* G Adendorff, G Lawson**Symbols awarded to:**

J Aitken, T Ashford, J Blades, B Boekeman, N Cordy-Hedge, G Cunningham, H Garland, M Hagemann, D Johns, N Levien, J Levien, N Lucchesi, S McEntee, B Mills, M Rosher, P Salter, T Sullivan, T Taylor, T Varcoe, J Weir, H Williams

Clever management of the pool covers and unseasonably warm weather meant that morning training sessions could begin in Term 4 2006. On average, nearly 40 boys attended each of the morning sessions and training continued right through to the weekend before Christmas. The keen interest of a large number of Year 7 boys at training was a sign of strength, and a promise of things to come.

This year's camp was held in mid January - a change from the normal policy of conducting the camp during the week prior to the start of school. Always wishing to be innovative with camp activities, this year we decided to charter a boat and take the boys to Rottneest. Undeterred by the early camp date, over 55 boys attended, 21 of whom were Year 12 students, keen to enjoy their last swimming season at Hale.

The camp started with a one hour coaching session with Australia's fastest man over 50 metres, Eamon Sullivan. In the afternoon we played floorball and in the evening swimmers enjoyed a night at the movies, whilst enjoying the new boarding facilities. The following morning the group set off early for Rottneest, on a beautiful spring morning and an oily ocean. One of the boy's parents, Denis York, conjured up boxes of fruit, and the local *Brunby's* outlet supplied a variety of pastries for morning tea. Little Parakeet Bay was at its best when we arrived. The boys swam to shore and Head Coach, Tjad Dorrington, put the team through a gruelling one and a half hour session of swimming and beach running. This was followed by games of beach volleyball. Later, spontaneous games of beach rugby and cricket broke out bearing testament to the bonding and team spirit developing. After lunch we hired bikes and rode to Little Salmon Bay for more swimming and beach cricket. On our return to Fremantle, we devoured fish and chips at Fisherman's Harbour before an exhausted group of swimmers returned to school. In the morning we were given a seminar by nutritionist Simone Allen, followed by the popular, competitive swimmers' triathlon, the results of which were as follows:

Open: Winner J Lewin
Runner-up: H Brown

U/16: Winner S Young
Runner-up: M Pollastri

U/15: Winner T Ashford
Runner-up: H Williams

U/14: Winner B Jones
Runner up: D Lissiman

The season proper started on Day 1 of first term. Swimming stalwarts Ken Moir, Sarah Pearce, Helen Gray and Head Coach, Tjad Dorrington, were on board again and their experience was complemented by the addition of Haig McGlashan and breaststroke coach, Jacques Naudé. The installation of Olympic standard swimming blocks was much appreciated and proved invaluable in teaching starting technique. More than 150 boys assembled for the first day of training, 50 of whom were Year 8 students.

The first event was against CBC Fremantle and this was followed by the annual Swimathon, the major swimming fundraiser which raised about \$2 500. The following boys are congratulated for swimming the most laps

- Open (80 laps) T Jockel, J Lewin, **U/16 (78 laps) N Virgo**, **U/15 (77 laps) J Weir**, **U/14 (69 laps) B Jones**, **U/13 (74 laps) L O'Shea**.

The TROGS Ironman competition was conducted in Week 3 on a beautiful summer's morning at City Beach. In stark contrast to the wintry conditions experienced last year, the boys enjoyed a flat ocean and a light easterly wind. There was, however, a new challenge. Daylight saving was in full swing and darkness encroached on valuable training times and forced modifications to the swimming programme. The winners of each age group were as follows:

Open: Winners T Downing, H Brown, G Adendorff, C York

U/16: Winner M Pollastri
Runner-up: H Jockel

U/15: Winner H Williams
Runners-up: H Garland, N Lucchesi, T Ashford

U/15: Winner S Fong
Runners-up: B Enright, B Jones

U/13: Winner B Lim
Runners-up: B Dillon, L Hughes

The School Championships is the premier school based event on the calendar. It is designed for maximum participation, but its main focus is to recognised swimming excellence. Always a great community event, the parent support group runs a hamburger stall and a coffee van provides refreshment. The following boys received their awards from Mr Meade:

Open: Winner H Brown
Runner-up: A Salter

U/16: Winner N Virgo, T Smith

U/15: Winner H Garland
Runner-up: T Ashford

U/14: Winner B Enright
Runner-up: D Lissiman

U/13: Winner S Forward
Runner-up: N Chapman

Many personal bests were set at the Quads Carnival at Challenge Stadium in the week before the PSA Carnival. Sam Forward (Yr 8) broke Garth Kates' U/13 butterfly record of 32.18 seconds with a time of 32.04 seconds. The U/13 medley relay team of Brendan Lim, Ben Tapley, Sam Forward, and Nic Chapman broke Aquinas' record, held since 1992.

The 2007 PSA Swimming Carnival was an open field, as a result of a dramatic improvement in a number of schools over the past few years. However, the wonderful performance of the Hale Swim Team had the pool talking. Hale's U/13 team was the best in its division on the night.

Technically, the boys' performance was flawless. No swimmer or relay team was disqualified. Hale's fourth position was an improvement of two positions from last year, with considerable strength coming from the lower age groups. The result reflects the level of commitment of the boys, the coaching staff and the enthusiastic group of parent supporters, ably led by Moira Lewin.



1st VIII Tennis



1ST VIII TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): Mr I Tredget (Coach), M Kallis, T Smith, B Pearce, N Stüben, Ms R Krüger

Front Row: J Winterton, L Le Cornu, T Taylor, R Martin, G Harrold, L Meeking, C McFarlane

Tennis

WG Hodsdon Trophy:	<i>Open Singles Champion</i>	T Smith,	R Martin
MD Hodsdon Trophy:	<i>Open Doubles Champion</i>	G Harrold & R Martin	
Barry Sanders Trophy:	<i>Best Aggregate 1st VIII</i>	R Martin	
Arnold Hillbrick Trophy:	<i>U/16 Champion</i>	J Winterton	
JS Cumpston Trophy:	<i>U/14 Champion</i>	K-W Sun	
Max Bonner Trophy:	<i>Character and Sportsmanship</i>	G Harrold	
Symbols awarded to:	C McFarlane, B Pearce, T Smith, N Stüben, T Taylor, J Winterton		
Colours awarded to:	G Harrold, R Martin		

2ND VIII TENNIS

Back Row (l to r):
 S Hayes,
 Mr M Coombes (Coach),
 M Kailis
Front Row:
 L Le Cornu, M Bridge,
 C McFarlane, L Meeking,
Absent:
 L Meyer, F Ellis,
 H R Lee, C Robinson



1st VIII leaders Rob Martin (Capt) and Greg Harrold (V Capt) were left with an enormous challenge for the 2007 season following the departure of six players from the 2006 winning team.

Establishing a settled playing order takes time and so, over the course of the six Corr Cup fixtures, we shuffled and experimented with nine additional players, who all worked hard to secure a permanent position within the eight. Even though the likes of Chris McFarlane, Tom Taylor and Taylor Smith maintained regular places through to the final fixture, the line-up was by no means set in stone.

After a number of solid sessions prior to the beginning of term, the team faced Trinity with a good measure of confidence. Rob and Greg led the way with solid singles victories while our new third and fourth doubles combinations of Taylor Smith / Nils Stüben and Tom Taylor / Josh Winterton made sure we enjoyed a good morning tea, after winning all their sets.

The match against Guildford was not particularly competitive but it held some significance as our 25th successive Corr Cup victory. The win (23-1), may have been emphatic, but it did not serve as good preparation for the matches to follow.

We headed south of the river to Aquinas, expecting a tight match and were not disappointed. It was a close tussle and we finally went down 13 sets to 11. The team of 2007 will look back on the Aquinas fixture as the turning point at which Hale experienced the disappointment of narrow defeat.

Wesley was emerging as a new strength in PSA tennis. After a week of grass court practice and concentrated work on volleys, Rob Martin got us off to an unbelievable start with a crushing 6/0 6/2 victory over one of the top players in the PSA competition. Solid performances by Chris McFarlane (2 sets) and Ben Pearce (1 set) in the singles, plus the three sets claimed by our lower order doubles combinations, meant that we were eight sets to four ahead at the half-way mark. How we managed to hand this lead back over the course of the remaining twelve sets and give an eight game victory to Wesley, is still a mystery!

The Corr Cup trophy decider last year against Christ Church was probably one of the most memorable PSA matches ever played. Having retained many of their 2006 line-up, they arrived in 2007 with a formidable team. The 8 set loss (16-8) reminded us of the standard we now needed to reach.

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3RD VIII TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): M Graham, D Dawbin, M Bridge, M Camerer, L Roberts, L Owen, M Duncan

Front Row: R Sutherland, D Griffies, Mr T Trewin (Coach), H Ntoumenopoulos, L Ellis



10A TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): D Johns, J Rickett, S Bignell, N Camerer, L Wood, S Dopp
Front Row: J Howard, A Xydias, Mr D Alderson (Coach), S Henderson, A Kaushik



The Hale team had matured considerably in the final weeks of the season and the fact that we were able to defeat Scotch (14-10) in the next fixture was most encouraging.

Hale finished the 2007 season in fifth place, having lost four of its six fixtures. Rob Martin did an outstanding job and showed the way by winning all of his singles matches. Greg Harrold battled away against tough opponents in the No 2 position and combined well with Rob to make a formidable doubles pair.

The way is now clear for Chris McFarlane, Taylor Smith, Tom Taylor, Nils Stüben, Lloyd Le Cornu, Josh Winterton and Lincoln Meeking to lead Hale Tennis into 2008.

Mark Leuba is thanked for his invaluable assistance throughout the season. He has worked hard to fast-track the development of a number of inexperienced players. As well as ironing out technical flaws, his tactical advice was expertly conveyed in the calm, authoritative manner that the boys respond to so well.

Thanks also to Ms Ros Krüger, staff and parents who ensured a high standard of Hale School hospitality at every home fixture.

Mr I Tredget

At the start of this season, the **2nd VIII** tennis team had played 21 matches in a row without defeat and by the time the last fixture arrived against Scotch College they were standing at 26.

As with all unbeaten runs, they eventually come to an end and so it was at the hands of a very able Scotch outfit that Hale stumbled, but not without a valiant fight. Louis Meyer, the Captain, rallied the boys one more time and asked them to try just that little bit harder. They responded, but it just wasn't enough and so the unbeaten run came to an end.

During the season, some of our team played matches for the 1st VIII, several played in a variety of positions in the order, some showed flashes of brilliance, some showed utter bewilderment, but then that is tennis.

Mr M Coombes

The **3rd VIII** team continued its success of 2006 by finishing Term 1 undefeated and adding to its 23 straight fixture wins. Many new players had their first taste of senior PSA tennis with a large number contributing to the team's match play success through attendance at training and strong teamwork throughout all matches. An encouraging aspect of the season was the large number of players improving and either progressing up the team's own rankings or advancing into the 2nd VIII team. Congratulations to Alex House, Michael Walsh, Marcel Bridge, David Griffies and Lindsay Ellis for supplementing the 2nd VIII throughout the season and contributing to the success of the 3rd VIII.

The highlight of the season was the final fixture against Scotch. This match up was touted as a 'mini' final with both schools going into the fixture as the only remaining, undefeated teams. In spite of a depleted line-up, Hale produced a comprehensive win of 16 sets to 8.

All boys involved in this team have had excellent preparation leading into their next PSA tennis season. With many players potentially moving into a higher grade, the substantial base of players on hand is sure to lead the School to further on court success.

Mr T Trewin

The 2007 season was a tough one for the **10A** tennis team. Two players were unable to play due to State representation in Surf Lifesaving and Judo. The season started well with a solid win against Trinity (16-8).

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However, the next fixture against Guildford was lost on games because two boys missed the bus. A solid win against Aquinas, followed by a narrow win against Wesley put the team back on track. By the end of the season, Christ Church and Scotch proved too strong for Hale.

At times we were strengthened by having Josh Winterton in the team, and he never lost a singles match for us. The number 1 position was shared by Lewis Wood, Joel Howard and Simon Döpp during the season. Stephen Bignell, Dane Johns, Nic Camerer, Jon Rickett, Scot Henderson, Andrew Xydas, Arjun Kaushik and Ben Boekeman all represented the A team at some stage. Ben fought his way into the side for the final match. In the U/16 Championship, Simon Döpp worked his way through to the final against Josh Winterton, with Josh emerging victorious.

The players are looking forward to representing Hale at the highest level in the future.

Mr D Alderson

The **10B** tennis squad is to be congratulated on an outstanding season. The team started well with a comfortable win against Trinity, (22-2) and then followed this with an emphatic win over the hapless Guildford (24-0). It was an outstanding effort in very trying conditions. Following a long break, the boys met Aquinas and had a hard fought win at home. The next two games against Wesley and Christ Church were very straightforward. The boys played consistently in both the doubles and singles fixtures to beat both opponents. Unfortunately their undefeated run came to an end in the final week of competition in a match on grass against Scotch (15-9).

There were several highlights throughout the season. Ben Boekeman is congratulated for ending the season in the A team. This is an outstanding effort as he only started playing PSA tennis this year. Ben only dropped one set all season; this included singles and doubles sets. Mention is also made of much improved players Tom Rolley-Good, Paul Oliver and Chris Burch, all of whom rose from the Cs to join the B team.

I would like to thank the boys for their diligent performance throughout the season and congratulate them for getting up so early for training on Monday mornings.

Ms M Gilchrist

With a huge squad of boys keen to play tennis for Hale this year in Year 10, competition for a place in the **10Cs** has seen great improvement through the playing group and a wonderful team feel at every fixture. Between the schools the competition has been close with three of our five fixtures being decided by a total of four sets while the other two fixtures resulted in comfortable wins to the boys in double blue. All in all, the season was marked by good tennis, great sportsmanship and a wonderful team of boys.

Fr T Russell

The **9A** tennis team started the season with a narrow loss against Trinity, played at the State Tennis Centre on clay courts. This was a new experience for the boys and most appreciated the chance to play on this very different surface.

A big win against Guildford the following week revived our confidence. However, in the remainder of the season Hale lost the last four matches against some very good teams. Confidence was down and the boys forgot how to win the close games. However, all players improved their techniques over the season, with some good tennis being played with spirit and excellent sportsmanship.

**10B TENNIS**

Back Row (l to r): H Parker, P Oliver, B Boekeman, Ms M Gilchrist (Coach), T Dunn, C Burch, D Bishop

Front Row: S Dempster, T Rolley-Good, D Fowler, J Oldham, M Yeoh

**10C TENNIS**

Back Row (l to r): T Varcoe, J Hurley, E Mitchell, K Bordbar, K Campbell

Front Row: C Corbett, S Abbott, G Kenny, R Stephenson, J Gardner, F Said

Absent: Fr T Russell (Coach)



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9A TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): P Newnan, L Lowe, A Parker, Mr A Panarese (Coach), C Lourey, C Knox, B Doig

Front Row: D Patel, A Ferrier, P Mazzulla, E Butler, S Embry, K W Sun
Absent: H Lowe



9B TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): Mr M Bonnin (Coach), D Hemphill, M Shield, G Fatin, A McCorkill, J Milligan

Front Row: K Edwards, G Wilson, M Read, N Adamek, F Hall, E Leonard



9C TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): S McCormack, W Udayana, H Nayler, G Dunlap, H Tzaikos, H Rick, J Norrish, C Lawson

Middle Row: C Sheth, D Morrell, D Mitakos, Mrs C Arkle (Coach), A Dixon, L Han, M Croker

Front Row: A Vacca, P Keong, C Adler, P Alexiou, V Shah

Special mention is made of Alastair Parker, who won the overall best aggregate in singles. Harry Lowe and Ben Doig performed best in the doubles, with both boys playing four of the six games.

The squad was always keen to improve their skills and attendance at training sessions was generally good. It was a pleasure being involved with the boys' tennis education.

Mr A Panarese

The 9B team completed a fine season, winning all but two of their fixtures. Only the final game of the season - against Scotch - was one-sided, and the depth of tennis talent in the lower years remains impressive. Many boys alternated between the B and C teams and several players trained regularly with the A squad. All players were enthusiastic and worked hard to improve their game. Players like Nick Adamek, Dilan Patel and Michael Bass made significant progress. Other regular 9B players were Conor Lourey, Fraser Hall, Gabriel Fatin, Gregg Wilson and Martin Shield. Many other players rotated through the C team, and the efforts of Evan Leonard, Drew Hemphill, Kurt Edwards, James Milligan, Morgan Read and Yousef Abu Shamleh were greatly appreciated. It was a very pleasing and encouraging season, and the team can look forward with confidence to their competition in Term 4.

Mr M Bonnin

The depth and commitment of the 9C/D squad was strong as 30 students arrived for Tuesday training, each wishing to play in the fixture. The season was successful, with only two losses, one to Wesley and the other, a nail-biting dual against the undefeated Scotch team (77-84). This was an exciting way to end the season.

Among the squad it is appropriate to mention some quiet leaders such as Harry Rick and Declan Hewton who were always ready to help organise and pick up balls. Chirag Sheth and Veer Shah formed a determined doubles team. Nathan Stowe, Alex Vacca, Scott McCormack and Harrison Nayler could be relied upon to give of their best. Will Burton played with flair and determination towards the end of the season. Special mention also goes to Josh Morley who worked hard to earn a place in the squad. Well done to all the team!

Mrs C Arkle



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Twelve boys played in the **8A** team throughout the season, and, as testament to the great things happening in country tennis programmes, six of these top Year 8 tennis players were boarders – from Cranbrook, Broome, Bullaring, Buntine, Kukerin and Latham.

The team had an extremely successful season, losing only two matches to Aquinas and Scotch teams with very strong players in their top positions. Although matches were always tough for the first four in the Hale 8A team, it was often the depth of the other six players in the squad of 10 we took into fixtures each week, which made the difference to us winning the other rounds of the competition. Each week, there was a great deal of competition for the remaining spots on the team and there were plenty of friendly rivalries and closely contested challenge matches during the Monday afternoon and Wednesday morning training sessions.

There were many outstanding and consistent performances for the season, however special mention is made of Reo Hollick (won 5 sets, lost 0), Tayler Begley (won 6 sets, lost 2) and Luke Frewer (won 4 sets, lost 1) in the singles competition and Tom Bigwood and Nat County (both won 5 sets and lost 2) in their doubles matches.

It was a thoroughly enjoyable season and this new group of Hale tennis players show plenty of potential for further development and success as they progress through the years.

Ms N Ragus

The **8B** team were undefeated this term and deserve to be very proud of its efforts on the courts. There was excellent morale amongst the team members, and this contributed to the cohesive way in which the whole team participated in the competition. Even more importantly, the manners and good sportsmanship showed by all members of the group made me proud to be their coach.

Ms C Sas

With over 25 keen tennis players jostling for a Friday match, it was always difficult selecting the team. Both the **8Cs** and **8Ds** displayed enthusiasm throughout the term, with constant challenging and requests to play in those all important weekend fixtures. It was obviously a successful season as we were undefeated throughout, with a total of 438 games to 231. All players were committed to the training sessions and are to be commended on their enthusiasm. Well done!

Mr R Watford



8/9A TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): B Doney, M McAlpine, T Begley, Ms N Ragus (Coach), R Tonkin, R Hollick, J Murray

Front Row: N County, L Frewer, J Hills, T Bigwood, K Frearson, B McAlpine



8B TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): J Burton, K Do, S Savage, Ms C Sas (Coach), J Young, J Murray, Z Wang

Front Row: N Shave, R Yeoh, A Lim, L Frewer, B McAlpine, A Tynas



8C TENNIS

Back Row (l to r): D Foster, B Tapley, F Effendi, W McKelvie, Mr R Watford (Coach), D Campbell, R Huynh, S Fitzpatrick, W Hofmann

Front Row: I Damant, B Bignoux, H Shahril, M Price, R Dennis, B Dempster, K Nguyen, J Lane

Volleyball



1ST VI VOLLEYBALL

Back Row (l to r): C de Beer, Mr N Peisker (Coach), D Kalamaras

Front Row: R Harvey, L Aleksandrow, L Hussey, S Pelham

Absent: S Nair, R Simmonds

volleyball

Most Outstanding Player:
Most Promising Year 10:

R Simmonds
 A Au

Symbols awarded to:

L Aleksandrow, C de Beer, L Exel, R Harvey, D Kalamaras, G Lazorov, S Nair,
 S Pelham, R Simmonds

2ND VI VOLLEYBALL

Back Row (l to r): A Abadi Ghadim, Mr A Curran (Coach), L Exel

Front Row: M Arnold, D Marshall, B Wilson, G Lazorov



My first year coaching the 1st VI team was most enjoyable. Using as many players as possible, I endeavoured to make the 1st and 2nd teams into one big team. Consequently the majority of boys playing in the 2nd VI had the experience of playing at a higher level.

Preparation began in Term 4 2006 with two friendly games against Churchlands Senior High School. The first PSA encounter was a close game against Aquinas in which Rhodri Simmonds, who was selected to play in the U/16 State team, played well and was ably supported by Liam Hussey and Luke Aleksandrow. Hale lost 3:0.

The next match was against a very strong Trinity side (three of their boys had been chosen in the U/16 side too). Unforced errors led to Hale's downfall.

The best game of the season was against Guildford Grammar School in the third round. Liam Hussey, Rob Harvey and Scott Pelham played well and it was easy for Rhodri Simmonds to score many points. Team captain Luke Aleksandrow did a great job in keeping the team spirit high.

Following two intense training sessions with volleyball specialist and coach Brad Rodgers, the team was well prepared to face Christ Church. The latter began the game with quality serving and despite all efforts to boost team confidence, Hale continued to make unforced errors and was unable to recover, losing 6:0.

The last game against Scotch College was a thriller. Hale won the first set, narrowly lost the second, won the third and then barely lost the fourth to finish with a draw. Brock Wilson played his first game with the 1st VI and did well under pressure.

Hale finished the season in equal fourth place on the ladder. The best player for the season was Rhodri Simmonds and the most valuable player was Liam Hussey. I would also like to thank Luke Aleksandrow for leading his team superbly throughout the season.

Mr N Peisker

Hale School's 2nd VI enjoyed an outstanding series of matches in Term 1, as the 5-1 win-loss ratio attests. Many of these talented players gained the opportunity to play in the 1st VI during the season, and it was pleasing to note the overall improvement in the boys' confidence and skill levels as the term progressed.

Able led by Captain David Marshall, the team fought out a series of tough matches and, at one point it looked as if they might win all of their fixtures. In several games, the boys had to dig deep and come from behind in order to ultimately prevail. However, whatever the result, the Hale 2nd VI always played in a positive and sportsmanlike manner.

Based on Term 1 results, the future seems very bright for Hale Volleyball. The 2nd VI should be able to look forward to more challenging and exhilarating matches to test their mental and physical toughness. Congratulations and well done on an excellent 2007 season!

Mr A Curran

Seven members of the Term 4, 2006 squad returned to play for the 3rd VI volleyball team this year. With new recruits in Aki Kobayashi and Craig Stevens, the squad trained enthusiastically and developed competitive fitness and skills.

The matches at Lords were always exciting and at the end of the season, the team had won four of the six games played. The boys found it tough to beat Aquinas and lost to Scotch in unfortunate circumstances. Nevertheless, the players' teamwork and sportsmanship were always of the highest quality.

Serving was their strength, with many matches being won through the consistent overhead serving from Daniel Archondakis and Tom Harper. Andy Abadi Ghadim improved his spiking skills to become very proficient at winning points in attack. Every member of the team developed a good understanding of the strategies involved, with Peter Campbell, Patrick Ashforth and Jordan Korovesi working extremely well at the net. Blocking and reflex reactions at the net scored many

volleyball



10A VOLLEYBALL

(l to r): R Wills, O O' Neill, A Au, Mr J Ewing (Coach), G Gage, D Ellis, N Gardner



8/9A VOLLEYBALL

Back Row (l to r): S Winner, S Chandra, Mr Ashby (Coach), T Bennett-Menezes, M Kailis
Front Row: M Kabir, A Marjoram, S Tate, M Forsyth,



8/9B VOLLEYBALL

Back Row (l to r): D Curtin, Mr J Bausor (Coach), B Sprlyan
Front Row: E Lamond, P Chilton, J Whitby, A ter Kuile



8/9C VOLLEYBALL

Back Row (l to r): R Herbert-Taylor, E McInnes, Mrs B Honiball, W Chivers, G Ashforth
Front Row: M Bevilacqua, R Leung, M Bestry, D Marsh, C Mei

points in the many hectic moments in each game. They have been a highly energetic team, with very little conflict between the individuals. Patrick Ashforth and Jordan Korovesi have been the most consistent supporters and players of Hale volleyball throughout their school careers.

With the Year 12s leaving us before the term four competition, I know the remaining members of this squad will rally around and assist newcomers to the squad to build a successful team. Congratulations to all the players for a fine season of volleyball.

Mr K Outtrim

The Year 10 volleyball season began gradually with the opening fixtures against Trinity and the two Aquinas teams all bringing defeats, although Hale won a set from Aquinas 2. The second half of the season resulted in three consecutive wins. Unfortunately two of these wins became forfeits as Hale did not have a full starting team. Thus the season ended with only one win and a fifth place finish. Key players included Avery Au, whose blistering serve gained many points. He was supported well by the nimble Nathaniel Gardiner and clever Oliver O'Neill. Oliver became very adept at seeing holes in the defence of the opposition and subtly feeding the ball into the gaps for regular winners. The team spent much training time improving receiving skills and players are looking forward to stepping up into the 'big league' in 2008.

Mr J Ewing

The Year 8/9A team was soundly beaten by Aquinas and lost a close match to Trinity early in the season. From this point the boys were able to put all the early hard learned lessons into action to go on to record three consecutive victories against Wesley, Christ Church and Scotch. The majority of these boys will form the basis of what should be a very competitive Year 10 team in 2008.

The Year 8/9B team contested well in the games played in Term 1. After losing to a strong Trinity outfit, the boys achieved wins against Christ Church, Scotch and Wesley. The players improved considerably over the course of the season and showed some promising signs playing all games in a positive spirit and training well.

The Year 8/9C team experienced a steep learning curve as Term 1 progressed. The boys started as a group of individuals and ended the season as a team. Their volleyball skills increased noticeably and they were able to execute some good game plays.

The boys may have experienced limited success but, much to their delight, had a convincing win over Trinity towards the end of the season, in which Reagan Leung served six in a row. This young man has made tremendous progress since he first stepped onto the court. Damon Marsh is another player who impressed with his quiet determination and accurate serves. George Ashforth was always voluble in his encouragement of his team-mates and Mitchell Bestry's sense of humour helped lighten a few tense moments.

All of the boys made a valuable contribution to the team and, although Hale may not have emerged victorious, we believe that every player is the richer for having learned new skills and working as a team.

This report would not be complete without recognizing the special contributions made by coaches Brad Rodgers and Tony Sprlyan towards both the development of the players and coaches involved in Hale Junior Volleyball. Thank you very much for your efforts gentlemen.

We are all looking forward to continuing our coaching with this enthusiastic squad of boys.

Mr J Ashby, Mr J Bausor and Ms B Honiball

Water Polo

Most Outstanding Player: H Brown

Most Promising Year 10: J Weir

Symbols awarded to: L Valentine, J Weir

Colours awarded to: H Brown, T Gregory, T Jockel



1ST VII WATER POLO

Standing (l to r): D Henderson, J Weir, C Skender, Mr R Brown (Coach), D Hardie, T Gregory, A Krzus

Seated (l to r): H Jockel, L Valentine, H Brown (Capt), T Jockel (Capt), T Ashford, A Salter

2ND VII WATER POLO

Standing (l to r):

B Caley,
N Wilkinson,
G Begg,
M Pollastri

Seated (l to r):

M Wansbrough,
S Muir,
A Todd,
D Sattler,
J Skinner



water polo



8/9A WATER POLO

Standing (l to r): A Birman, D Lissiman, B Enright, Mr C Liggins (Coach), S Fong, C Hoon, B Jones

Seated: L Hughes, J Webster, L Burton, A Murdoch, G Pathanassiou, N Chapman



8/9B WATER POLO

Standing (l to r): R Tucker, C Davies, J Ashley, Mr R Watt, H Scott, L Whitson, D Valent

Middle Row: S Forward, E James, N Stanley, D Thornton, G Zhang, A Mosley

Front Row: A Johnston, S O'Connor, V Demiris, N Hughes, B Cheung

The 2006 Water Polo report stated that, "next season should see the 1st VII team stronger and playing more consistently," and indeed this was the case. With the majority of the team members being in Year 12, and several players training with the State U/17 squad during the winter, the team was clearly stronger. The 2006 team finished fourth with two wins, one draw and three losses while this year's team attained second place on the ladder with five wins and one loss.

The season began well with a hard fought win against the team from Trinity College (11-8), followed by a big win over the inexperienced Guildford Grammar squad (27-2). It was unfortunate that the fixtures left us with a three week wait for our game against Aquinas, as this game was likely to determine which team would finish on top. With Aquinas' highly experienced centre forward back in the water following a broken wrist, and Charles Skender unavailable, Hale was unable to match Aquinas in either attack or defence and lost the game eleven goals to four.

From this point on, our aim was to win the remaining three games and finish in second position. However, this would not be easy as the teams from Wesley, Christ Church and Scotch all had a number of good players. The strength of the 1st VII team this season was its depth and this was used to great effect to defeat Wesley (16-8) and Christ Church (10-5).

The last game of the season against Scotch was like a mini-final for second place. Hale won the contest (12-6). It was a pleasure to see the effort this team put into training and playing throughout the season.

Looking ahead to next season, the Hale 1st VII will hopefully maintain its standing in the competition. The team will have a good balance of players from Years 11 and 12 and like last year, there were several players training with the State U/17 squad during the winter.

The 2nd VII Water Polo squad started strongly this year, determined to improve on last year's results. The team's Year 11 players had improved during the Christmas break and the boys combined well with the younger and talented Year 10s. With strong leadership from the Year 12s, the team went from strength to strength as the season progressed.

The use of new strategies, set plays and a friendly competition between Andrew Todd and Michael Pollastri in centre forward, resulted in much improved goal scoring ability. Winning five games and drawing one, the 2nd VII was a force not to be taken lightly and ended the season sharing first place on the ladder with Aquinas. The boys thank Mr Goater and Mr Brown for their coaching skills and support throughout the season.

Nicholas Wilkinson (Captain)

Term 1 2007 was successful for the Hale 8/9A Water Polo team. Until the last match, the 8/9A team was undefeated, beating every other team convincingly. It was only in the last game, with the loss of Ben Enright and a very cold Scotch pool, the team lost a match. A valuable lesson was learned by the players that day; you can't expect to win, you have to outplay and outsmart the opposition for the entire game in order to win. The foundation of the 8/9A team was its ability to help each player out in defence and then counter-attack slower opposition. It was pleasing to see the training exercises and drills transferred to games. The immediate future of the 8/9A squad is looking solid as the majority of the A team comprises Year 8 boys. Responsibility in goals was shared by Duncan Lissiman and Adam Birman and both proved invaluable players. Year 9s, Ben Enright (Capt), Sam Fong (V Capt) and Duncan Lissiman and Year 8s Adam Birman and Jack Webster were the most consistent players of the season.

Fitness is a major part of water polo and all players are urged to continue swimming in order to maintain ball skills. Thanks go to the parents who came and supported their sons and also to Peter Tresise who assisted with training and coaching both A and B teams.

Mr C Liggins

After failing to post a victory in 2006, the 8/9B team tackled the first term season with gusto and emerged undefeated. There were several highlights, but few compared with the 19-1 smashing over Trinity early in the season. Year 8, Hayden Scott was a most valuable resource in goals, and the experience of Chris Hoon, Nick Hughes and Elliot James was instrumental in the team's success. All players improved throughout the season, with Chris Davies proving once and for all that he can swim like a fish and Luke Burton, that he can mix it with the biggest of boys. Shannon O'Connor showed a good head for the game in his regular fast breaks in counter-attack, and Luke Whitson displayed tenacity through winning every 50/50 ball. With the likes of Robert Tucker, Nick Mozley, Drew Thornton, Jaxon Ashley, Gary Zhang, Brian Cheung, Adrian Johnson, Sam Forward, Nathan Stanley and Vanne Demiris coming into form, and the return from injury of David Valent, success in the future is inevitable.

Mr R Watt

Golf



GOLF

(l to r): Mr K Moir, N Stüben, L Michel, D Khan, R Thomson

Only five PSA schools competed in this year's event. Wesley and Trinity failed to enter a team. Even with two schools missing, the competition was going to be close, as the strongest golfing schools were still in attendance. After a short briefing, the competition was underway with a shotgun start at 1.00pm on Sunday 9 September. Finishing before dark was a concern, but all groups did well to complete their rounds by 5.30pm.

The format for the event remained unchanged from previous years. Four senior, (Years 11 & 12) and four junior, (Years 8 – 10) players from each school contested the event playing a stroke round. The best three scores from each of the senior and junior teams were then combined to produce an aggregate score for each school team.

The senior Hale Golf team included Danish Khan (Capt), Nico West, Nils Stüben and Robert Thomson. Tom Jenkins, Andrew Fitzgerald, Aditya Udayana and Lukas Michel made up the junior team.

The event was won by Hale School with an aggregate score of 501 at an average score of 83.5 strokes over 18 holes per team member. This was the second best aggregate score ever recorded in the event and was 26 shots ahead of the second placed school, Christ Church. Notable performances included Nico West shooting the best gross score of the day with a one over par 73 and the talented Lukas Michel (Year 8), who shot a very commendable six over par 78. These two terrific scores provided the foundation for the other four scores which ranged between 83 and 91.

This consistency from players who for the most part played to their respective handicaps led to Hale clinching the event so decisively.

The final results of the competition were as follows:

1st	Hale	501
2nd	Christ Church	527
3rd	Aquinas	539
4th	Scotch	606
5th	Guilford	607
-	Wesley	DNS
-	Trinity	DNS

Golf continues to have a solid future at Hale. We have some very good golfers led by Nils Stüben, moving into the senior group next year, all of whom are currently playing off single figure handicaps. Lukas Michel who is currently in Year 8, will lead the way in the junior ranks for the next two years and is a player to watch out for in the future. Our departing Year 12 golfers have been involved throughout their time at school. Danish Khan, Rob Thomson and Nico West have been consistent contributors to the team and are thanked for their efforts throughout the years.

Special thanks to PSA Golf Secretary Robin Dunn (CCGS) for doing a magnificent job organizing and running the event on the day.

Ken Moir (Team Manager)

Surfing



The Hale Surfing Team placed a hard fought third behind Scotch and Christ Church in this year's PSA surfing competition.

Haydn Parker started off with some clean runs on his new bodyboard to place third in his division. He was followed by Michael Gunson who impressed the opposition with his carves and aerial manoeuvres. His ride earned him a near perfect score, first place in his division and ensured that he was awarded the Simon Hunn Bodyboarding trophy. Scot Henderson won his division in the Junior Bodyboarding contest. His trademark aggression was evident in his consistent performance. He was fearless in the drops he took and clocked up countless 'Frequent Flyer' points for his air time.

Liam O'Shea placed a strong third in Division 3 of the junior surfing. He was followed by Luke Burton who faced unfavourable conditions to place fourth. Louis Lowe looked set to take Division 1 with slack-kneed stylish rides and a calculated barrel midheat that had the spectators from all schools erupting with hoots of joy, but was subject to a disappointing penalty that earned him fourth place in his heat. Jamie Slarke, the boy from Lake Grace, stood in for the injured Justin Turner in the third division of the senior bodyboarding. He achieved a convincing fourth – not bad for a boy who had just stepped off the tractor. Nico West was clean in his presentation and impressed the judges sufficiently to place first in Division 2. Aidan Price went out hard but succumbed in a titanic struggle with the Christ Church competitor to achieve second. Tim Mackie pulled off a 'tinny' display in Division 3 of the senior surfing and was rewarded with first place. Captain, Corey York, although frustrated by the inconsistent swell, placed third in his heat. James Dorrington was the deserving recipient of the Cordingly Cup for Surfing following his ride in Division 1. He did not perform as well as we have seen him perform, but did enough to secure equal first place – a fine effort for a boy riding against older competitors. Ben Mills rounded off the day with his feats on the longboard. The crowd was amazed by his 'coffin run and strolls' up the board. Despite competing in his non-preferred category, he performed well and placed second.

This year's season was brief but most enjoyable. The coaches thank the boys for their commitment to the early morning starts and spirit during the contest. Thanks also go to Mr B Young for his support of the team and all look forward to 2008's competition.

Mr B Will, Mr C Liggins and Mr R Watt



PSA Winter Sport



Athletics



ATHLETICS

Back Row (l to r): J Ng, C Murdoch, D Clarke, L Ashby, L Shipway, R Simmonds, T Carlson, M Riley, B Pearce, R Collins, N Wilkinson, E Mitchell, T Sawyer, M Graus, C Wilson, D Henderson

Fifth Row: S Robinson-Arrow, S Shipway, G Adendorff, A Todd, B Jameson, J Turner, S Marsh, S McEntee, J Aitken, J Jasper, J Sawyer, D Fowler,

R Haylett-Petty, G Cunningham, G Salter, C Edwards, A Roberts, P Donnelly, R Bailey, T Sullivan, L Burgess

Fourth Row: H Scott, R Ferritto, R Wills, B Lim, N Vernon, T Widdicombe, J Zuvelek, T Harper, R Harvey, T Smith, A Lyche, S law, A Vieraitis, K Bush,

C de Beer, L Roberts, M Pollastri, Y Nakajima, M Pirone, M Smith, C Knox, A Lewin, C Carson

Third Row: N Lucchesi, B King, D Hewton, S Wilson, M Clarke, J Bradshaw, T Taylor, M Ng, J Lewin, N Jones, M Shield, M Gorecki, H Ntoumenopoulos, H Van der Merwe, M Bridge, L Meeking, J Emery,

L Hands, N Gardiner, J Bathe, A Diamond, O Johnston, H Johnston, J Clarke

Second Row: Mr A Curran, Mr M Jordan, Mr P Stroud, Mr R Barugh, Mr A Nalapraya, Mr R Brown, Mr J Ashby, Mr H McGlashan, Mr S Cox, Ms M O'Brien, Mr J Wallman (Head Coach), S Cowley (Capt), Mr B Butler,

Mr J Audino, Mr A Dean, Mr N Peisker, Mr M O'Connell, Mr M Bonnin, Mr R Watford, Mr M Coombes, Mr E Cecins

Front Row: B Tapley, D Crisp, J Young, H Sharil, S Anderson, S Hooper, S Ogden, K Do, T Ryan, B Dillon, N Mozely, N Francis, B Hamersley, B Jones, G Papatranssiou, L Saare, F Hall, S Little,

P Sudlow, B Doney, J Payne, H Giles, J Blades, J Milligan

Athletics

CP & AE Williams Trophy:	<i>Open Champion</i>	G Adendorff
HP Turnbull Trophy:	<i>Most Outstanding Performance U/17</i>	Y Nakajima
Dr DK Tregonning Trophy:	<i>Outstanding Middle Distance Runner</i>	S McEntee
Barclay and Sharland Trophy:	<i>U/16 Champion</i>	L Burges

Symbols awarded to:

G Adendorff, J Aitken, J Bathe, N Bremner, J Bradshaw, M Bridge, L Burgess, R Collins, G Cunningham, C de Beer, A Diamond, S McEntee, D Fowler, N Gardiner, M Graus, T Harper, O Johnston, S Law, N Lucchesi, S Marsh, L Meeking, E Mitchell, J Ng, M Pollastri, A Roberts, L Roberts, J Sawyer, T Sawyer, R Simmonds, T Taylor, N Wilkinson

Colours awarded to:

N Bremner, S McEntee, Y Nakajima

Unpredictable weather and a tough winter season did not deter the many athletes who took part this year. Guided by expert coaches and under the leadership of Mr Wallman, Master-in-Charge of Athletics, the team began its intensive four week season. The Hale Championship Carnival gave coaches the chance to note who had improved and determine the potential of the School's newest athletes. The strength of the Year 8 cohort provided the extra boost needed for Hale to contest the Alcock Shield.

The annual Tri-meet against Aquinas and Trinity was held at Cannington where the normally fast and bouncy track was sluggish as a result of the previous evening's downpour. This, along with strong winds that were blowing head on for the 100m runners, resulted in an overall average performance. Although places and results were achieved, very few PBs were broken. However, this did prepare the athletes for the similar weather conditions on the day of the Interschool Athletics Carnival. The Hale Gift was won by Lachlan Burges (Yr 10) who closely pipped Sam Shipway (Yr 11) in a very even race.

Although marred by showers throughout the day, the weather took nothing away from the spirit of the 103rd PSA Interschool Athletics meet. Aquinas won the shield and Hale finished in fourth position, with a slim margin between second and fourth place.

All Hale's athletes gave their best and performed well. Year 8 Rob Ferritto showed that he would be a force to be reckoned with in future years. He participated in six events, won four of them and set a School record in the U/14 90m hurdles. Stuart Berryman (Yr 9) continued his strong form from 2006. He competed in eight events, finishing no less than fourth in all of them! The U/15 relay team was victorious and Lachlan Burges set a School record in the U/16 100m. Sam McEntee ran an amazing 1500m, blitzing the field on his way to victory. The 'dynamic duo' of Yasuhito Nakajima and Sam Shipway were dominant in the U/17 sprints. Sam came first in both the 100m and 200m second division events and Yasu was the winner in the first division 100m and 200m races. It is hoped they can repeat these feats in 2008.

Finishing fourth at the Inters was a respectable outcome and on close examination of the athletes' individual performances, Hale had a successful day. With countless personal bests, two new School records and 31 Stow awards, athletics appears to hold much promise in the future. The return of the Alcock Shield to the trophy cabinet would be a wonderful way to celebrate Hale's 150th year. Best of luck to all athletes in 2008.

Sean Cowley, Captain of Athletics



Cross Country



SENIOR CROSS COUNTRY

Back Row (l to r): J Tuckey, J Harvey, P Cash, J Naisbitt, P Donnelly

Third Row: N Nguyen, M Bridge, L Ginbey, C de Beer, B Jayawardena, N Bowes

Second Row: J Blades, T Harper, R Simmonds, T Bartlett, M Plumb, B King, V Shah

Front Row: J Lewin (Co Capt), Ms O'Brien (Coach), T Sullivan (Co Capt)

Absent: Mr J Arkle (Coach), C Twigger, S Kelley, N Shaw

Cross Country

Dave Roberts Perpetual Trophy:
Alcorn Shield:
Most Promising Year 10:

Open Champion
Outstanding Champion

J Lewin
 T Sullivan
 J Blades

Symbols awarded to:

T Bartlett, J Blades, P Cash, C de Beer, L Ginbey,
 T Harper, B Jayawardena, B King, M Plumb, R Simmonds
 J Lewin

Colours awarded to:

JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY

Back Row (l to r): Ms M O'Brien, T Ryan,
 N Francis, C Knox,
 D Thornton,
 M McAlpine,
 P Newman, A Lewin
Front Row: R Lewis, S Ogden,
 R Mehra, L Geidans,
 W Chivers, F Hall,
 R Gillam



The 2007 Cross Country season got off to a great start with the pre-season camp held at the Ern Halliday recreation centre. The first night began with a delicious meal, a roaring bonfire and a friendly game, affectionately referred to as the 'Circle of Death'.

This game entails two boys, in a circle roughly three metres in diameter, who must wrestle ferociously (but within the realms of safety), and push their opponent outside the circle. Our coach, Shaphan stunned us all. To look at him, he is slightly built, like most cross country runners, but much to our surprise he was able to muster enough physical force to knock Aidan Ashwin, (a fully grown, approximately nine foot tall Year 12 'boy') out of the circle, proving that Cross Country runners are in fact, much stronger than they look.

Street fighters by night, during the day, we participated in many camp adventure activities including tower building, wall climbing, abseiling, and my personal favourite, 'Jacob's Ladder'. The words 'Jacob's Ladder' strike fear in the hearts of athletes, and especially those in the Cross Country team who have become familiar with the ladder in Kings Park. On occasion, we have been made to run up and down this ladder four times in a row, as just a small part of our regular training session, by the die-hard Ms O'Brien. The rest of the session also requires us to run three kilometre to Jacob's Ladder, run up Mount Street backwards a few times and then run three kilometres back to the bus!

The Jacob's Ladder camp activity featured four massive logs suspended horizontally by two vertical cables that reached to the ceiling of the gymnasium. The distance between each log increased as you moved higher. It was extremely challenging; some boys failed, others succeeded but, I'm sure all would agree that it was very rewarding.

When the season fixtures began, training intensified. The Hale versus Guildford race was a memorable one. Many boys view Guildford Grammar as being the closest a school can get to the country and that vision was reinforced in our minds when the footballers on our bus got off to compete in a sheep filled paddock and we were warned to make sure that we sidestepped the cow pats along the marked course.

Another unforgettable race was the Hale v Trinity fixture, hosted by Trinity College. The Trinity course had a few marshalling issues which included 100 boys being forced to make the decision as to whether to climb over a six foot high, barbed-wire fence, or crawl through the mud, through a tiny hole in the fence; a safer, yet more time-consuming option. The on-site medic van staff had their work cut out for them afterwards, as the boys who made the bold decision of taking the climb went to get their grazes patched.

I have been a member of the team since Year 8, and running has always been a big part of my life. It has taught me self discipline, because when you are running the course

alone, 'you can't hide in the back pocket or take a break when the ball is up the other end of the field,' as Mr Arkle likes to put it. I've also developed some pretty strong bonds with my team mates, many of whom are now close friends, and with the coaches, who are always good fun to be around. That word fun' basically sums up my whole Cross Country career and I think it is most important thing that we have going for us in Hale Cross Country. The Hale team was one of the only 'free companies' in the competition. Almost every other school's team was composed of, or contained 'conscripts', boys who would rather not have been there. Every Hale runner was there of his own free will, which says a lot about the boys, the coaches, and the team spirit. There is a strong sense of determination to perform well, and yet team members are always prepared to have a laugh, poke fun at 'Obesy' or 'Arkle', or have a game of dodge every so often at training. I hope, that in future years, the boys continue to work hard, put in a gutsy effort in every race, but most of all continue to enjoy running and have fun. I would also hope that the Year 12s, who have left, keep fit, keep running and continue to enjoy being a part of this tough but rewarding sport. Many thanks to Mr Arkle, and to Ms O'Brien for five years of support and friendship, and to Shaphan Cox for his endless supply of advice and laughter. I shall miss Hale Cross Country and always cherish my memories of it.

Tom Sullivan, Co-Captain

Football



1ST FOOTBALL

Back Row (l to r): C Murdoch, S Sherring, W Benjamin, N Haslam, A Carson, A Kelly, L Scott, E Lourey, R Fleay

Third Row: Mr B Clarkson (Asst Coach), L Gepp, C Edwards, N Smith, Mr P Peos (Coach), J Aitken, T Murray, T Smith, Mr C Liggins (Manager),

Second Row: T Taylor, S Hanning, T Widdicombe, S Hayes, C Morton, T McNeill, K Yu, D Sattler, E Walker

Front Row: C Tolentino, L Hands, J Bradshaw, N Kommer, L Meeking, B Stone

Football

Charles Veryard Trophy:
Filmer Trophy:
Brandenburg Trophy:
A & TJ Lange Trophy:
JW Holmes Trophy:
Dr K Tregonning Trophy:

Fairest and Best
Most Improved Player
Best Team Man 1st XVIII
Leading Goalkicker 1st XVIII
Best Team Man 2nd XVIII
Most Promising Year 10

C Hayes
 R Fleay
 N Kommer
 C Tolentino
 W Forrester
 J Bradshaw

Symbols awarded to:

J Bradshaw, C Edwards, R Fleay, L Gepp, S Hanning, A Kelly, N Kommer, E Lourey,
 J McGee, L Meeking, D Sattler, N Smith, T Smith, T Taylor, T Widdicombe, K Yu

Colours awarded to:

S Hayes, C Morton

2ND FOOTBALL

Back Row (l to r): J Wood,
 A House,
 T Murray,
 A Carson,
 L Scott,
 Hammersley,
 K Cannon
Middle Row: Mr M Cook,
 W Forrester,
 L Hands,
 S Hanning,
 P Kopinsky,
 L Roberts,
 C York,
 S Parker,
 D Hirsch
Front Row: J Coleman,
 D Kaye,
 B Stone,
 N Francis,
 A Salter,
 N Smith,
 J Clarke,
 A Price



The 1st XVIII's Alcock Cup campaign started off in early March, with some early morning running and weights sessions. A week of various endurance, speed, strength and skill testing led us into the pre-season tour to Melbourne during the Term 1 break.

As well as taking in the AFL Rivalry Round, the squad played games against Melbourne Grammar, Trinity Grammar and Camberwell Grammar. While the task was difficult against Melbourne and Trinity, we were successful in securing the inaugural Dr Buntine Trophy against Camberwell and held onto the silverware in an undermanned return game at Hale in July.

Our initial game away against Wesley arrived with great anticipation and proved to be a great contest between two evenly matched teams. The first half was a tight battle, then Wesley blew open the contest with 6 goals in the third quarter. An inspired last quarter almost stole an unlikely victory but, we fell a few points short.

Our next two games at Craig Oval were solid victories against Christ Church and Scotch,

although poor periods during the games, particularly in the third quarter, allowed our opponents back into the contest.

Our lead up to the game against Trinity was challenging, as the School and the football group grieved the death of Jenny Henson. An admirable effort was witnessed in trying circumstances, but Trinity had a surer avenue to goal over the balance of the day.

The team rebounded well the following week against Guildford, with our best scoring effort of 19 goals. We again allowed our opposition to score freely through our nemesis third quarter.

Our next victim at Craig Oval was Aquinas. A six goal final quarter sealed the deal, with the Year 12 contingent most prominent when it mattered late in the game.

Wesley arrived at Hale in the last game before the Term 2 break in what was considered a battle for second position on the ladder. It was a dour struggle to three quarter time with 6 points separating the teams. Hale burst out of the blocks with the first 3 goals to take a

24 point lead, but then conceded the next 4 goals that resulted in an unpalatable draw.

A lethargic return from the break saw the team fall over the line away against Christ Church by eight points and an improving Scotch proved an intriguing contest, with Hale dominating the first half to lead by five goals. By the end of the third quarter, Scotch led by 8 points with the aid of a howling breeze. We were able to secure the lead late in the last quarter, only to see Scotch score the last goal of the day and win by 4 points.

Our final game was against Trinity, the 2007 Alcock Cup winner, and the group was keen to maintain its unbeaten record at Craig Oval for 2007. It was an inspired effort by all participants as the team prevailed by 19 points and celebrated with a memorable Hale war cry.

It was an appropriate finish for an outstanding group of boys who exemplified a wonderful competitive spirit all year. A 6:3 and one draw outcome for the year was enough for Hale to finish equal second on the ladder.

football



8A FOOTBALL

Back Row (l to r): R Ferritto, M Smith, C Carson, J Zuvelek, B Lim, A Birman, A Rule, S Robinson-Arrow

Second Row: B Taylor, Z Fleisher, B Dillon, B Hammersley, P Wilson, B Pascoe, S Ashford, B Doney, S Anderson

First Row: T Bigwood, S Forward, J Peos, Mr M O'Connell, C Angelkov, J Hills, J Metcalfe



8B/C FOOTBALL

Back Row (l to r): R Chab, N Mozley, D Bishop, A Blake, J Schoonens, S O'Connor, M Odgen, J Prince, Z Montague, D Crisp, M McGellin, T Head, L Michel, E McInnes, C Wood

Second Row: J Quenby, S Howieson, T Mumme, J Ruggiero, S Rudd, P Sudlow, A Murdoch

First Row: A Johnson, J Metcalfe, B McAlpine, W Hofmann, C O'Brien

Absent: S Little



Whilst the **10B** Football team had a mildly successful season on the scoreboard, given our three wins and seven losses and overall percentage of 66%, it was a very fruitful one in terms of enjoyment and personal development. Throughout the season, well over 30 boys played in the team. At times we were a little tight for numbers but generally, Hale had plenty of keen boys willing to be part of the action. A major emphasis from a coaching perspective was to encourage the boys to work as a team during matches and also be prepared to play in a variety of positions. To this end, I was very satisfied with their efforts. The team was particularly well served by a strong nucleus of players. Those who performed consistently well were recognised in the *Fairest and Best* voting. Our top six vote recipients were: Timothy Young (22), Stephen Bignell (19), Jack Jasper (17), George Eastwood (13), Josh Humphries (13), and Declan Tabeart (11). Tim's performance deserves special recognition. It was his first season of competitive football and he displayed an exemplary attitude. Jack Jasper was named the best team player. His highly competitive nature, outstanding conduct on the training track and the fine leadership he offered the team were much appreciated by all. Exceptional improvement was evident in the following players this year; Mitchell Rosher and Stephen Bignell and most notably by Christopher Burch. The team was also well served by a group of characters including Tom Rolley-Good, Jack Farrell, Sam Howieson and Tyler Barnes, who provided good humour, responsible action and a positive attitude at all times. I thank all of the parents who supported the team and their boys this season, in particular, Mr Barnes and Mr Howieson. I would also like to thank the boys for their fine effort and wish them well next year.

Mr B Young

The **9A** football team enjoyed a very successful season, which commenced with a tour to Tasmania in April. Twenty-four boys went on the tour which included playing three matches against schools in Hobart and Launceston. The players performed well and managed to win all three games by comfortable margins. Tours of Port Arthur, the Cadbury Factory and the AFL match at Aurora Stadium were some of the highlights.

The **PSA** season was also a successful one with the team losing just the one game against a much better and stronger Aquinas team. Highlight games included our victories over Trinity although they certainly squared the ledger in defeating us by 14 points later in the season in the Smarter than Smoking Cup Grand Final at Subiaco.

The team's captain, Scott Wilson was voted *Fairest and Best* after playing a stellar season. Luke Shipway and Stuart Berryman also played well throughout the season. Lachlan Davey kicked 38 goals in the 10 PSA games for the season and was awarded best on ground for Hale School in the Smarter than Smoking Cup Grand Final.

All players are congratulated for their positive contribution and for the way they went about playing and developing their football skills during the season. It was a terrific season and one in which the team bonded well and enjoyed eighteen wins from twenty games of PSA and Smarter than Smoking Cup football.

Mr M Walsh

The **9B** side had a fantastic season filled with all kinds of games. They had close struggles, comprehensive wins and tough, character building losses. All players showed significant improvement across the season and their teamwork and positive attitudes were a highlight from a coach's perspective. The *Fairest and Best* medal count was a hotly contested event with many players polling

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votes across the season. Congratulations to Michael Bass whose courage and hardness at the ball saw him storm home to win the 9B *Fairest and Best* for 2007. Other players who received a large amount of votes in this close race were James Abbott, Zac Paul and Mitchell Towns. Special mention is made of Matt Whinnen whose outstanding first half of the season saw him promoted to the 9A's. Sam Freind blitzed the goal kicking with twenty goals for the season and his unselfish work set up many others for the team. Kurt Edwards deservedly won the *Most Improved* player award; as his confidence grew, he was a huge asset in the midfield with his toughness and relentless attack on the ball. All players who played this season can be very proud of their efforts as they all showed skill, toughness and character. The 2007 9B football team was a pleasure to coach and I wish the boys all the best for their footballing future.

Mr R Piggott

As in previous years, the **Year 8** footy season began after two or three training sessions. That fact in itself, makes for a difficult beginning. The boys do not know each other, I do not know them nor do they know what is expected of them. I was apprehensive as we went into battle for the first time as a team against Scotch.

I need not have fretted for on seeing them play, I recognised that I had a very talented squad. We had the raw materials to build a very good team and, if our attitude was right, then the other teams had better watch out. This was a very pleasing realisation. Their attitude was inspiring. They trained hard and with smiles on their faces and, as a coach, I could not have asked for more. I genuinely liked them as a collective group of young men and they genuinely liked each other. If I could take this group of very talented boys, continue to develop their skills and nurture this sense of team spirit, we were a team that was going to be very hard to beat.

We lost twice during the year, once each to Aquinas and Trinity. We were outplayed in the Trinity match but the loss against Aquinas was particularly painful. To lose a match after being up by five goals at half time was a difficult pill to swallow and it taught us many lessons about playing with a 'never say die attitude'. We had a keenly anticipated rematch against Trinity and if we could learn from what went wrong in that Aquinas match then we could apply it in the next Trinity game.

The return game against Trinity, played at Trinity, was the highlight of the season, perhaps even the year! It was a very bleak day with the oval virtually under water. It was a cold, miserable and uncomfortable afternoon and it was going to test us. We knew Trinity had not lost all year and we knew that we had been outplayed in Round 1, so the challenge was palpable. Were we up to it or were we just all bluff and bravado?

We were brilliant. It was a fantastic, hard won game where we matched and bettered every move that Trinity threw at us. It showcased everything that is good about the Hale football community. The effort of the boys on that day made me very proud and showed just how good a team this group of enthusiastic footballers had become.

They were a delight to coach. I wish them well for the future.

Mr M O'Connell

The **8B** football team finished third behind Aquinas and Trinity after a solid year in which only three games were lost. We lost once to Aquinas in the soaking wet and freezing cold, and twice to Trinity. We ended up only losing one game on the Vernon Murphy oval. The boys played hard all year and always went for the ball.



SMARTER THAN SMOKING CUP TEAM

Back Row (l to r): L Davey, M Clarke, S Fong, J Zuvalek, L Shipway, S Berryman, D Hewton, C Carson, J Rivers

Third Row: D Wood, L Falconer, D Grierson, M Smith, B Lim, L Copley, C Lourey, A Birman, R Bedford, Mr M Walsh (Coach)

Second Row: C Le Fanu, R Waters, L Lowe, A Rule, S Wilson (Capt), A Gorter, J Feakes, B Hammersley, S Garlic

Front Row: T Bigwood, B Taylor, S Hooper, B Doney, Z Fleisher, F Simcock, S Anderson

We started our season with three consecutive wins against Wesley, Christ Church and Scotch, then a loss to Trinity. We then had a three week break due to the mid-term break, Guildford not having a B team and the Hale bye. We then lost to Aquinas at Aquinas in the wet and finished off the term with a win against Wesley. After the holidays we enjoyed wins over Christ Church and Scotch, before ending our season on a disappointing note, losing to Trinity in a low scoring affair.

Our *Fairest and Best* for the year was Seymoure Little with Scott Rudd close behind, finishing second, William Hofmann third and Ashley Blake fourth. It was a great team to be a part of; we had lots of fun and learned some valuable lessons too. Thanks to our coach, Mr Uphill and we look forward to season 2008.

Scott Howieson



1st XI Hockey



1ST XI HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): Mr M Jordan (Manager), L Aleksandrow, L Mellor, B Jameson, B Pearce, G Harrold, C Stevens, T Jockel, Mr R Barron (Coach)

Front Row: D Chrystal, N Crosby, C Lim, J Leslie, D Henderson, C Fitzgerald, K Goh

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Rod Isaachsen Memorial Trophy:	<i>Fairest and Best</i>	C Lim
Old Haleians' Hockey Club Trophy:	<i>Most Improved Player</i>	C Lim
GG Glenister Trophy:	<i>Most Promising Year 10</i>	M Lim
Ian F Biddle Cup:	<i>D Chrystal</i>	
Symbols awarded to:	L Aleksandrow, D Chrystal, N Crosby, C Fitzgerald, K Goh, C Hearn, T Jockel, M Lim, C Stevens	

Colours awarded to:

C Lim

2ND XI HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): Mr N Gill
(Coach),
L Mellor,
T Simmer- Knight,
D McManus,
AJ McDonald,
F Beattie,
M Camerer,
Mrs B Honiball
(Manager)

Front Row:
R Feakes,
D Smith,
H Johnston,
T Smith,
A Gamble,
R Sutherland, M
Graham



The 1st XI hockey season started with Hale hosting and billeting Michaelhouse from South Africa and also Melbourne Grammar. A tour to New Zealand followed to increase match fitness, plan team plays and strategies and build team camaraderie. Twenty players spent thirteen days in Auckland, Lake Taupo, Wellington and Christchurch playing seven games, winning five and suffering two losses.

After an excellent preparation, the team played Wesley away and Hale fell over the line 4-3 in a tightly contested match. The next two weeks would define our season with games against perennial top teams Christ Church and Scotch. The game against Christ Church at Hale was lost 4-1, followed by a nil all draw with Scotch in an excellent defensive effort from the team. This draw cost Scotch a championship over eventual winners Christ Church.

After a great start to the season, a loss to Trinity with the winning goal scored with 20 seconds left in the match was disappointing. The team lifted the following week, defeating Guildford 6-0 in difficult conditions at Guildford.

Playing Aquinas once this season placed great importance on the match and the Hale team was outplayed by an in form team, 5-1. This was followed by a tight one all draw with Wesley at Hale and an improved game against Christ Church where Hale led 1-0 for most of the first half, only to succumb late in the game, 2-1. To push the winning team to the brink of defeat was an excellent effort.

The season finished with a 1-0 loss to Scotch away in a tight match and a 'come from behind win' over Trinity to reverse the loss to them earlier in the season. Hale ended the season fourth on the ladder.

Hale also played friendlies against the Hotspurs, losing 6-1. On two occasions they played Como Senior College (a hockey specialist school) and won both encounters in high quality hockey games.

Team Captain Chris Lim was selected and toured China and South East Asia in the Australian U/16 team. The season included many highlights and tough games but the consistent, positive environment the boys created where effort was acknowledged by team-mates, made the season a rewarding one for the 1st XI coaches, Mr Barron and Mr Jordan.

Once again it was a pleasure to be in the company of Mrs Honiball and all other coaches, parents, siblings and numerous supporters as the Hale School 2nd XI did us all proud on the hockey pitch this winter.

Results came in waves; unfortunately on a couple of occasions we were washed out to sea. However, in the main we were competitive in all our matches, drawing one and winning five of the ten matches contested to finish fourth in the PSA rankings.



3RD XI HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): H Jockel, B Meyer, M Heyns, N Wilkinson, M Stevens, D Dougherty,
B Iyer, Mr P Dook (Coach)

Front Row:
J Plumley, L Oliver, R Sutherland, C Bowden, M Graham, E de Silva,
N Anandan

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10A HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): Mr A Robertson (Coach), D Dixon, C Armstrong, D Bishop, P Oliver, J Donnelly
Front Row: M McManus, S Abbott, A Newman, M Askew, C Gherbaz, J Howard, J Ovens



10B HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): T Bloking, R Dougherty, Mr M Vaswani (Coach), G Gage, MMelanko
Front Row: R Chickonoski, J Gardner, A Eranki, S Bath, A Moltoni



9A HOCKEY

Back Row (l to r): S McCormack, N Griffies, J Ward, J Bradbury, L Chapman, B Pallas, L Saare, Mr J Bausor (Coach)
Front Row: S Embry, J Beh, M Salmon, S Winter, N Natarajan, J Payne, T Horton

Training ran smoothly throughout the year, especially given the changing nature of our team. Luke, Tom, Keng, Craig and Lloyd all spent considerable periods of time in the 1st X1. Although disappointing for us, it was great to see their efforts pay dividends. Fortunately our captain and vice captain, David McManus and AJ McDonald respectively, provided continuity of leadership and organizational skills that stood us in good stead both on and off the field.

Throughout the course of the season, all boys developed their skills and aspects of their play. It was pleasing to see the continued development of players from last year. Toby, Adam, Lloyd, David, AJ, Tom J and Henry proved very reliable and consistent players. This year we welcomed Rob, Matt, Damon, Fraser, Tom Smith and Monty to the team; again, to their credit they were able to develop the individual basics of their game that allowed them to become more effective contributors to the team goals.

Awarding trophies is nearly always a difficult task but not so when you have to count to seven to discover that Damon Smith was the team's leading goal scorer. After much consideration (and putting aside the garish pink training attire), it was a pleasure to award the *Coach's Trophy* to Henry Johnston. Tom Smith earned the *Fairest and Best* award for 2007 for his outstanding return season in goal.

To all the boys, thank you for your enthusiasm, good humour and friendship.

Nicholas Gill

In 2007 the **3rd XI** completed another successful season with five wins, two draws and two losses; a second place finish on the ladder after Scotch, but in front of old rival Christ Church.

The boys exhibited a low stress 'want to be there attitude' and were determined to enjoy themselves at all times. There were about 20 on the playing list with a regular 13 or 14 fit and at training. The 3rd XI always took their hockey seriously; they wanted to win but accepted a loss in good spirit. They were always quick to extend the hand of congratulations and friendship at the end of the game, irrespective of the result.

As noted in Cygnets 2006 - "Due to the changing team structure each week, most boys learned to play in a number of positions and play a style of hockey designed to confuse the opposition. With no move being repeated on purpose and no set plays, it usually worked."

Initiative is highly valued in the 3rd XI. The training and playing strategy evolved slightly this year when we added a few moves to our training manual. In particular, we practised short corners for the first time as it was decided that such a simple drill wouldn't compromise our unconventional style.

It was a difficult decision to decide who to award trophies to at the end of the season but in the end they were awarded to the following - *Coach's Award*: Lihan Oliver - a young man who could be counted on to put the team first at all times. He always gave 100% and generally played very well. *Most Improved*: Daniel Dougherty - Daniel improved a lot over the two years and matured into a solid, dependable and thoughtful right wing.

Fairest and Best: Lindsay Ellis - Lindsay worked very hard at centre half and was constantly repelling the opposition. He showed leadership by example by playing his position well and running out the whole game.

Mr P Dook

The **10A** side won four games, lost five and drew one to finish fourth in the rankings. The team's strength was the commitment of all the boys to improve their skills at training and then apply them during the Saturday morning games. Despite losing players regularly to Exmouth camps, the team continued to be competitive, playing attacking hockey even if they were several goals down. The attitude

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'if you are going to go down let's go down trying to put the ball in the opposition's goal', meant the team did not play defensively at all and consequently, some score lines tended to flatter the opposition. At their best the 10As drew with the 10A champions, Scotch and at their worst they were rolled by several goals by the likes of Aquinas and Christ Church.

In all, there were nine players representing the **10B** Hockey squad this season. Unable to field a complete team throughout the season, we were always fighting an uphill battle. The 10B team made it to the first round at Christ Church where the opposing side educated our squad with a 4-0 score line. The next fixture saw the squad play away against Scotch. The boys worked tirelessly and managed to secure a crucial 1-0 victory.

The next three games against Trinity, Aquinas and Christ Church saw three consecutive losses, primarily due to the fact that the team was undermanned in each match. Unperturbed, the team soldiered on with regular and intense training, their efforts paying off with a 7-2 victory against Scotch at home followed by a 4-1 trouncing against Trinity away. It was a splendid way to end the 2007 season.

Special mention is made of goalie, Aditya Eranki, without whom the team would have suffered greater losses and smaller winning margins. Sebastian Bath and Jarryd Gardner were standout players throughout the season and Adrian Moltoni was the most improved player.

Although the **9A** team did not achieve great results this season, the boys fought hard in all their games and enjoyed the challenges that they faced against some strong opponents. The highlight of the season was undoubtedly winning the last game against Trinity in atrocious weather conditions. Trinity had won most of their games up to that point and it was a good lesson to the team about persevering to achieve results.

In spite of the disappointing results, there was considerable fight shown and improvements were made in the skills and the positional play of all players. Well done and keep working hard at your game. *Fairest and Best:* Scott Embry and Nic Griffies.

The **9B** team won three games, drew one and lost six in a rather tough competition. The fifth game against Scotch was probably our best. Everyone played well and ran hard even though the final goal to Hale in the last two minutes of the game resulted in a draw.

Thanks go to Samuel Jameson and Dylan Fawkes who shared goalie position for the season and to Tim Marsh, David Laczko, Reagan Leung, Jack Schumacher and Chris Davies, who rotated as reserves for the season without ever a word of complaint. Player of the season was Daniel Chu, and most improved were Ed Butler, David Laczko and Jack Schumacher.

The **8A** hockey team faced a challenging year, partly due to a very strong Year 8A competition, and partly due to a number of new boys to hockey taking up the sport this year. Many boys received an opportunity to play in the A team with over seventeen boys getting a chance to show their worth. Although the boys only won one game this year, they certainly came a long way in developing their skills and understanding their positions and how to play the game of hockey.

Congratulations boys on working hard against very strong opposition and showing what you were capable of in the fine 5-0 win over Guildford at the end of the season.

The **8B** team was replete with novices to the game, but where knowledge and experience were lacking, this deficiency was more than compensated for with enthusiasm and skill development throughout the season. Although many results did not go their way, the boys demonstrated on field sportsmanship and the ability to be competitive with the top PSA sides. A 3-0 win over Trinity at the end of the season was confirmation of their fine effort.

**9B HOCKEY**

Back Row (l to r): N Towler, D Fawkes, M Shield, L Smith, D Chu, C Davies, J Schumacher, D Cashmore, Mr A Curran (Coach)
Front Row: V Shah, R Leung, B Pallas, K Meers, M Read, D Laczko, E Butler, A McCorkill

**8A HOCKEY**

Back Row (l to r): D Haslam, J Young, M Koelemij, R Moynihan, M Longbottom, R Hollick, Mr C Ashton (Coach)
Front Row: J Gherbaz, R Bothe, D Marshall, R Huynh, S Fitzpatrick, B Bignoux, R Dennis

**8B HOCKEY**

Back Row (l to r): S Anderson, R Nicholson, C Carson, M McGellin, J McAuliffe, C Angelkov, I Damant, Mr T Trewin (Coach)
Front Row: Z Lakhani, N Hughes, S MacDonald, B Penny, E Papatimitriou, R Shrubsall, H Tynas

1st XV Rugby



1ST XI RUGBY

Back Row (l to r): M Pollastri, J Su, M Kidson, R Collins, M D'Adamo, D Mitchell, S Croft

Middle Row: T Lewis, M Hagemann, B Mills, R Griffin, G Salter, T Ashford, S Muir, J Tucker

Front Row: J Turner, M Schmidt, Mr S McFarlane (Coach), A Rovira, Mr R Barugh, (Asst Coach), D Haylett-Petty, S Cowley

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Russell Davis Perpetual Trophy:
Hale's Angels Cup:
John Vaux Memorial Trophy:

Most Outstanding Player M Schmidt
Best 2nd XV Player J Yoxall
Most Promising Year 10 J Smith

Symbols awarded to:

G Adenorff, T Ashford, R Collins, S Croft, M D'Adamo, S Law, T Lewis, B Mills, D Mitchell, M Pollastri, J Su, J Tucker, J Turner

Colours awarded to:

S Cowley, S Muir, A Rovira, M Schmidt, J Turner

Honours awarded to:

D Haylett-Petty

2ND XI RUGBY

Back Row (l to r): B Mills,
 J Borrell,
 S Law,
 N Virgo,
 M Mead,
 B Whitham,
 K Bailey,
 S Syddall

Second Row: T Lewis,
 L Pickering,
 G Adendorff,
 T Gregory,
 T Cunningham,
 T Ho, J Skinner,
 S Croft,
 J Barnsley

Front Row: M Cockcroft,
 G Moriarty,
 B Ngo, J Yoxall,
 J Thomson,
 P Barras,
 J Cockcroft

Absent: Mr R Tongue
 (Coach)



The 2007 1st XV captained by Alex Rovira, retained the Brother Redmond Cup for the fifth successive year. However, aside from the results, the boys played an excellent brand of rugby that was enjoyed by the players, coaches and spectators alike. It was a high tempo game, with the philosophy of attack, attack and attack. That they did; backs and forwards alike and 466 points scored in ten competition games reflects that. They would attack from anywhere. They were patient, they were clinical and as a team, they were dynamic when they had the ball. Many of the tries scored reflected everything good about the game and also Hale rugby. In the games against Guildford, Trinity and the opening period in the second Scotch game, this was all so evident. As a team, they also took a steely pride in their defence. Only on a few occasions was the line crossed due to some lapses in concentration.

The backs were quick, fleet of foot and used their feet well in the close contact situation. All had the ability to finish well when put into space, all had the ability to create space, either through good sleight of hand or sheer raw power. They were also clinical in their execution and their decision making was first class. The kicking game also complemented the ball in hand approach.

The forwards developed into a competitive unit as the season progressed. Blessed with a strong and effective back row, the tight five developed and showed a tremendous improvement particularly in the set piece. All were excellent in the carry; all worked hard off the ball, particularly in the clean out at the breakdown. The scrummaging which initially was proving to be the team's 'Achilles heel,' improved with time. The lineout was never bettered and supplied a steady stream of first phase possession, as well as regularly denying the opposition their own ball.

If there was a weakness of the team, it was the tendency to 'switch off' and move away from the system once a healthy lead had been established. This was most frustrating at times. However, in the end the team was always able to deliver when it mattered.

The team had a successful pre-season tour to Sydney and played against a Cranbrook XV and St Aloys. Teams from the Isle of Man, Scotland and England also visited Hale during the season.

Most of these boys leave us at the end of 2007. They have served Hale Rugby well and we wish them well in their future endeavours. To those who return, let us make 2008 even better.

Mr S McFarland

What an outstanding season this has been for the 2nd XV. When we have all forgotten the scores and even the teams we've played have slipped into the recesses of time, we will always remember 2007, a year of great friends, good company and fine times and some really outstanding rugby played in the game's finest tradition.

Their final game of the season against Trinity was a testament to what the boys have achieved this season. They moved the ball with precision, defended with passion and protected the ball as if it were gold – what more could one ask?

The endearing qualities of this group of players have been their ease to coach and their sense of fun. Throughout the season, they have been led by a quality group of senior players who have now played their last game in the 'double blue' of Hale School. As they leave, we acknowledge the fine contribution they have made to rugby in their time.

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10A RUGBY

Back Row (l to r): G Hardwood-Nash, N Van Der Meiwre, L Valentine, J Weir, E Mitchell, A Wood-Collier, R Bailey, K Ward
Middle Row: S Marnewick, L Burges, R Wills, R Sandover, L Campbell, A Burton, J Merrey, R Warburton, A Fourie
Front Row: W Parks, Y Huang, A Ninkov, J Smith, Mr Steencamp (Coach), A Scannell, D Vijaykumar, E Cameron, N Cordy-Hedge



9A RUGBY

Back Row (l to r): A Lyche, A MacNiven, K Bush, M Stevens, M Heyns, M Barham
Middle Row: L Whitson, C Blignaut, T Lewis, J Emery, R Cain, C Hoon, Mr S Young
Front Row: M Bevilacqua, T Thai, J Milligan, B Enright (Capt), R Palframan, B Doig, G Wilson
Absent: N Cook, L Jones, C McGrath, Mr A Woods (Coach)



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Back Row (l to r): C McGlashan, M Shield, T Bhatia, P Anderson, S Savage
Middle Row: J Ashley, S Shah, H Mugford, T Fowler, P Anderson-Loake, J Reddrop, K Varma
Front Row: I Damant, J Whitby, J Harvey (Captain), Mr S Goatcher (Coach), C Strickland, M Walker, J Price

Jordan Yoxall led the side to perfection and regularly played himself to a standstill. Simon Croft and Stuart Law wove magic by the bucket load in the $\frac{3}{4}$ line and Paul Barras, Matt Cockcroft and Ben Ngo could always be counted upon to finish well and defend ruthlessly. One was continually surprised by what Josh Thomson and Grant Adendorff could produce from the custodial position and their direction of play always meant that their line was well guarded and the backline, well positioned. Josh Borrill, our most versatile of forwards, could always be counted upon to break the line and was unstoppable in the last few games. Tom Gregory, the hard man of the tight five, always played strong and was a constant headache for any opposition. Liam Pickering was the constant improver throughout the season and his passion for the game was infectious. He didn't miss a second of the season and worked hard at his game from the beginning to the end. Sean Syddall and Julian Su also lent their experience to the side on their return from injury and two better forwards you would need to go a long way to find. We missed the hard working Sam Rankine-Wilson through injury early in the season and Jason Skinner and Theo Cunningham both enjoyed their first taste of rugby this year.

To everyone involved with Hale rugby, thank you very much for a wonderful season. Best wishes to our seniors as they face new adventures and the excitement that that offers and for the rest, we shall see you again next year.

Mr R Tongue

The Year 10 rugby team had a very successful season, winning six, losing three and drawing one in a competition during which we matured into a tight, focussed group of players thanks to the excellent coaching of Mr Steenekamp and Ben Lindegard.

The team displayed ability and determination both in attack and defence. Hale's game was centred around solid phase ball and a strong attacking policy which allowed it to successfully post big scores against Wesley and Christ Church.

The Hale scrum consistently retained its own ball and pressured the opposition's feed. The most notable occasions were when Hale played against the massive Trinity forward packs. Both times Hale beat the Trinity scrum and won the game.

Our backline was unequalled for its speed and running ability. It was able to capitalise on the hard work of the forwards to score many points throughout the season. Hale worked tirelessly on the pitch for every win.

There were some amazing highlights this season. The first was the performance of Jackson Merry against Christ Church in which he amassed 29 points, including 3 tries and 7 conversions. The second was Hale's defeat of Scotch away from home. This victory was particularly memorable, as this playing group in Years 8 and 9, had been unable to defeat Scotch – but that was to change in 2007. The third and final highlight was the growing rivalry between Hale and Trinity at Year 10 level. This rivalry which had its genesis in Years 8 and 9 intensified in Year 10. Hale enjoyed two wins against Trinity, both with a margin of less than 3 points. In these games, the boys played well as a team, with Jordan Smith (Capt) being instrumental in these memorable victories.

The Year 10 side played with an intensity which will serve them well as the boys move into senior rugby in 2008.

Alex Ninkov

Excitement for the 2007 Year 9 players grew at the end of 2006 when a squad of 20 was invited to go on tour to the Gold Coast in July. This enthusiasm remained throughout what was to be an interesting season.

At the first official practice session, a badly broken arm was an indication of the injury plague that would result in a number of players missing large parts of the season. As a consequence, the starting line up changed weekly.

The boys grew as a team over the season and learned the value of

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playing as a unit. This in itself is something that will stand them in good stead in the senior ranks. At times, they produced some very attractive rugby. Many of the tries scored came from some good, hard running and the cross kick behind the opposition defence produced almost a try a game. Space does not allow for mentioning the highlights each player experienced during the season. However, the boys were eager to please and each player can look back with pride on his personal achievements. Whether it was scoring their first try, making a good pass, taking a good lineout ball or hitting a player back in the tackle, each boy knows that he contributed in some way.

The rugby tour to the Gold Coast was the highlight of the season, and although the boys were on the losing side on two of three occasions, some gutsy rugby was played and good life lessons were learned. Needless to say, a good time was had by all.

The results table makes for interesting reading with three teams sharing top spot in the PSA competition. Hale defeated Wesley twice; Scotch beat Hale twice; and Wesley beat Scotch twice. I guess all three teams will be playing the 'what could have been' card in their end of season wrap-up. Next year the competition will certainly be hot between these three teams as they compete for top spot. Bring on 2008!

Mr S Young

The boys who represented Hale in the 8A side this year did so with enthusiasm, skill and determination. Hooker Douglas Hermans, marshalled his troops well and took over fifteen tight heads throughout the season. Josh Van Helsdingen, James McAuliffe, Brodie Sprylan and Nathan Stanley anchored the scrums each week while Ross Haylett-Petty was a mobile, powerful lock who knew only one way on the field – straight ahead, usually with ball in hand and the opposition hanging on. Isaac Tyson became the workhorse of the team and Alex Grant's athletic ability made him unbeatable at the front of the lineout. The back row was well balanced with Jackson Webster's power, Liam Hughes' skills and Mark Harwood-Nash's all round game, making a dynamic outfit.

The backline was outstanding with Liam O'Shea providing pinpoint service from halfback, giving Luke Burton, the team's five eighth and captain, time and space to weave his magic. A fine goalkicker to add to his talents, Luke scored 11 tries and 45 conversions in the team's 500+ total. The mid-field block of Rob Tucker and Nick Chapman was superb: their teamwork was exceptional. This resulted in Nick scoring 18 tries in the 9 games he played. Henry Giles, Calum Peoples, Alistair Jardine, Tom Maddison and Nick Kenner shared the wing positions throughout the year and proved to be capable finishers. Rory Hindle covered the fullback role with distinction.

The team's record of 10 wins, no losses is an outstanding achievement. The future of Hale rugby is in safe hands with these boys in the 'double blue' – and they do the best war cry in the School!



8A RUGBY

Back Row (l to r): N Stanley, H Giles, R tucker, A Grant, R Haylett-Petty, I Tyson, T Maddison, J Van Helsdingen, Mr S Meade (Coach)

Front Row: L O'Shea, A Jardine, L Hughes, L Burton (Capt), J Webster, J McAuliffe, R Hindle, C Peoples

Absent: N Chapman, M Harwood-Nash

Opponents	1st XV	2nd XV	Year 10	Year 9	Year 8
Wesley	Won 58-3	Won 54-5	Won 26-5	Won 15-7	Won 37-7
Christ Church	Won 29-10	Won 36-0	Won 64-0	Won 60-0	Won 68-5
Scotch	Won 27-10	Won 46-0	Won 24-15	Lost 7-12	Won 45-7
Trinity	Won 62-0	Won 10-0	Won 13-7	Won 43-5	Won 51-0
Guildford	Won 62-0	Won 32-5	Lost 7-13	Won 58-7	Won 24-10
Aquinas	Won 29-0	Won 29-5	Lost 7-20	Won 10-7	Won 53-0
Wesley	Won 38-19	Won 22-17	Won 37-10	Won 22-14	Won 62-5
Christ Church	Won 45-0	Won 54-17	Lost 0-17	Won -forfeit	Won 76-0
Scotch	Won 38-19	Won 38-0	Drew 12-12	Lost 12-15	Won 57-5
Trinity	Won 79-0	Won 52-0	Won 18-15	Won 36-0	Won 31-5



1st XI Soccer



1ST XI SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): R Slevin, M Kailis, N Stüben, M Stewart, Y Nakajima, D Kalamaras

Middle Row: Mr B Grimes (Coach), A Xydias, S Nair, M Tombides, S Quenby, H Ntoumenopoulos, Mr M Crawshaw (Manager)

Front Row: P Vrankovich, L Hussey, P Sawyer, F Sala, T Dixon, A Gismondi

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David Berg Trophy for the Best Player:
Most Improved 1st XI Player:
Roda Trophy: Most Promising Year 10

P Sawyer
 P Vrankovich
 A Xydas

Symbols awarded to:

T Dixon, L Hussey, S Quenby, R Slevin, M Tombides, P Vrankovich,
 A Xydas

Colours awarded to:

F Sala

The 1st XI began their season with a tour of New Zealand, playing games against King's College, St Kentigern's and Rotorua Boys' High School. This was a wonderful experience and terrific preparation for the challenges ahead.

The PSA season commenced with a sound 3-1 away win against Wesley College thanks to some wonderful attacking football from midfield, led by the captain, Paul Sawyer. The skill of Filip Sala in attack was undeniable as he weaved through the Wesley defence with relative ease, scoring two goals. Although this structure was a winning combination, Hale lacked confidence in the backline, necessitating a change that saw Sudharrshan Nair and Dhamon Kalamaras dominate the forward positions, and Sala strengthen the defence from this point onwards.

In the following games, Hale managed to play solid football beating Christ Church 2-0, Guildford 3-1, and Aquinas 4-2, but then losing to Scotch 1-0 and Trinity 5-1. Despite playing some of their best football in these games, the 1st XI faced a much stronger and polished opposition. Not deterred by these results, Hale pushed on, suffering a very surprising 3-2 defeat by Wesley in the second half of the fixtures, and then convincingly beating Christ Church 3-1 in a terrific encounter.

At this point in the season, Hale was in clear third place and needing to win the next two games to move up to second. The team rallied once more but, despite its best efforts, went down 3-1 to a talented Scotch team containing a number of WA State players. With only Trinity to play, Hale went on the attack early, but unfortunately was 3 goals down within eight minutes. Although stunned by Trinity, the Hale side showed true courage and conviction to hold the score at 3-0 going into half time. Hale scored early in the second half, but within minutes the pace quickened and an awkward clash between striker Nair and the Trinity keeper resulted in Nair falling to the ground with a badly broken leg. After a 40 minute delay, he was taken to hospital and Hale resumed the game, displaying tremendous character and conviction, but eventually losing 5-1.

In summary, the 1st XI completed the season winning five games and losing five, to come third behind Trinity College and Scotch College. There is little doubt that Hale soccer has been a dominating force at this level over the last few years. The Lawe-Davies Cup for the Champion 1st XI team in the PSA has been won by Hale School seven times since its inception in 1987, with three of those wins being achieved in 2004, 2005 and 2006. It is hoped that Hale can return to its winning ways in the years to come.



2ND XI SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): L Slater, A MacNiven, D Vernon, H Brown, D Hardie, J Shield, C Lyche
Front Row: L Le Cornu, N Cross, S Leath, V Ngo, R Harvey

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3RD XI SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): T Grgich, A Sutton, J Hart, C Wilson, J Ng
Middle Row: D Griffies, J Leonard, J Lingard, D Dawbin, L D'Cruz,
 Dr P Dunham (Coach)
Front Row: P Campbell, L Meyer, J Hargrave, L Le Cornu, J Taylor



10A SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): Mr G Simpson (Coach), R Chapple, K Bordbar, A White,
 B Caley, J Reed, J Rickett
Front Row: A Kaushik, O O'Neill, M Chapman, J Therry-Lim, E Li, S Dopp,
 M Yeoh
Absent: S Whitehead



10B SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): K Vagijiani, J Wu, R Stephensen, M Lammy, Mr R Watt (Coach),
 K Shahril, L Vrankovich, T Stanley, M Graff
Front Row: J Tan, C Corbett, A Udayana, M Adams, S Booth,
 N Chew, F Said
Absent: P Burke

There are many qualities that are possessed by great teams. These include technical skill, fitness, attitude, commitment and heart. The boys in the squad of 2007 have shown many of these qualities and it is hoped that they are richer for their experience. They are all commended for their efforts and Paul Sawyer (Capt) and Filip Sala (V Capt) in particular, for their leadership throughout the season.

The 2nd XI enjoyed another successful season, securing the title for the third consecutive year. The team won seven, drew two and lost only one of its ten matches. The team followed the pattern of previous years, making a very strong start to the competition by winning the first five games. These included tough opponents in Scotch and Wesley. The undoubted highlight was a high quality performance in defeating Trinity away 4-0. A second win against Wesley and a draw against Aquinas left Hale in a strong position at the end of the third term. After the break, Hale suffered a surprising loss away to Christ Church, leaving the title in the balance. A hard fought 1-1 draw away to Scotch meant that the return fixture against Trinity would be the decider. It proved to be a worthy decider. Hale was unfortunate to be trailing 1-0 at half time but showed tremendous perseverance and character to score two goals and seal the title amidst scenes of much jubilation. Congratulations to the boys for their efforts, particularly Andrew MacNiven and David Vernon who performed admirably throughout the season. The aim is to now make it four in a row.

The 3rd XI had a great season, finishing top of its competition. Ably led by Louis Meyer, the boys went into the mid-season break undefeated. However, an injury to the 1st XI goalkeeper created a chain reaction, resulting in the loss of the 3rd's regular keeper to the 2nd XI. Things were never the same after that and the final four games ended in two draws and two losses. Undoubtedly, the highlight of the season was the 5-0 win at Guildford on a challenging playing surface. Unfortunately, Hale defender Jordan Furner broke his arm and, as he was being led off the pitch in great pain, the Guildford team, in a display of true sportsmanship, spontaneously applauded him. The 3rd XI worked hard at all times and is commended on its fighting spirit and sporting attitude whether in victory or defeat. Well done to all concerned.

The 10A season was a success, with the team winning 70% of its games to finish second to Trinity. The main aim was to prepare for the upcoming trial of playing 1st XI for Hale. This meant concentration in training and in matches on three important aspects of soccer: fitness, technical skill and tactical awareness. One of the dictums of this game is that you can never run fast enough or long enough. It was the ability to run until the final whistle, and be mentally alert at the same time, that allowed the team to come from behind on occasions or kick away as the game closed in at the end. Controlling the ball with the first touch and being able to play it on occupied a third of training time, and when it was done properly the play was fluid and the boys looked unstoppable. We also experimented with different formations, set plays and variations on strategies, and had boys playing in different positions (outside their comfort zone). Each member of the squad made a valuable contribution throughout the competition and all are congratulated on a thrilling season.

The 10B team had a good season, winning five of its games. The opening match against Wesley resulted in a convincing 3-1 win, but this was followed by a 6-2 loss against a powerful Christ Church side. The true fighting spirit of the side then came to the fore as the 10Bs notched up three wins in a row, culminating in the 18-0 demolition of Guildford. The boys showed courage and enthusiasm at all times

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and are commended for their 'never say die' attitude and their sportsmanship. Well done to all the players in the squad.

The 9As enjoyed a very successful season winning eight from ten games. The team won the first two matches against Wesley and Christ Church 5-1 and 3-0 respectively, but then lost to Scotch (3-1). The next game was much better, with Trinity scoring a late second half goal to win the match. This was followed by a fantastic 11-0 win against Guildford, with Geordie Papathanassiou scoring five. Next came Aquinas, and a 2-0 win at home. In the return match against Wesley, Hale was 1-0 down at half time, but fought back to win 4-1. After the holidays, the boys beat Christ Church again, this time 4-0, in Michael Kailis' last game for the 9As. Knowing how hard the return match against Scotch was going to be, everyone put in a great effort and, thanks to a Matt Ng cross, a Nathan Vernon finish, and superb goalkeeping by State goalkeeper, Duncan Lissiman, the team made up for its previous loss. In a first ever win against Trinity the following week, Nathan scored his second goal in as many matches. Congratulations to Lucas Ntoumenopoulos, David Marshall and Ben Jones who are travelling to Singapore in 2008 with the 1st XI, as well as to all the boys who played in the 9A squad this year.

It was a pleasing result for the 9B team this year. It produced some excellent performances and ended well up in the field. The boys improved weekly and worked hard in each game. It was impressive the way the members of the team always showed true sportsmanship, whether winning by a big margin or finding it tough in a hard match. They did not lose their resolve or resort to unfair or unruly play. They deserve every success in the future and it is hoped that they maintain the same level of enthusiasm and fun that they have shown this year. Well done to all.

The 9C team won seven of its ten games, drawing two and losing narrowly to Scotch. At the end of the season, this performance put Hale on top of the table. Many individual players contributed to the enthusiastic attack and the determined defence during the matches. Up front, Chris Russell, Alex Vacca and Alex Dixon attacked consistently, scoring numerous goals, with support from midfielders Peau Chilton and early season captain Anthony McCorkill. Solid defence was the responsibility of Jeremy Tan and captain Harry Rick. Although all the players improved their fitness and skills, Yousef Abu Shamleh, Emerson Lamond, Harry Tzaikos and newcomer Will Charlwood showed courage and determination to control the ball and win the game. In the early matches, the team's last line of defence was the capable Vanne Demiris, and later in the season, as a novice goal keeper, David Valent courageously stopped more balls than he let in. It was a very successful season for a team that demonstrated good sportsmanship and a willingness to do its best.

The 8A side tried very hard to find rhythm and understanding, but was often hampered by injuries and changes to the squad. There were times when everything they did, worked. The best game was the first encounter with Trinity. The boys' hunger for the ball and pressure on the opposition was a great display. Consistently good performances came from the reliable and skilful goalkeeper Hayden Scott, the sweeper Haydn Bradley who played hard all the time, Matthew Smith, with his hard running in the middle of the park, and the Lee brothers (Lester and Ivan), whose running down the flanks supported the forwards and defence. Thanks to all in the squad and to the parents who came to the games and encouraged the boys.

The 8B team had an outstanding season, achieving seven wins, two draws and one loss. The team scored 53 goals and had just 11 goals scored against them. Probably the most incredible result was the mid-season 4-4 draw at Aquinas. Being 4-2 down with three



9A SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): N Vernon, D Marshall, M Ng, S Sawyer, D Tan

Middle Row: P Mazzulla, M Kailis, M Kurniawan, L Glauch, B Jones, Mr K Moir (Coach)

Front Row: M Zaunmayr, N Stowe, L Ntoumenopoulos, D Lissiman, N Adamek, G Papathanassiou, D Patel



9B SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): G Dunlap, A Dunbar, M Taggart, J Armenti, G Fatin

Middle Row: B Courtis, D Curtin, A Wilkinson, S Foong Wen, L Han, A Ferrier, Mr P Naoum (Coach)

Front Row: M Croker, Dimitri Mitakas, T Bennett-Menezes, K-W Sun, M Gorecki, S Chandra, D Riddell



9C SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): C Adler, H Tzaikos, H Rick, W Charlwood, W Udayana, A McCorkill, C Russell

Middle Row: M Kabir, Y Abu Shamleh, P Chilton, A Dixon, E Lamond, J Tan, F Klimaitis

Front Row: A Vacca, P Alexiou, V Demiris, Mr Outtrim (Coach), D Valent, N Adamek, D van der Post, A Watson

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8A SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): H Bradley, C Morley, G O'Neill, M Smith, Z Wang

Middle Row: J Burton, L Lee, S Macdonald, K Nair, K Frearson,
Mr Sansalone (Coach)

Front: L Lee, S Marshall, H Scott, T Elliott, I Lee



8B SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): E Reed, J Simkovic, G Bannon, R Tonkin, B Tapley, S Tate

Middle Row: R Yeoh, T Rossiter, J Havlat, Mr R Brown (Coach), D Liang,
B Cheung, T Ruhai

Front: J Hanna, H Shahril, L Frewer, O Callisto, D Foster, A Sandover

Absent: N County



8C SOCCER

Back Row (l to r): G Zhang, S Neilson, J Hogan, T Begley, S Fu Wen, N Sawyer,
J Fischer, K Do

Middle Row: B Fowler, D Paterson, T McLeod, C Tyncherov, J Murray, A Flett,
R Atkinson, C Mei, Ms Gilchrist (Coach)

Front: A Tynas, K Nguyen, D Price, C McKiever (Captain), D Marsh,
A Shah, J Woollard, N Shave

minutes left and playing into strong wind and rain, this really was a case of snatching a draw from the jaws of defeat. Joe Havlat gave the team some hope with his goal three minutes before full-time. Nat County then substituted himself off due to injury and Shane Tate ran on and scored with about thirty seconds remaining. This was a terrific game, played with great skill and endeavour by both sides. One of the strengths of this team was a very tight defence. Anyone who managed a shot then had to beat our keeper, Brian Cheung. All round, the 8B team had a great season and camaraderie amongst the entire squad was strong. Congratulations to all.

The 8Cs are congratulated on their great performance this season. The goal tally was 23 for and 11 against. Hale won the first three matches easily, and these games identified some useful players. Cody McKiever and Jack Fischer were consistent as strikers. Ryan Atkinson, Sam Neilson and Nathan Sawyer were all good alternating in goal over the season. Khang Do was an adaptable midfielder, his speed making a real difference when he was able to play. Unfortunately, he was injured towards the end of the season. Nathan Shave, Adam Tynas and Khang Nguyen were excellent as midfielders and, in defence; Cameron Tycherov, Ethan Schrum and Daniel Price were outstanding. Old Boy, Themo Georgiou's help at some training sessions and constructive advice at the games were greatly appreciated by the boys. Overall, everyone made a fine effort and worked hard all season. Well done to all!



Old Haleians' Association

Speech delivered by Mr John Garland, President of the Old Haleians' Association to the leaving class of 2007 at the Valedictory evening Friday October 26.

Good evening and thank you – It is a privilege to be a part of this milestone event in your life at Hale.

As you have heard, I represent the Old Haleians' Association and on behalf of our 6,500 members, we welcome the class of 2007 to the Association.

If you were like me when I was your age, you probably haven't given the Old Haleians' Association a great deal of thought, apart from your involvement with the annual Old Boys' Day assembly.

The Association was formed in 1909 and we will be celebrating our centenary in two year's time, so you now have the honour of belonging to one of the oldest clubs or organisations in this city. It was created by past students, and formed with the aim of fostering interaction amongst former students and enhancing the well-being of Hale School.

You may not have realised but our involvement with the School has been a part of your everyday lives here in one form or another.

This magnificent War Memorial Hall for example was built as a result of fundraising by the Old Haleians during the 50s and 60s, as were the Chapel and the swimming pool and many other buildings and art pieces that you have seen or used over the years.

We look forward to seeing you back here at some time in the future whether it is as a participant at one of the sports days next year

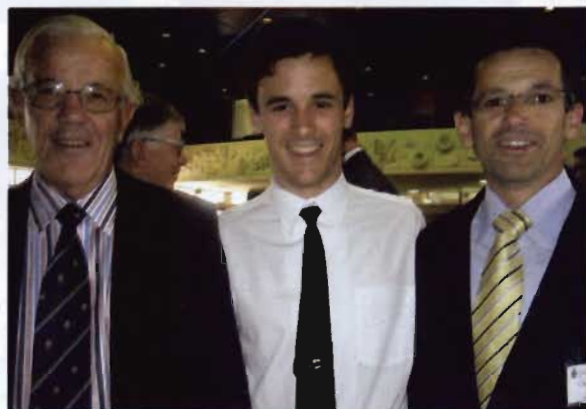
or attending Old Boys' Day sometime in the future. As you would remember from this year's Old Boys' Day, our oldest member is 98 years old and only started attending Old Boys' Day four years ago. The message here is that in your lifetime you will go to many places and become involved with multiple groups and associations. However, you will always be a Haleian and the Association will always be here for you.

Some of the main functions that you will come to know us for include helping to facilitate reunions and in maintaining our website which provides a medium for keeping in touch with each other and the School.

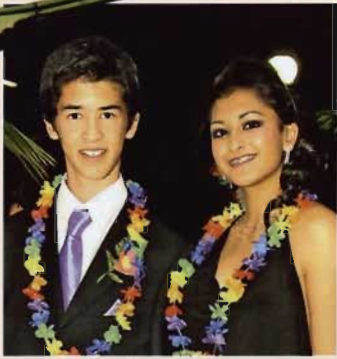
I can say without fear of contradiction that no other PSA school has an association as strong as yours and I know that many Old Boys from other schools are envious of the enduring connection we have with our school and the ongoing mateship that Hale boys enjoy long after their life here.

In closing, I would make the point that this Association, your Association, is made up of people from many walks of life. I am constantly amazed at the diversity of occupations of Old Haleians and the places throughout the world where they now reside. These people share a common bond with you and I have never known an Old Haleian not to want to offer advice or assistance to a fellow Haleian.

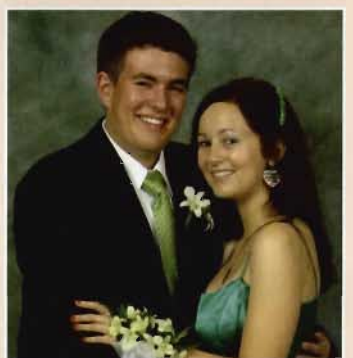
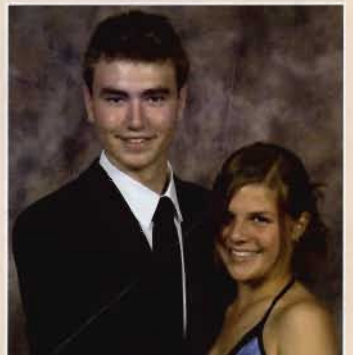
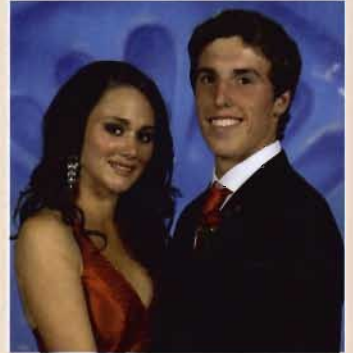
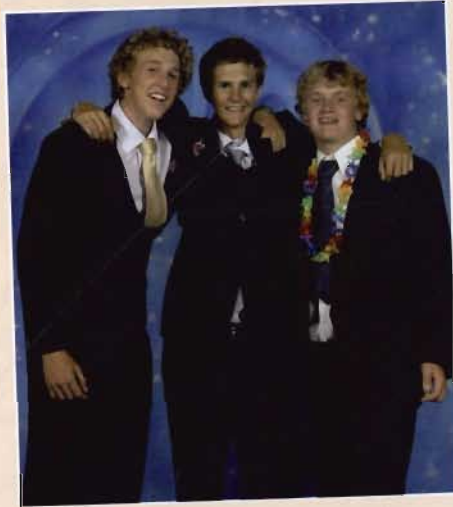
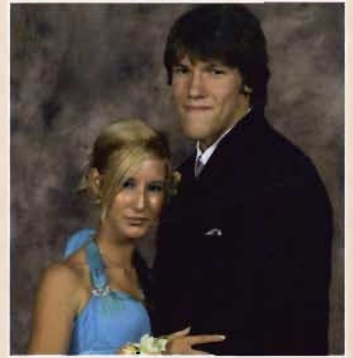
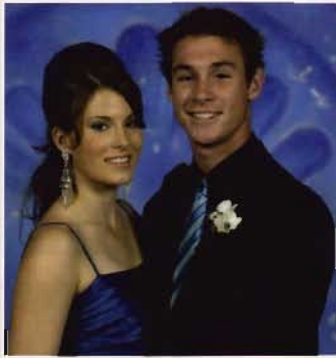
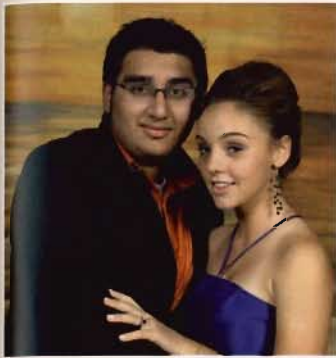
We wish you all the best for the future and for your coming exams. I am jealous of the opportunity you have before you.



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Year 12 Leavers - Class of 2007



Year 12 2007

BUNTINE

**H O (Henry) BROWN**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Soccer (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols), 1st VII Water Polo (Co Capt)(Colours), MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game, Young Achievement Australia

**M J (Matthew) DULANEY**
(2004-2007)

Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction

**S P (Sean) GILLERAN**
(2000-2007)

Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Chess (V Capt) (Colours),

Debating (Symbols), 3rd XI Hockey, MathsPlus

**M M (Maximilian) HAEDERLE**
(2003-2007)

Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Animation Club, Drama Club, Hale St Mary's Cantate (Symbols), Choir

(Symbols), Barbershop Group, UNYA, Public Speaking (Symbols), Sharemarket Game

**J R (Joel) ILIFFE**
(2003-2007)**J W F (Jerome) KWA**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Art Extension, Sharemarket Game



BUNTINE

**E C C (Errol) LIM**
(2000-2007)

Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Mock Trial (Symbols), Symphony

Orchestra, Hale St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols), Woodwind Ensemble, Choir, 1st Badminton (Symbols), 3rd VI Volleyball, Backgammon Club

**B T (Bobby) LY**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Sharemarket Game

**L (Lihan) OLIVER**
(2002-2007)

School Prefect, House Prefect, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Chess, Mock

Trial, Cygnet Magazine (Symbols), 3rd VIII Tennis, 3rd XI Hockey, Backgammon Club, French Club, LOTE Film Club, Sharemarket Game, Young Achievement Australia

**J M (Jeremy) PAYNE**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning (Symbols), Cross Country, MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game

**S E (Scott) PELHAM**
(2000-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, 1st Badminton (Symbols), 1st VI Volleyball (Symbols), Sharemarket Game

**N S (Nikolai) RTSHILADZE**
(1996-2007)

Concert Band 2, 2nd V Basketball, Art Extension, Sharemarket Game

BUNTINE

**F A (Filip) SALA**
(1996-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, 1st V Basketball (Symbols), 1st Soccer (V Capt) (Colours), Sharemarket Game

**P J H (Paul) SAWYER**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Soccer (Capt) (Colours), Sharemarket Game

**N G (Nicholas) SCOTT**
(2003-2007)

House Captain, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Debating, 4th XI Cricket, 3rd XVIII Football,

MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game

**C A (Charles) SKENDER**
(2001-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Hale

St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols), Percussion Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble (Symbols), Symphony Orchestra, Funk Band, Mock Trial (Symbols), Debating, Cross Country, 3rd XVIII Football, Swimming (Symbols), VII Water Polo (Symbols), SmARTS, Physics Olympiad

**J S (Jarrod) TUCKER**
(2003-2007)

Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics, 2nd Quad Rowing, 1st XV Rugby (Symbols), Sharemarket Game

**C J (Callum) TWIGGER**
(2002-2007)

Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Public Speaking (Symbols), Drama (Symbols)

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BUNTINE



E A (Edward) WANG
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Mock Trial (V Capt) (Symbols),

Music (V Capt Instrumental) (Colours), Barbershop Group, Twelve in a Bar, Choir (Symbols), Piano Trio, String Quartet, Hale St Mary's Cantate (Symbols), Hale St Mary's Camerata, Symphony Orchestra, Hale St Mary's Concertante, MathsPlus, MathsPrime



L H (Lawrence) WEIR
(2000-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Mock Trial, Choir, Hale St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols), Saxophone Ensemble (Symbols), Stage Band, Swimming,

3rd XI Soccer, 3rd VIII Tennis, Backgammon Club, MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game

FAULKNER



W F (Warren) BENJAMIN
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics (Symbols), 3rd XI Cricket, 1st XVIII Football (Symbols), Art Extension, Sharemarket Game



T R (Thomas) CARLSON
(2002-2007)

House Prefect, Public Speaking (Symbols), Drama (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols)



S D (Scott) CHEETHAM
(2005-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XI Cricket, 2nd XVIII Football, Sharemarket Game

FAULKNER



A K (Adam) GAMBLE
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Hockey, MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game



S A (Steven) HANNING
(2006-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd V Basketball, 1st XVIII Football (Symbols)



N J (Nicholas) HASLAM
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain, Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics (Symbols), 1st V Basketball (Symbols),

1st XVIII Football (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



S E (Sean) HAYES
(2005-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, 1st XVIII Football (V-Capt)

(Colours), 2nd VIII Tennis, Sharemarket Game



A O (Alexander) HOUSE
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate



A M (Andrew) KELLY
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics (Symbols), 2nd XI Cricket, 1st XVIII Football (Symbols)

FAULKNER



K A (Kelvin) MAHUKA
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain, Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, President ISA, Sharemarket Game



L T (Louis) MEYER
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XI Soccer (Capt), 2nd VIII Tennis, Sharemarket Game



B T (Ben) PEARCE
(2003-2007)

School Prefect, House Vice-Captain, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Service Learning

(Symbols), Cygnet Magazine, Debating, Athletics (Symbols), 1st XI Hockey (Symbols), Swimming, 1st VIII Tennis (Symbols), MathsPlus



J R H (James) SAWYER
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Athletics (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



L L (Liam) SCOTT
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Cricket, 1st XVIII Football

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FAULKNER

**J M (Joshua) STRETCH**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
4th XI Cricket,
3rd XVIII Football,
3rd VIII Tennis,
Sharemarket Game**S (Sean) SYDDALL**
(2006-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XV Rugby (Symbols)**C B (Calvin) TOLENTINO**
(2002-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XVIII Football
(Symbols)**D E (David) VERNON**
(2005-2007)School Prefect, Captain
of House, Academic
(Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,Service Learning (Symbols)
1st XI Cricket (Symbols), 2nd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game**T R T (Snowy) WADE**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
3rd V Basketball,
3rd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game

HAVELOCK

**P M (Patrick) ASHFORTH**
(2002-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Debating (Symbols),
Cross Country,
3rd VI Volleyball,
MathsPlus, MathsPrime**P N (Paul) BARRAS**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
2nd XV Rugby,
Sharemarket Game**K L (Kyle) CANNON**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XVIII Football**T M (Thomas) GREGORY**
(2000-2007)House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Mock Trial,Drama (Symbols), Debating, Hale St Mary's
Concert Band 4, Percussion Ensemble,
Guitar Ensemble, 2nd XV Rugby, Swimming
(Symbols), 1st VII Water Polo (Colours),
Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game**R T (Rory) GRIFFIN**
(2002-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
1st XV Rugby (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game**G M (Gregory) HARROLD**
(2000-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Percussion Ensemble,
1st XI Hockey (Symbols),
1st VIII Tennis (V Capt)
(Colours)

HAVELOCK

**J T (Jackson) HARVEY**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Drama (Symbols),
Service Learning(Symbols), Circus Club, Technicians' Club,
Cross Country (Symbols), 1st VIII Rowing
(Symbols), Tournament of the Minds**H R (Henry) JOHNSTON**
(1999-2007)School Prefect, House
Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate ofDistinction, Debating (Symbols), UNYA,
Public Speaking (Symbols), Mock Trial
(Capt) (Symbols), Cygnet Magazine
(Symbols), Service Learning (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols), 2nd XI Hockey,
Climbing Club**J (Jordan) KOROVESHI**
(1998-2007)Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd Badminton,
3rd VI Volleyball**J J (Joshua) LESLIE**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate, Choir
(Symbols), Barbershop
Group, Hale St Mary's
Cantate, Hale St Mary's
Concertante, StringEnsemble, Jazz Ensemble, 2nd V Basketball,
1st XI Hockey (Symbols), Swimming,
Sharemarket Game**T N (Thomas) LUNG**
(2003-2007)**B M (Ben) MacPHERSON**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Sharemarket Game

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HAVELOCK

**J F (James) NAISBITT**
(2005-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Cygnets
Magazine,
2nd Badminton,
Cross Country, Sailing,
Backgammon Club,

LOTE Film Club, Sharemarket Game,
Alliance Française Finalist (2005, 2006,
2007)

**B (Benjamin) NGO**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
2nd XV Rugby

**A B (Alex) ROVIRA**
(1996-2007)

School Prefect, House
Vice-Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Member of

Sports Council, Hale St Mary's Concert Band
1 (Symbols), Athletics, 1st XV Rugby (Capt)
(Colours), Karate Club, Sharemarket Game

**A M (Adam) SALTER**
(2003-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
2nd XVIII Football,
Swimming (Symbols),
1st VII Water Polo
(Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

**N D (Neket) SHAH**
(2002-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XI Cricket (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

HAVELOCK

**R J (Ryan) SLEVIN**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Guitar Ensemble,
1st XI Soccer (Symbols),
Karate Club,
Computer Programmers'
Club, Sharemarket Game

**B R (Blair) STONE**
(2003-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XI Cricket,
2nd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game

**A C (Alex) TOWLER**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
Service Learning
(Symbols), Drama
(Symbols),
Cross Country,
Sharemarket Game

HAYNES

**M A (Matthew) BANCROFT**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Hale St Mary's Sinfonia,
String Ensemble, Drama
Technicians' Club
(V Capt) (Colours),
Computer Programmers' Club

**P J (Peter) CASH**
(2000-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Hale St Mary's Concert
Band 1 (Symbols),
Hale St Mary's Camerata,
Woodwind Ensemble,
Cross Country (Symbols),
MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game

HAYNES

**T P (Thomas) DOWLING**
(2002-2007)

Swimming (Symbols),
2nd VII Water Polo,
Sharemarket Game

**H K G (Hylton) HAYES**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd V Basketball,
Sharemarket Game

**D S (Dane) HAYLETT-PETTY**
(2000-2007)

School Prefect,
House Vice-Captain,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Athletics (Symbols),

1st XI Cricket (V Capt) (Colours), 1st Rugby
(V Capt) (Honours), Sharemarket Game

**T C (Thomas) JOCKEL**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Debating
(Symbols), Hale St
Mary's Concert Band 3,
1st XI Hockey (Symbols),
Swimming (Co Capt)

(Symbols), 1st VII Water Polo (Co Capt)
(Colours), French Club, LOTE Film Club,
Sharemarket Game

**N P (Nicholas) MELANKO**
(2002-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Circus
Club, Technicians'
Club, 3rd VIII Rowing
(Symbols), Sharemarket
Game, Young
Achievement Australia

**T G (Timothy) MONTGOMERY**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect,
Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Jazz Orchestra (Symbols),
Saxophone Ensemble,

Stage Band, Chess, Circus Club, Squash
(Symbols), 2nd VI Volleyball, LOTE Film
Club, Alliance Française Prize Winner, 2005,
Finalist 2006, 2007

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HAYNES

**Y (Yusof) MUTHAR**
(2003-2007)Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction**B N (Brendan)
O'CONNOR**
(2003-2007)House Prefect, Academic
(Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
3rd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game**L M (Liam)
PICKERING**
(2000-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd VIII Rowing
(Symbols),
1st XV Rugby,
Sharemarket Game**S G (Samuel)
RANKINE-WILSON**
(2003-2007)**G S (George) SALTER**
(2000-2007)School Prefect, House
Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Service Learning
(Symbols), Hale St Mary'sConcert Band 1 (Symbols), Athletics
(Symbols), 1st XI Cricket (Symbols), 1st XV
Rugby (Symbols), Sharemarket Game**M J (Mark) SCHMIDT**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st V Basketball
(Symbols), 1st XV Rugby
(V Capt) (Colours),
Swimming (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

HAYNES

**J S (Justin) TURNER**
(2005-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XV Rugby (V Capt)
(Colours)**N A (Nicholas)
VALENTI**
(2002-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Guitar Ensemble
(Symbols),
Sharemarket Game**M C (Murray) WALSH**
(2005-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Drama (Symbols),
Hale St Mary's
Concertante,
Cross Country,
2nd XV Rugby**O (Oska)
WILLIAMS-PAGH**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd Badminton,
Art Extension,
Backgammon Club,
Sharemarket Game**T N (Trent) WILSON**
(2002-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game

LOTON

**G M (Grant)
ADENDORFF**
(2001-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
1st XIII Rowing (V Capt)
(Symbols), 1st XV Rugby
(Symbols), Swimming
(Symbols), Sharemarket
Game**M J (Matthew)
ARNOLD**
(2002-2007)Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Chess
(Capt) (Colours), Guitar
Ensemble (Symbols),
1st Badminton (Symbols),
1st VI Volleyball,
MathsPlus**A (Aidan) ASHWIN**
(2002-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Hale St Mary's Band,
1st V Basketball
(Symbols),
2nd VIII Rowing
(Symbols), Photography
Club, Circus Club**J J F (Joshua) BORRILL**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Guitar Ensemble,
2nd V Basketball,
2nd XV Rugby, ADFA
Education Award,
Sharemarket Game**J A (Julian) DILIZIA**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Chess,
Debating**F A (Felix) ELLIS**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Chess
(Symbols), Debating(Capt) (Honours), Public Speaking (Capt)
(Honours), Mock Trial (Symbols), UNYA,
2nd XI Hockey, 2nd VIII Tennis

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LOTON

**R D (Robert) HUGHES**
(1997-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
1st VIII Rowing,
Sharemarket Game,
Young Achievement
Australia**D (Dhamon) KALAMARAS**
(2003-2007)Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XI Soccer (Symbols),
1st VI Volleyball
(Symbols), MathsPlus,
Sharemarket Game**M J (Mark) KIDSON**
(2004-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st VIII Rowing
(Symbols), 1st XV
Rugby (Symbols),
Electric Vehicle Club,
Sharemarket Game**S W (Stuart) LAW**
(2000-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
2nd VIII Rowing
(Symbols),
1st XV Rugby (Symbols)**G N (Gary) LAZOROV**
(2002-2007)Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
2nd Badminton,
1st VI Volleyball
(Symbols)**C J (Christopher) LYCHE**
(1996-2007)Yr 11 Certificate, Service
Learning (Symbols),
Intermediate String
Ensemble, Hale St Mary's
Sinfonia, 2nd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game

LOTON

**R E (Robert) MARTIN**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
1st VIII Tennis (Capt)
(Colours)**L D (Lloyd) MELLOR**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Hale St
Mary's Concert Band 2,
Athletics (Symbols),
3rd XI Cricket,
1st XI Hockey,
Sharemarket Game**B E (Bryan) MEYER**
(2002-2007)School Prefect, House
Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Cygnet
Magazine, UNYA, Guitar Ensemble
(Symbols), 3rd XI Hockey, Swimming
(Symbols), Sharemarket Game**C E (Cale) MORTON**
(2003-2007)School Prefect, House
Vice-Captain, Chess,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
1st XI Cricket (Symbols),
1st XVIII Football (Capt)
(Colours), Swimming, 1st VIII Tennis, Art
Extension, Climbing Club, LOTE Film Club,
MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game, Western
Australian CO2 Dragster Design**S (Shovan) RATH**
(2003-2007)House Prefect, Academic
(Colours), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Debating
(Symbols), Cygnet
Magazine (Colours), Guitar Ensemble
(Symbols), MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game, SmARTS, National
Research Scholarship (ANU), Chemistry
Olympiad, Physics Olympiad, Alliance
Française (Finalist 2005)

LOTON

**D V (David) SATTLER**
(2000-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Drama Extension Club
(Symbols),
Jazz Ensemble, 3rd V
Basketball, 1st XVIII
Football (Symbols),
2nd VII Water Polo,
Sharemarket Game**D M C (Darryn) SHERRY**
(2003-2007)House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Music Vice-Captain
(Choral) (Colours), Member of Arts &
Societies Council, Barbershop Group, Choir
(Symbols), Hale St Mary's Cantate, Hale
St Mary's Camerata, Symphony Orchestra
(Symbols), Piano Trio, String Ensemble
(Symbols), Twelve in a Bar, Cross Country,
3rd XI Hockey, MathsPlus, MathsPrime**H E (Hserrn Ern) TAN**
(2005-2007)Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Debating (Symbols),
Service Learning
(Symbols), Chess,
Barbershop Group (Symbols), Choir, Hale
St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols),
Piano Trio (Symbols), Stage Band 2, The
Hale Stones, Chemistry Olympiad, Physics
Olympiad**S J (Sean) TONKIN**
(2002-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Climbing Club,
Sharemarket Game**J (Jimmy) TRAN**
(2003-2007)Yr 11 Certificate,
Circus Club, Karate Club,
Sharemarket Game**C E (Corey) TURNER**
(2003-2007)

3rd Basketball

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PARRY



**A Z (Andreas) ABADI
GHADIM
(2003-2007)**

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Debating

(Symbols), Technicians' Club, Drama
(Symbols), Hale St Mary's Concert Band
3, 2nd Badminton, 3rd V Basketball, 2nd
Volleyball, Backgammon Club, LOTE
Film Club



**T C (Timothy)
ANDERSON
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd V Basketball,
3rd XVIII Football,
Squash, MathsPlus,
Sharemarket Game



**M K (Matthew)
COCKCROFT
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
3rd XI Cricket,
2nd XV Rugby,
2nd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game



**J A (Joshua)
COLEMAN
(2000-2007)**

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
2nd XVIII Football,
Backgammon Club



**N R (Nicholas)
DAVIES
(1996-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate,
Squash



**A Y C (Adrian) GOH
(1996-2007)**

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Choir, Hale St
Mary's Sinfonia, Hale St
Mary's Concertante,
1st V Basketball (V Capt)
(Symbols), 1st XV Rugby,
Water Polo (V Capt)

PARRY



**Y K Yew (Keng) GOH
(1996-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Hale St Mary's Camerata,
Symphony Orchestra
(Symbols), Hale St Mary's
Concertante, Hale St

Mary's Sinfonia, 1st V Basketball (Symbols),
1st XI Hockey (Symbols)



**B W (Benjamin)
HOGAN
(2000-2007)**

Vice-Captain of
School, House Prefect,
Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10

Certificate of Distinction, Music Captain
(Colours), Hale St Mary's Concert Band 1
(Symbols), Symphony Orchestra (Symbols),
Choir (Symbols), Hale St Mary's Cantate
(Symbols), Woodwind Ensemble (Symbols),
Chess, Member of Arts & Societies Council,
Swimming (Symbols), Service Learning
(Symbols), Alliance Française Prize Winner
2006, Finalist 2005, 2007



**L P (Liam) HUSSEY
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
1st Soccer (Symbols),
1st Volleyball (V Capt)
(Symbols), Sharemarket
Game



**M N (Michael) KAILIS
(2000-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate, Drama,
Athletics,
1st XI Soccer (Symbols),
1st VIII Tennis,
Sharemarket Game



**E J C (Eamonn)
LOUREY
(2003-2007)**

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, 1st XVIII
Football (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game



**H R (Hamish)
McCORMACK
(2005-2007)**

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Debating (Honours)
(V Capt), Public Speaking
(Colours) (V Capt),

Chess, UNYA, 2nd V Basketball

PARRY



**R J (Robert) MEAD
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate, Drama
(Symbols), Animation
Club, UNYA, 3rd V
Basketball, Photography
Club, Sharemarket Game



**R M (Raymond)
PRITCHARD
(2003-2007)**

Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Debating

(Symbols), SmARTS, Cygnet Committee,
1st Badminton (Symbols), 3rd VIII Tennis,
Chemistry Olympiad, Physics Olympiad,
RACI Chemistry Quiz, Australian Geography
Competition Winner 2006



**L A (Luke) SLATER
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
2nd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game



**N L (Nathaniel)
SMITH
(2003-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XI Cricket (V Capt)
(Symbols), 1st XVIII
Football (Symbols)



**J W L (Julian) SU
(2000-2007)**

Yr 11 Certificate, Guitar
Ensemble (Symbols),
1st XV Rugby (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols),
2nd Water Polo,
Sharemarket Game



**A J (Andrew) SUTTON
(2003-2007)**

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Public Speaking, UNYA,
Theatre Club,
Drama (Symbols),
3rd XI Soccer,
Tournament of the Minds

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PARRY

**J J (Joshua) THOMSON**
(2000-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Athletics
(Symbols), 1st VIII
Rowing (Symbols),
2nd XV Rugby,
Swimming,
Sharemarket Game

**I (Iain) van der POST**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Art Extension,
Computer Programmers'
Club, Karate Club,
Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game

**N (Nico) WEST**
(2004-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Golf, Surfing,
1st VIII Tennis (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

**T E (Timothy) WIDDICOMBE**
(2003-2007)

School Prefect, House
Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Debating (Symbols), UNYA,
Athletics (Symbols), Cross Country
Symbols), 1st XVIII Football (Symbols),
1st VIII Rowing (Capt) (Colours), MathsPlus,
Chemistry Olympiad, Physics Olympiad

**J L H (Jordan) YOXALL**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
2nd XV Rugby, Art
Extension

RILEY

**K B (Keir) ARNEY**
(2003-2007)

Debating

**T T (Tryan) CHRISTOS**
(1996-2007)**G G (Guy) COCKCROFT**
(2006-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
Art Extension

**S L (Sean) COWLEY**
(1996-2007)

Captain of School,
House Vice-Captain,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Member of Sports
Council, Debating,
Service Learning
(Symbols), UNYA, Hale St Mary's Camerata,
Symphony Orchestra (Symbols), String
Ensemble, Public Speaking (Symbols)
Athletics (Capt) (Symbols), 3rd XI Cricket,
1st XV Rugby (Colours), Swimming
(Co-Capt) (Symbols), Sharemarket Game,
Young Achievement Australia

**S N (Simon) CROFT**
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st XV Rugby (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

**P J (Patrick) DONNELLY**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Hale St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols),
Stage Band (Symbols), Service Learning
(Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Cross Country (Symbols)

RILEY

**J (Jeffrey) EFFENDI**
(2000-2007)

Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction,
Hale St Mary's Sinfonia

**T P (Trent) GRGICH**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic
(Colours), Y11 Certificate
of Distinction,
Y10 Certificate of
Distinction, Debating
(Symbols),
3rd XI Soccer, MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game, National Youth Science
Forum

**P L (Peter) KOPINSKY**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Hale St Mary's Concert
Band 2,
Athletics (Symbols),
1st XVIII Football

**H (Hong-Rui) LEE**
(2002-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Hale
St Mary's Camerata
(Symbols),
1st Badminton
(Symbols),
2nd VIII Tennis

**L J (Lachlan) MALLOCH-SMITH**
(2006-2007)

Hale Harmony
(Symbols), Barbershop
Group (Symbols),
Hale St Mary's Cantate
(Symbols)

**W M (Wesley) PENDLEBURY**
(2003-2007)

Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Clowning Club, Circus
Club, 2nd XI Soccer

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RILEY



M J (Matthew) RILEY
(1996-2007)

House Captain,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Debating, Service
Learning (Symbols), Hale

St Mary's Concert Band 1 (Symbols), Jazz
Band, Athletics (Symbols), 2nd V Basketball,
3rd XI Soccer, Art Extension



C M (Cameron) ROBINSON
(2006-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Debating (Colours)



R J (Rino) SAINT
(2000-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Circus Club, Theatre
Club, Cross Country,
Swimming,
Climbing Club



A D (Alistair) SMAIL
(2005-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
1st XI Cricket (Symbols)



D M (Dylan) STOKES
(1997-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Hale St Mary's Sinfonia,
String Ensemble,
Athletics (Symbols),
3rd VI Volleyball



T W (Thomas) VAN GROOTEL
(2003-2007)

Squash

RILEY



P (Philip) WIJESINGHE
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
Sharemarket Game



C D (Corey) YORK
(2003-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XVIII Football,
Swimming (Symbols),
Surfing (Capt)

ST GEORGES



L (Luke) ALEKSANDROW
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, 1st XI
Hockey (Symbols),
1st VI Volleyball (Capt)
(Symbols), Art Extension



J A (James) BIRNIE
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction,
Cross Country,
2nd VIII Tennis



A I (Andrew) CAMERON
(2001-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
1st XI Cricket (Symbols),
Golf, Senior Squash, Sharemarket Game

ST GEORGES



D J (Daniel) DOUGHERTY
(2002-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Library
(Symbols), Service
Learning (Symbols),
3rd Hockey, Rowing
(Symbols), Computer

Programmers' Club, Photography Club,
Philosophy Club



D F (Duncan) FARMER
(2006-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Chess
Club, 4th XI Cricket,
3rd XI Hockey



M P (Michael) HAGEMANN
(1999-2007)

School Prefect, House
Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Service
Learning (Symbols),
Guitar Ensemble

(Symbols), Hale St Mary's Concert Band 3,
2nd V Basketball, 1st XV Rugby (Symbols),
Swimming (V Capt) (Symbols), Karate Club,
Sharemarket Game



R J (Ryan) HAMMERSLEY
(2002-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd
XI Cricket, 2nd XVIII
Football, MathsPlus,
Sharemarket Game,
Young Achievement
Australia



D S Y (Daniel) HENDERSON
(2000-2007)

School Prefect, House
Vice-Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Athletics
(V Capt) (Symbols),
1st Hockey (V Capt)

(Symbols), Swimming (V Capt) (Symbols),
1st VII Water Polo (Symbols), Young
Achievement Australia



D (David) KAYE
(2003-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Guitar Ensemble,
2nd XI Cricket,
2nd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game

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D A (Danish) KHAN
(2004-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Golf (Capt), Sharemarket
Game, Young
Achievement Australia



M J (Michael) KYRON
(1998-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Choir,
Symphony Orchestra
(Symbols), Hale St Mary's
Camerata, Hale St Mary's
Sinfonia, Hale St Mary's
Concertante, 2nd V
Basketball, 3rd XI Hockey



G J (Gus) LAWSON
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics, 1st V Basketball
(Symbols), Swimming
(Symbols), Climbing
Club, Moseley Group,
Sharemarket Game



J A (James) LEWIN
(1996-2007)

School Prefect, House
Captain, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Service

Learning (Symbols), Drama (Symbols),
Choir, Hale St Mary's Sinfonia, Hale St
Mary's Concertante, String Ensemble,
Athletics (V Capt) (Symbols), Cross Country
(Co-Capt) (Colours), Swimming (Symbols),
MathsPlus, MathsPrime



**A (Andrew)
MacNIVEN**
(2004-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction,
Debating, 1st XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game



**A J (Alexander)
McDONALD**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
3rd XI Cricket, 2nd XI
Hockey, Art Extension,
Sharemarket Game,
Young Achievement
Australia

ST GEORGES



**D G (David)
McMANUS**
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XI Hockey,
2nd VIII Rowing
(Symbols)



S (Sean) MUIR
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Debating,
1st XV Rugby (Colours),
VII Water Polo



J L (Jonathan) SHIELD
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate,
Choir, Concert Band
(Symbols), Symphony
Orchestra, Woodwind
Ensemble, Mock Trial
(Symbols), 2nd XI

Soccer, Swimming (Symbols), VII Water
Polo, Backgammon Club, Sharemarket
Game



**T M (Toby)
SIMMER-KNIGHT**
(2001-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate, Hale
St Mary's Concert
Band 1 (Symbols), Jazz
Ensemble (Symbols),

Hale Funk Band, Stage Band (Symbols),
Orchestra (Symbols), Woodwind Ensemble,
Drama (Capt) (Symbols), Debating, 2nd XI
Hockey, LOTE Film Club, Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game



**T D (Thomas)
SULLIVAN**
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Service

Learning (Symbols), Drama (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols), Cross Country
(Co Capt) (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols),
MathsPlus

ST GEORGES



**R S (Robert)
THOMSON**
(2002-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Golf, 1st VIII Rowing
(Symbols),
Sharemarket Game



**N J (Nicholas)
WILKINSON**
(2002-2007)

Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Technician's Club (Capt),
Drama (Honours),
Percussion Ensemble,

Athletics (Symbols), 2nd XI Hockey, 2nd VII
Water Polo, Climbing Club, LOTE Film Club,
MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game

TREGONNING



B J (Ben) BLAKEMAN
(2003-2007)

2nd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game



**J R (Jonathon)
BREMNER**
(2000-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Athletics
(Symbols), 1st VIII
Rowing (Symbols)



**D L (Daniel)
CHRYSTAL**
(2000-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Drama
(Symbols), Hale St
Mary's Concert Band 2,
1st XI Hockey (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game

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TREGONNING



R A (Rory) COLLINS
(2000-2007)

House Prefect, Hale St Mary's Concert Band 2, Athletics (Symbols), 1st XV Rugby (Symbols)



M J (Michael) D'ADAMO
(1996-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Hale St Mary's Concert Band 1, Athletics (Symbols), 1st XV Rugby (Symbols), 1st VIII Rowing (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



J B (Jack) DAVIES
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate



N J (Nicholas) FRANCIS
(2003-2007)

House Captain, Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, 1st V Basketball (Symbols),

3rd XI Cricket, Cross Country, 2nd XVIII Football, Sharemarket Game, Young Achievement Australia



N D (Nathan) FREIND
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, 1st V Basketball (Capt) (Honours), Sharemarket Game



L T (Lachlan) GEPP
(1999-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Hale St Mary's Band 2, Mock Trial, 1st XI Cricket (Capt) (Symbols), 1st XVIII Football (Symbols)

TREGONNING



D J (David) HARDIE
(1996-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Hale St Mary's Band 1 (Symbols), String Ensemble, Athletics,

2nd XI Soccer, Swimming (Symbols), 1st VII Water Polo (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



B (Bharath) IYER
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Dux of School, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Debating

(Symbols) Chess, Mock Trial (Symbols), String Ensemble, UNYA, Cross Country, 3rd XI Hockey, MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game, Chemistry Olympiad



N A (Nicholas) KOMMER
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Cricket, 1st XVIII Football (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



C R (Christian) MARUTHIAH
(2003-2007)

Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Mock Trial (Symbols)



T K (Tristan) MUGFORD
(2003-2007)

Drama (Symbols), Cross Country, 4th XI Cricket, 3rd VIII Tennis, Sharemarket Game

TREGONNING



B D (Bevan) PASCOE
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, 1st V Basketball (Symbols)



J P (Jason) SKINNER
(2002-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Guitar Ensemble, 2nd XV Rugby, Swimming (Symbols), 2nd VII Water Polo, Sharemarket Game



N S (Nicholas) STEWART
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics (Symbols), 3rd V Basketball, 1st XI Soccer (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



M E (Michael) TOMBIDES
(1996-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Athletics (Symbols), 1st XI Soccer (Symbols), Sharemarket Game



J E (James) TUCKEY
(2003-2007)

Yr 11 Certificate, Drama (Symbols), Cross Country



M A (Michael) WILSON
(2003-2007)

House Prefect, Academic (Colours), Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction,

2nd XI Cricket, Sharemarket Game, Curtin Accounting Experience Program (P Addison Award)

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WILSON



T L T (Theodore) CUNNINGHAM
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Certificate of Distinction,
Debating (Symbols),
Mock Trial (Symbols),

1st VIII Rowing (Symbols), 3rd XV Rugby,
Art Extension



M J (Mitchell) DAVIES
(2005-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd XVIII Football



S (Sacheev) DODANI
(2005-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Vice President of ISA,
2nd Badminton,
3rd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game



M W (Matthew) DUNCAN
(2006-2007)

House Prefect, Chess,
UNYA, 2nd Badminton,
3rd VIII Tennis,
Senior Squash



C J (Curtis) EDWARDS
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics (Symbols),
2nd V Basketball, 1st
XVIII Football (Symbols),
Climbing Club,
Sharemarket Game

WILSON



W B (William) FORRESTER
(2002-2007)

House Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Athletics, 3rd XI Cricket,
2nd XVIII Football,
Backgammon Club,
Sharemarket Game



J D (Joel) LILLEYMAN
(2004-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd XVIII Football,
Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game



C R (Christopher) LIM
(2006-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Debating,
1st XI Cricket (Colours),
1st XI Hockey (Capt)
(Colours),
Art Extension



T K L (Tobias) LIM
(2006-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Secretary ISA,
1st Badminton (Capt)
(Symbols),
3rd Basketball,
1st Volleyball



T A (Todd) McNEILL
(2006-2007)

House Prefect,
Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd XI Cricket,
1st XVIII Football
(V Capt) (Symbols)

WILSON



K L (Kirk) PARKER
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd V Basketball,
3rd XVIII Football,
Sharemarket Game



J C (Jamie) SLARKE
(2003-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd XVIII Football,
2nd VIII Tennis,
Sharemarket Game



D J (Daniel) TOPANDASANI
(2005-2007)

House Prefect,
3rd XI Soccer,
Sharemarket Game



J K (Jackson) VINCENT
(2003-2007)

House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd V Basketball,
3rd XVIII Football,
Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game



K J R (Kilian) WIESE
(2006-2007)

House Vice-Captain,
Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate,
1st Badminton (Colours),
3rd V Basketball

The creation of the 2007 Cygnet was a challenging, yet fulfilling task. The seven boys who volunteered to assist in its creation were responsible for taking and sorting the hundreds of photos as well as assisting in writing and editing reports and making decisions regarding the layout and design of the magazine.

With the 150th celebrations looming next year and major changes to the landscape occurring, we decided to feature photos of the boarding houses, Faulkner, Loton and Wilson before they were demolished, as a reminder to this year's Year 12s of the School they knew.

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We hope you enjoyed reading your magazine!

The Cygnet Committee 2007



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