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We hope that the experiences and memories recorded here are a faithful record of the life of the Hale School community in 2008.

Mr A Curran Editor

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MR STUART MEADE

Excerpts from Speech Day Address, Friday 5 December 2008

The Most Reverend Roger Herft Archbishop of Perth, Mr Brett Fullarton and members of the Board, our special guest Mr Andrew Forrest, invited guests, members of staff, parents and boys.

It is a privilege to have with us today a former student of the School, and current CEO of Fortesque Mining Group, Mr Andrew Forrest. There are many stories of Andrew's time at Hale from 1978 – 79. One that resonates with me refers to Andrew commencing at Hale in Year 11 with a slight lisp that had caused him some grief in his earlier school days. However, when he commenced at Hale, he took it upon himself to not only overcome the shyness that may arise is such situations, but he decided to take up debating. This he did with his renowned determination and finished up being in the senior debating team, being awarded Symbols in his final year. The 1979 Cygnet

that the enormity of the breadth and variety of events that have marked this wonderful achievement in Australian education really sink in. Throughout the year, the Hale community has embraced this significant milestone, the boys have been proud to wear the 150th logo as their school crest, and they have continued to perform with distinction in so many areas of endeavour.

From the moment we flew the kite at the Parent Sundowner and celebrated the commencement of the 150th year with Bishop Mathew Hale's great-great-granddaughter, the year has been a special one. I have been privileged to hear many people, be they current students, parents or Old Haleians, speak of Hale School with pride - a pride borne from the memories, the opportunities and the friendships gained through their connection with the school. Two weeks ago, the final 150th celebration event took place - the 'Back to Havelock Street' function. The 250 Old Boys who attended all went to Hale prior to 1961. They crammed into their old Assembly Hall in Havelock Street to be part of a re-enactment of an assembly from a bygone era - tedious speeches and all. Afterwards, they spoke with genuine affection of their time at Hale just as they spoke with pride of what they know of the place now. Roger Gray, in his role as Secretary to the Old Haleians' Association, has done a superb job in fostering this spirit throughout the Old Boys network. Most of them are strong advocates for their school and enjoy their ongoing links

And they have an enormous amount of which to be proud:

• Academic results in external assessments remain at an imposing level. From Year 8 to Year 12, boys have been awarded medals and top grades for their achievements in state and national competitions. Most recently, Michael enabled the Year 8s to get to know the Year 11s in their House and gave them an extra layer of support in their early months in the Senior School.

- The Service Learning Programme remains a wonderful avenue for authentic service to others. To see every Year 8 boy jogging laps of Vernon Murphy Oval to raise money for the Ride Aid organisation was a sight to behold. We are in the process of establishing a project with Ride Aide whereby funds raised by Hale will go directly into the building of a school in a Cambodian village. A target of around \$25K will be set for next year and it should be a school-wide goal to achieve this.
- The full house at the Foundation Concert at the Concert Hall this year was a defining moment in the development of music at Hale.
- The School's ongoing involvement in the Indigenous Youth Leadership Programme is another area where our boys acquit themselves so well.
- The efforts and achievements of boys throughout the Senior School no matter what the activity. It might be David Laczko in the swimming pool, Rhodri Simmonds in volleyball, Kim Chin on the piano, the Year 8 Spellathon team, the Year 9 Electric Vehicle challenge team, the Year 12 Accounting boys completing their university course with distinction, the extraordinary efforts of the boys in the Oliver production this year the list goes on. Not only the boys' efforts, but the manner in which they are applauded by the rest of the school, shows the level of support and encouragement that genuinely resides at Hale School.

All these areas invite participation and commitment from the boys and serve to provide what I believe is a true Hale School education. Discovering character, developing independence and forming personal values are things that come from experience and, particularly in the teenage years, school is the right time for that experience.

In the past 12 months we have engaged Paul Dillon from the National Drug and Alcohol Research Centre on two occasions to talk about drugs and alcohol to senior students and parents, and Andrew Fuller, a well known clinical psychologist, addressed staff and parents on adolescent issues.

We should be filling the venue when these experienced and contemporary experts present to us. As parents we have a responsibility to acquire this knowledge so we can lead our children down an informed path. Attendance at such events also reinforces the partnership between school and home that is so important in this day and age. Last week, when a Year 11 student was asked whether a School Prefects'

2008 has been a year in which the future direction for Hale School has been defined.

reports, however, "that the entertainment and humour injected into these debates by the Hale team were not always as appreciated by the adjudicators as by the audience." Andrew has kindly agreed to present the awards and say a few words a little later on.

Well, we made it! I once attended a party in outback NSW that went for three days, and I thought that was a long time to celebrate someone's birthday.

But it is only when we start to chronicle the year

Heyns topped the state in the Alliance Francaise exams and 4 boys had their art works selected for the state wide Art Perspectives exhibition

- Our senior water polo and basketball teams won PSA trophies in the summer season, along with rugby and badminton in the winter season. In addition, younger teams performed with distinction in all sports. Individuals have also made their mark in various sports at state and national level.
- The initial year of the Peer Support Programme

HEADMASTER

social habits on the weekend should be of interest to the school, he replied: "It is not our responsibility but it is our business." I could not agree more.

2008 has been a year in which the future direction for Hale School has been defined. The library resource centre and classroom precinct are close to completion. In an age where libraries are technology rich environments in which people are encouraged to communicate as they learn, this exciting project will place Hale at the forefront of education delivery in this area. At this point, I must thank the many parents who have assisted in various aspects of the relocation of the library. Coffee and chocolate will do the trick every time!

The Middle School project is the next exciting development for Hale School. In recent weeks our tight timeframe for development has hit a snag with the City of Stirling Council putting the plans out to public comment. In the last fortnight I have learnt that maybe we aren't the flavour of the month with the Unwin Avenue residents, but we are working at it. I wish to acknowledge the School's Director of Operations Fiore Giovannagelo who has worked tirelessly on not just one major building project, but two, and is leading the way in doing everything possible to get this project up and running. I thank the Hale School parents who live in the immediate area who have supported the project so strongly. 16 December is the final council meeting of the year and building approval will or will not be granted at that time. I must admit to being nervous.

The Schools Assistance Bill is causing us angst both as educators and as business managers. Schools are being asked to accept the plans for a national curriculum, to be implemented in 2011, in return for ongoing federal government funding. I am told the form to be signed will land on my desk about 23 December and it has to be signed by the end of the year. This process of having funding tied to the agreement of such a piece of legislation is one that, in my cynical moments, I have referred to as blackmail. Then again, it was the same four years ago, so maybe it is just a generic political manoeuvre and not one that is party specific.

The global economy is also very much in our minds as we chart our course for the next few years. Evidence from around the country suggests that private schools have not been affected just yet, but a continuation of the financial crisis for too much longer will surely have an impact at some point.

In the second half of the year, we were subjected to the time consuming re-registration process where just about every record and process in the School was reviewed and audited for compliance with state government regulations. I am happy to report that Hale School has been reregistered for the next four years, the maximum period currently being awarded to schools, so we will be back next year.

2008 has been a big year for staff and it will only get bigger next year. I am tremendously grateful for the dedication of all staff, teaching and non-teaching, to their jobs, and the myriad other responsibilities they take on willingly. In fact, so willingly that one staff member yelled to me after coaching the 2nd XVIII to that memorable victory over Aquinas this year: "I can't believe you actually pay me to do this job".

This year, Mr Jackson, Ms Grose, Mr Egan and Ms McKenzie leave us for new challenges both in and out of the classroom. We wish them well and thank them for their contribution. Significantly, two very experienced and highly regarded members of staff also leave us. Alex Panarese is leaving us to enjoy life after teaching. At a recent farewell function for Alex, after he spoke my wife turned to me and said "forever the gentleman" - precisely. Mike Giles has accepted the position of Deputy Head of Great Southern Grammar School in Albany next year. He has been an outstanding contributor over his 19 years at Hale. We wish both Mike and Alex every success in their lives ahead.

It is important that our teaching staff continue their own learning journeys, and two initiatives this year have enabled this to occur. As a result of the last EBA discussion, the Advanced Teacher programme was introduced to acknowledge teachers who aspire to excellence in the classroom without necessarily seeking middle or senior management roles. Seven teachers were awarded Level 1 or 2 in the inaugural year of the programme.

The Hale School Winter School programme was launched this year in collaboration with UWA. Nine members of staff spent the July break and all of Semester 2 involved in action research projects. Many will be presenting to staff early next year in an exercise that is sure to inform and motivate the rest of us. This level of commitment I hold before you as testament to the dedication of the staff that guide your boys.

I would like to acknowledge the Senior School Executive for their work within the School. As the extra layers of the 150th year, the Capital Appeal and the building projects took more of my time, these gentlemen accepted increased levels of the operational leadership of the school. David Bean, Mike Giles, Richard Goater, Ross Barron, Jim Bausor and Sean Henderson deserve our thanks. The staff of Hale School are professional and committed and should be commended for their efforts this year.

We know that there has been a redefinition of leadership in recent years. A quote from The Times newspaper in Britain in October this year raises an interesting perspective: "We are in love with historical figures who triumph in military conflict, die violently, take a brave last stand, announce sweeping reforms, or stride the world stage. But what about those who govern quietly and competently? Those whose citizens live in peace and don't have to die in wars? What about those who proceed through compromise and consensus, avoiding showdowns but achieving remarkable results". At Hale we must encourage those in our care to develop those disciplines, values and skills that enable them to take control of their lives in a responsible fashion.

The following boys have been selected to lead the student population next year as Hale School prefects. It is a smaller number this year than in previous years and I re-state to Year 11 boys my desire to add to this group in Term 1 next year:

Jordan Aitken, Liam Bennett-Menezes, Chris Burch, Andrew Burton, George Cunningham, Harry Garland, Anton Hamp, Oliver Johnston, Arjun Kaushik, James Levien, Alex Ninkov, Tom Taylor, Emerson Walker, James Weir, Richard Wills.

To lead this team and indeed the student body, I would like to announce the following positions:

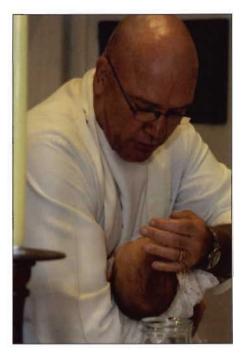
Captain of School for 2009: Alex Ninkov Vice Captain of School for 2009: Emerson Walker.

The House Captains 2009: Buntine – Shrey Sharma, Faulkner –Luke Vrankovich, Havelock – Oliver Johnston, Haynes – Giles Kenny, Loton – James Levien, Parry – Emerson Walker, Riley – Riley Pearce, St Georges – Anton Hamp, Tregonning – Harry Garland, Wilson – George Cunningham.

I would like to acknowledge the role of the Board of Governors. Theirs is a role undertaken for the purpose of service. They are committed and supportive yet not intrusive. We are indebted to them. I would also like to thank the Parents and Friends Association, the Old Haleians' Association and the many support groups set up for the sole purpose of enriching the education of the boys at Hale.

Thank you to all who have contributed to the rich learning environment that is Hale School. Over 220 staff, teaching and non-teaching, work tirelessly to provide the opportunities and the facilities for the boys.

I wish you all a very happy, safe and holy Christmas and an enjoyable holiday before we gather next year to celebrate the School's 151st year. Bring it on!



A LIFE THAT WILL STAND

In the story of the three little pigs we find that there were three types of building materials used to build their houses: straw, wood and brick. The only house that could withstand the wolf from blowing the house down was the brick house. Every day we build our lives, and Jesus gives us a story on those whose lives will stand, and those whose lives will fall.

Here are the keys to a life that will stand:

Everyone then who hears these words of mine and acts on them will be like a wise man who built his house on rock. The rain fell, the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on rock.

And everyone who hears these words of mine and does not act on them will be like a foolish man who built his house on sand.

The rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat against that house, and it fell—and great was its fall!

PEOPLE WHO HEAR GOD'S WORD

Jesus gives us the first key to building a life that will stand: Hear His Word. You can't build your life without a blueprint, and the Word of God is the blueprint for every life. It is when we try to build our lives without the blueprint that we get things totally out of order.

Let me illustrate:

A man orders a blueprint for building a birdhouse. He gets the blueprints but they are blueprints for a sailboat. His sailboat keeps blowing out of the tree. He writes a letter to the company demanding his money back. They send his money with this note: we are sorry about the mistake, but you aren't nearly as mad as the guy who tried to go sailing in a birdhouse.

The Word builds us: spiritually—and the world has no way to build our spirit man. So even if you are physically strong, financially secure, emotionally stable, if your life isn't built spiritually, then you won't have a life that will stand.

PEOPLE WHO OBEY GOD'S WORD WILL STAND

Application is better than sacrifice. You can listen to God's Word, but if you don't apply it to your life, your house won't stand. A wise man hears the Word of God and then obeys it. A foolish man hears the same Word but rejects it. The foolish man hears the same word but rejects the Word, and finds his life in all types of trouble. Many times it isn't that trouble comes looking for us, but we go looking for trouble.

It reminds me of the missing dog whose owner put up a reward for his safe return
He gave this description: "Been in a lot of fights, and has a bad limp. Missing one eye, tail has been cut in two, and is missing part of his left ear that was bitten off. He answers to the name, Lucky".

SAND OR ROCK

Let us now move into the materials each builder used: sand, rock. There are a lot of people who are trying to build their lives with sand, but when storms come, sand proves to be a poor material for building a life.

Examples of these might be:

Love relationships—some people try to find all their happiness in life out of love relationships. But many times these feelings and emotions come and go. Many times there is hurt and rejection. Many people find in time that these relationships don't meet their expectations.

Money, fame, power. Many people live their lives for success, and after they achieve all

their dreams and goals, they still feel empty. Everything becomes sand, except those things that are eternal.

The rock is the example of the spiritual things that are eternal: the things that can't be boxed or packaged or advertised in a glossy magazine. It is upon these that Jesus said, "Upon this rock will I build my church, and the gates of hell will not prevail against it."

This is faith in Jesus Christ; the rock of our salvation. When everything in life is shaken, those things that cannot be shaken will remain.

The Two Outcomes. The house on the rock stood, the house on the sand fell. Jesus gave a simple message that your life will go one of two ways: it will either be solid in Christ, or it will fall apart in the world.

On the Discovery Channel they were explaining buildings that were built to withstand the shaking of earthquakes. They explained that there were some buildings with re-inforced steel throughout that could stand when other buildings would collapse. We need to be re-enforced with the Word of God, we need the Spirit of God to help us stand.

With Jesus as your blueprint, your life will stay together and you won't be trying to sail the Indian Ocean in a birdcage.

To the Valedictorians of 2008, may God bless you all.

Father Dougall Ethell Chaplain

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STUDENT WALK



Cetebrating, 150 years

No other occasion in the calendar of events celebrating Hale School's sesquicentenary in 2008 engaged the current students in such a profound and joyful way as the 150th Walk. All 1387 students from Years 1 to 12 and over 100 staff were transported by bus from Wembley Downs to the Cloisters Building in St George's Terrace, Perth, early on Friday morning, the 8th February in the School's 150th year. They then wividly experienced some of the School's history and geography by walking from the Cloisters up the Terrace past several former sites of the School and ending at the old Hale School buildings in Havelock Street, West Perth.

The Year I students walked hand in hand with the Senior School prefects, who carried several of them up the steep climb

of Malcoln Street. The Year 2 boys were accompanied by boarders from Year 11 and 12. The rest of the Junior School walked in class groups and the Senior School students made the journey House by House.

The students began the walk by standing and briefly reflecting on their great school's origins within the Cloisters, where Bishop Hale established his Collegiate School in 1858. They then processed in a line some hundreds of metres long to the top of St George's Terrace, past Parliament House and once at Havelock Street they assembled in the grounds facing the old School steps. In the first school 'assembly ' at Havelock Street since 1960, students and staff were welcomed by the Headmaster Mr Stuart Meade and then listened to Professor Harry

Phillips, (Old Haleian 1956-1960) bring to life the experiences of being a boy at Hale at its West Perth site. A sense of the occasion's significance and of the School's history being held up to view was palpable.

Upon returning to the Wembley Downs campus, where a barbeque lunch for 1400 was being efficiently prepared, the entire school assembled on Craig Oval for aerial photographs to be taken. Then, after lunch, games within House groups ended this special day. Good humour, the bonds of fellowship and feelings of quiet pride lingered.

Mr David Bean Deputy Headmaster and Director of Curriculum

YEAR 12 ACADEMIC ACHIEVERS



Binu Jayawardena - Beazley Medal for top TEE student in WA







Michael Liu



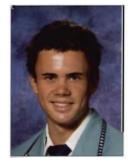
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Ramanan Parameswaran



Oliver Nivbrant



Joshua Ho



Bennett Lovelady



Toby Dawson



Simon Joseph



Yasuhito Nakajima



Bryan Tan

Hale School students achieved outstanding academic results in 2008 in the TEE and in Wholly School Assessed subjects.

First, all of the 198 Year 12 students of 2008 received the WA Certificate of Education, thus the School achieved a graduation rate of 100%. The Vice-Captain of School, Binu Jayawardena, was awarded the Beazley Medal for top TEE student in WA, the fifth Hale School student to receive the Beazley Medal since the year 2000.

There were 174 TEE students out of the overall Year 12 cohort of 198. On the basis

of the Tertiary Entrance Rank (TER), Hale School students achieved the following outstanding results:

16% (28 students) achieved in the top 1% of candidates in the State. This means they obtained a TER of 99.00 or higher.

27% (47 students) achieved in the top 3% of candidates in the state, meaning that these 47 students obtained a TER of 97 or higher.

52% (91 students) achieved a TER of 90.00 or higher, placing them in the top 10% of the TEE candidature in the State.

A very wide choice of tertiary courses will be available to many students as a result of these exceptionally high TERs.

The School is proud of the academic results achieved by Year 12 students, 2008, and is 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.

Mr David Bean Director of Curriculum Deputy Headmaster

YEAR 12 ACADEMIC RESULTS

GENERAL EXHIBITIONS

These are awarded to the top 40 TEE students in the State based on the average of their best five Tertiary Entrance scores.

Seven General Exhibitions were awarded.

Cameron Fitzgerald, Alexis Hall, Joshua Ho, Binu Jayawardena, Simon Joseph, Michael Liu, Ramanan Parameswaran

SUBJECT EXHIBITIONS

These are awarded to the student with the top Tertiary Entrance Exam score in each subject.

Hale School students achieved the highest examination results in four subjects:

Michael Liu (Calculus), Alexis Hall (Geography), Bennett Lovelady (Engineering Studies), Yasuhito Nakajima (Applicable Mathematics)

CERTIFICATES OF DISTINCTION

Joshua Ho (Applicable Mathematics)

Twenty four Certificates of Distinction, awarded for results in the top 0.5% of the State, were received by Hale School students: Pinu (avamardana (Calculus)

Olivon Nivebront (English)

Joshila no (Applicable Mathematics)	Binu Jayawardena (Calculus)	Oliver Nivbrant (English)
Binu Jayawardena (Applicable	Simon Joseph (Calculus)	Alexis Hall (Geography)
Mathematics)	Michael Liu (Calculus)	Toby Dawson (Human Biology)
Michael Liu (Applicable Mathematics)	Binu Jayawardena (Chemistry)	Cameron Fitzgerald (Physics)
Yasuhito Nakajima (Applicable Mathematics)	Simon Joseph (Chemistry)	Binu Jayawardena (Physics)
Cameron Fitzgerald (Calculus)	Michael Liu (Chemistry)	Simon Joseph (Physics)
Kunal Grover (Calculus)	Binu Jayawardena (Economics)	Michael Liu (Physics)
Joshua Ho (Calculus)	Bennett Lovelady (Engineering Studies)	Bryan Tan (Physics)
		Jeremy Huynh (Music)

CERTIFICATES OF EXCELLENCE

Certificates of Excellence for achieving ten or more A-grades over Years 11 and 12 were awarded to eighteen students:

Kim Chin	Michael Heyns	Simon Joseph
Joshua Chong	Joshua Ho	Michael Liu
Toby Dawson	Tong Hoon	Christopher McFarlane
Alexis Hall	Byron Jameson	Ramanan Parameswaran
Cameron Fitzgerald	Binu Jayawardena	Rhodri Simmonds
Lee Fitzmaurice	Nihar Iha	Bryan Tan

SUBJECT RESULTS

A source of great pride is the number of times that Hale School was placed in the 'Top 10' for each TEE subject, based on the percentage of students achieving a scaled score of 75% or more in that subject, and for each WSA subject, based on the percentage of students achieving A-grades in that subject.

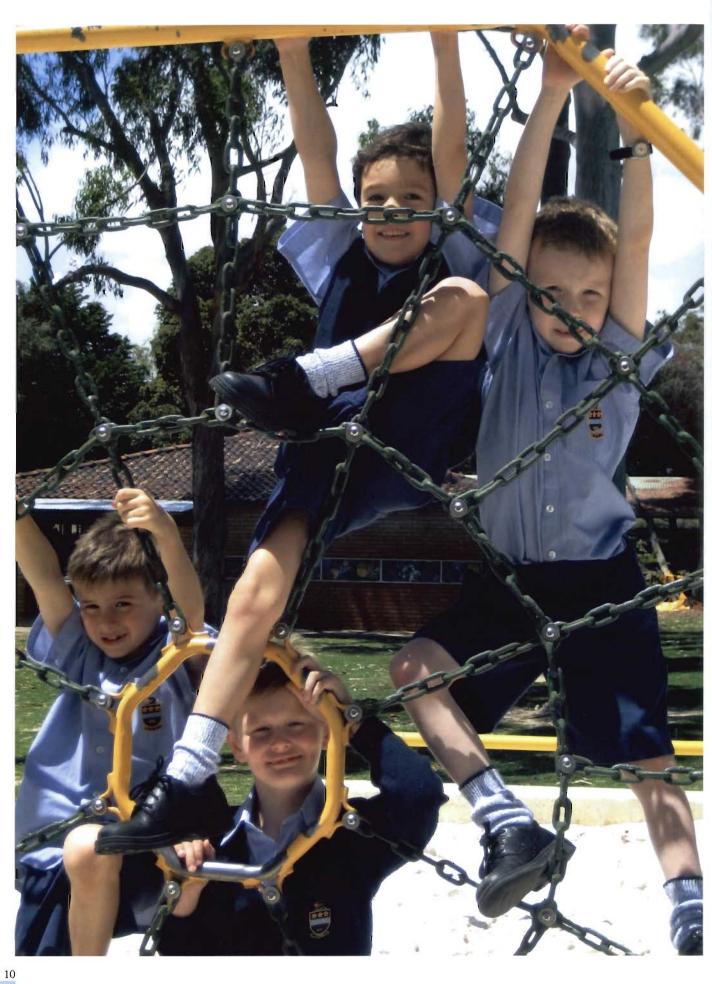
In 2008, Hale School was listed in the top 10 schools 11 times for TEE subjects, more frequently than any other boys' school and the second most frequent listing of any school in the State.

The TEE subjects were: Ancient History, Applicable Mathematics, Art, Applied Information Technology, Human Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Engineering Studies, French, Physics, Political & Legal Studies.

The WSA subjects were: Physical Education Studies and Applied Technology.

Gareth Begg won the Westscheme Award for top CareerLink student of 2008.

57.14% of Hale School students who completed four or more TEE subjects/WACE courses achieved an average scaled mark in the top third of the State. Hale School is ranked 8th in the state and is the second top boys school on the 'league table' for this measure.





















JUNIOR SCHOOL HOUSES



DAVY HOUSE

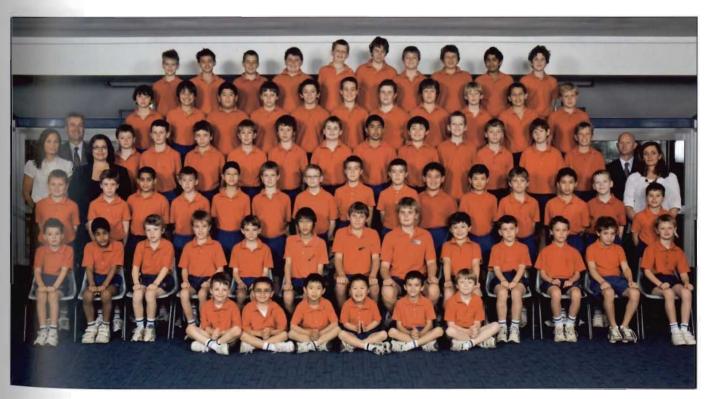


ROSIER HOUSE

IUNIOR SCHOOL HOUSES



TURNBULL HOUSE



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Front Row: Mr Tim Simpson, Mr Mark Olma, Mr Chris McClelland, Mrs Sarah Sheahan, Ms Misty Waters, Mrs Di Raymond, Ms Kathy Smith, Mrs Lilian Counsel, Mrs Marianne Swain, Ms K Smith, Mr Michael Valentine, Ms Julianne Nissen,

Ms Julia Jarel, Miss Wendy Keeffe, Mrs Amanda Dunn, Ms Elise Chong, Mr Martin Taylor

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Father Dougall Ethell, Mr Andrew Robertson, Mr Paul Edwards, Mr Mark Pressley, Mr Heath McCabe

NEW STAFF AND FAREWELLS



KERRY SMITH

Kerry was appointed Coordinator of Junior School Music in 1993, working tirelessly to ensure that music was an important part of the education of so many boys. The choir participated in concerts, Chapel and many special events. She has been involved in tours, camps and coached soccer, rugby and sailing. No-one will forget the pleasure the wonderful finales of Speech Mornings gave to so many, which were due to the hard work of Kerry and the Music Department. Our good wishes go to Kerry in whatever direction her talents take her



PAUL EDWARDS

Paul Edwards joined the year 5 teaching team at Hale Junior School at the beginning of the year. He lived and taught in London for three and a half years before returning to and settling in Perth. Paul has travelled extensively through Europe and has spent time in Africa and South East Asia. He has brought his worldly experience and thirst for learning to the Hale community and is enthusiastic and passionate about teaching.



SARAH ARTHUR

In Term 3 Sarah took leave from her position as a Year Seven teacher to give birth to her second child, Felton, brother to Mila. The new addition to the Arthur family soon became an international traveller as the family headed to New York and Sweden for Paul's work. Sarah, we miss your warm smile, thoughtfulness and inspiring teaching. We know you are going to return to us soon and in the mean time we look forward to hearing from you during the next year as you experience the wonders of life overseas.



Megan was appointed to Hale Junior School in 2003 as the Year Two teacher. In 2008 she taught Year 1. Her contributions to the Book Week and Christmas assemblies were legendary. Megan also helped out with several drama productions such as 'Treasure Island' and 'Willow Story'. At the end of first semester this year, we said 'au revoir' to Megs for a period of 18 months. She will make a very welcome return to the Junior School in 2010



SKYE ANTHONISZ

Hale Skye Anthonisz joined the Junior s the Primary team during Term 3, as 8 she the Year One teacher. Skye brings a wealth of experience, having stmas taught in England, Melbourne and in Perth. Her passion with for teaching is evident when such observing her with the boys. Her displays clear enjoyment in all oir' to she does. Skye runs a 'student centred' programme in her class and is often seen participating in the creative learning experiences alongside the boys.



MISTY WATERS

Misty Waters joined Hale Junior School as our Year Two teacher in 2008. She brings with her a wealth of knowledge and experience, having taught across several year levels at schools in Perth and London. The boys have responded to her genuine, caring nature and this has been reflected in their development throughout the year. Misty is a keen sports person and has instilled her passion in the boys this year, through early morning fitness sessions.



AMANDA DUNN

Amanda Dunn first joined the Hale Junior School team in 2003, spending several years teaching in both Year 4 and in Year 7. We were elated and very fortunate to have Amanda re-join the Hale Junior School team in 2008 after taking some time away to start a family. Amanda now finds herself part of the Year Five teaching team where she brings incredible passion, creativity, energy, a sense of humour and Tic Tacs.



SALLY HOWE

Sally Howe returned to Hale Junior School this year after a year of leave to complete her Theology studies, in a new position as Assistant Chaplain to the Junior School. This is her tenth year at Hale School, which she definitely calls her home! Sally completed a Graduate Diploma in Divinity at Trinity Theological College and is delighted to be able to combine her love for God and for teaching children in this role.

CAPTAINS, PREFECTS AND MONITORS



JUNIOR SCHOOL CAPTAINS AND PREFECTS L to R: B Clapin, M Ntoumenopoulos, J Hendry, V Kaushik, K Natalwala



ASSEMBLY MONITORS
L to R: Ms K Smith, H Brown, C Allen, M Vaswani, Z Ly



CANTEEN MONITORS
L to R: A Warnock, J Tate, Mrs S O'Brien, O Kaiser,
M Fialho



JUNIOR SCHOOL OFFICERS

Back Row: Mr M Valentine, S Yamamoto, S Gay, Mr T Simpson, S Wen,

D Emery, D Tredget, C Peoples

Front Row: W Aitken, A Punler, S Bevan, J McGougan, J Richards, B Slater



MUSIC MONITORS
L to R: J Lang, F Murray, Ms K Smith, A Kapoor



LIBRARY AND IT MONITORS

Back Row: N Coetzer, D Pijls, A Paterson,

Mrs M Swain, J Stamatiou

Front Row: M Whitby, K Natalwala,

A Zadnik

Absent: R Hanrahan-Smith



ART MONITORS

Back Row: E Kambouris, S Tucker,

A Kambouris, K Wong,

Mr C Mcclelland
Front Row: N Anderson, B Courtney,

M De Beer, C Lovelady



SPORT MONITORS

Back Row: Mr A Robertson, H Taylor,

D Bushell, H Clarkson,

J Membrey

Front Row: L Gallagher, C Lewis,

S Bevan, L Smith

ACADEMIC PRIZES 2008

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Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Aditya Ganguly, Haseeb Riaz Thomas Clarke, Travis North Alexander Clapin

YEAR 5E

Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress

Lynden Law, Ashley Soet James Tough, Jackson Lewis

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

John Shepherd

YEAR 5S

Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Alexander Stanisis, Luke Rao Adam Woolfe, Ryka Lekias

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Samuel Ranson

YEAR 6D

Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress

Wei Juen Lo, Marcus Tsaknis Patrick Culbert, Michael Ninkov

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Aden Wilkins

YEAR 6K

Academic Excellence Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress

Andy Wang, Michael Marshall Connor Crofts, George Stribling

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Ross Heard

YEAR 7MA

Academic Excellence

Sebastian Gay, Connor Peoples Connor Delves

Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Emrik Graff

YEAR 7NV

Academic Excellence

Benjamin Clapin, Andrew Warnock

Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress

Evan Quail, Logan Smith

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Henry Brown

YEAR 7P

Academic Excellence

Peet Honour Award for significant academic progress

Tully Bennett, Benjamin Slater Kieran Natalwala, Ned Halley

Notable personal qualities that contribute to the character and values of Hale Junior School

Daniel Smailes

Rosier House

TROPHIES, CUPS, SHIELDS AND AWARDS 2008

Athletics

Frank Day Athletics Trophy

Basketball

Prize

Cricket

LJ Richardson Cricket Trophy

Waldo Turner Trophy for Most Improved Cricketer Cross Country

Waldo Turner Cross Country Trophy

Flippaball Prize

Prize

Hockey

Guitar Prize

Mrs Barrett's Hockey Prize

Old Haleians' Junior Hockey Club Encouragement Award

Football

R Bedford-Brown Prize Best All-Round Sportsman

Rosier House Dominic Emery Rosier House Iames McGougan Rosier House Harry Taylor

Matthew Ntoumenopoulos Rosier House

Connor Delves Turnbull House Tully Bennett Davy House Samuel Bevan

Turnbull House Jacob Marsh Daniel Tredget Samuel Bevan

Modcrosse Prize Rughy Prize Soccer Prize Swimming Prize Tennis Prize Triathlon Prize

Cock House Shield

Satoru Yamamoto Rosier House Christopher Lewis Walker House David Roy Davy House Tully Bennett Rosier House Ethan Sylvester Davy House Haydn Clarkson

Rosier House

SPECIAL PRIZES

DS Haskett Drama Prize

Library Prize Sebastian Gay Public Speaking Prize Spanish Prize

Benjamin Clapin Varun Kaushik **Brass Instrument Prize** Daniel Smailes Garland Music Prize Benjamin Clapin Seng Pau Wen

Connor Delves

Outstanding Contribution to Choir Outstanding Contribution to the Orchestra Percussion Prize Prize for Choral Excellence The Stringed Instrument Prize Chaplains' Award for Service to Hale Junior School

Memorial Prize for Manly Qualities

David Bushell, Connor Delves Satoru Yamamoto Joshua Hardy Abhimanyu Kapoor William Huxtable Varun Kaushik Benjamin Clapin









YEAR 5E



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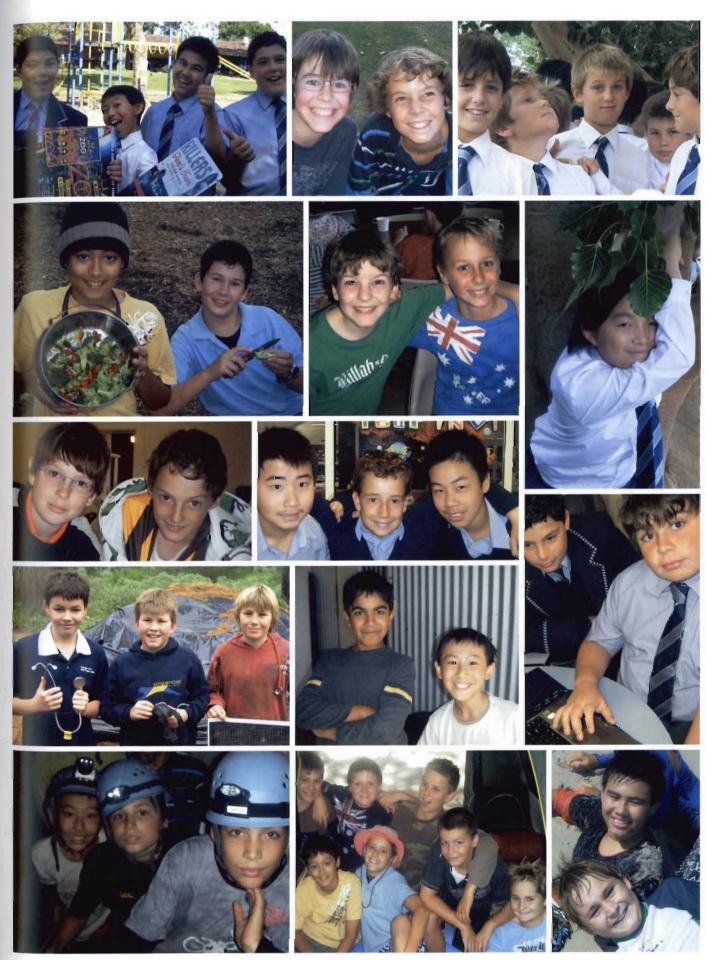








YEAR 7NV



YEAR 7P













CHALLENGE PROGRAMME

This year, a number of Master-Classes were undertaken as part of the Challenge Programme.

The Art Challenge Master-Class was for students in Years Six and Seven who had demonstrated a high degree of ability and commitment to Visual Art. The students completed both group work and individual work in silk painting and in the production of large ceramic sculptures that will live in the school gardens.

Twenty one boys participating in the Science Master-Class undertook a week's intensive work using the Lego NXT robotic programme. The week culminated with the boys working towards participating in the Western Australian RoboCup dance competition that was held in September. The boys were required to design and programme a robot or group of robots and choreograph their movements to a chosen piece of music. It was a challenging test of their knowledge,

skills and ability to work coherently in a group situation.

During the Language Master-Class, sixteen boys from Years Five, Six and Seven used language as a means of understanding, developing and communicating ideas. An excursion to Fremantle Prison and visits from author, Elaine Forrestal and Hale School Old Boy, Dr John Craig, provided the impetus for written pieces of work relating to the past, present and future. Publication of these texts was in the form of an installation featuring life size painted wooden bodies.

The Physical Education Challenge Master-Class, through physical testing and talks from two Australian Olympic athletes, involved participants addressing the question: What does it take to reach your potential?

Over several mornings the boys took part in comprehensive fitness testing and analysed their results.

During the Spanish Language Master-Class the boys were required to read fairy tale scripts before rehearsing and performing them using the Spanish language. The central focus of this class was correct pronunciation, with the final performance recorded for viewing at the Friday 'Spanish' assembly.

The Drama Challenge Master-Class was designed to extend skills and knowledge of stagecraft. The boys, from Year Six and Year Seven, began the week with a blank whiteboard and the challenge of presenting a play to their parents and peers by the end of the week. In a few short hours, facilitated by Drama Specialist Ms Julia Jarel, the boys created, scripted, directed and produced the play: 'Espionage 101'. Held in the Stowe Theatre to packed houses, it was a humorous tale containing the powerful message of truth and honesty. 'An absolute masterpiece!' one amazed audience member was heard to say as he exited the theatre.

















DRAMA

Junior School Drama in 2008 has been vibrant, varied and inspiring. The boys from Years One to Seven have been dynamically involved in projects ranging from collage drama, original play festivals, monologue performances, theatre sports and filmmaking. The students have reached such a high standard across the board that, this year, an even greater emphasis has been placed on enrichment and extension with such projects as the Challenge programme, Book Week, Open Day performances and Drama Club.

It has been a delight to witness the ever increasing confidence, creative initiative and enthusiasm of the students, both on stage and off, in the process of creative endeavour and performance.

Ms J Jarel









ACTIVITIES



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Art Club is offered each year to Year Six and Year Seven 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.

Over the year, thirty one boys worked on a variety of projects, including stone sculpture carving, mosaics, canvas painting, ceramic work, wheel pottery, silk paintings and foam puppets.

Mr C McClelland

ART CLUB

Front Row: R Zhang, B Courtney, J Hardy, N Anderson, J Membrey, C Lovelady,

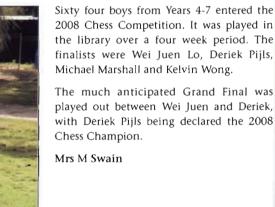
S Yamomoto, C Peoples, J Everett

Second Row: A Baker, M de Beer, Sam Tucker, Ethan Sylvester, Mr C McClelland,

C Howie, A Zadnik, K Natalwala, H Brown

Third Row: O Kaiser, A Punler, E Kambouris, S P Wen, J Neilson, C Allen,

N Shaw, A Kambouris





CHESS COMPETITION
L to R: K Wong, D Pijls, W Lo, M Marshall

READERS' CUP CHALLENGE L to R: G Stribling, S Gay, Mrs M Swain, W Lo

In April, twelve boys from Years 5-7 joined the Readers' Challenge group. Their task was to read and discuss all books on the Children's Book Council Awards shortlist for 2008. After running a series of workshops and tests, George Stribling, Sebastian Gay and Wei Juen Lo were selected to represent Hale Junior School.

At Christ Church Grammar School, the boys successfully competed against several other schools, coming third.

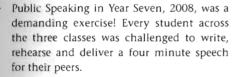
Mrs M Swain

ACTIVITIES

The Hale Junior School Double Helix Club began 2008 by preparing for assembly in Week 5 of Term 1. With Climate Change as our theme, the boys worked in small teams to present scientific explanations and innovative solutions for this hot topic. Working together on the assembly was a great way for the boys to get to know each other and show off their personal areas of interest in science.

Other highlights from the year include a visit to the Senior School Chemistry laboratory for a series of interesting demonstrations performed by former Junior School student Aditya Eranki, and the annual Scitech sleepover. Having the Scitech exhibits and knowledgeable staff to ourselves for the whole night was certainly an exciting experience which the boys are sure to remember from their time in 2008.

Mr H McCabe



The standard across the year level was extremely high, and the speeches were engaging and entertaining. After much pulling of hair and gnashing of teeth, just six finalists were selected from the excellent array of speeches.

The six finalists – Ben Clapin, Sebastian Gay, Daniel Tredget, Andrew Warnock, Varun Kaushik and Matthew Ntoumenopoulos – then had the nail biting task of performing their speeches for the whole school. All boys spoke with confidence and aplomb.

The winner of the inter-house public speaking competition was Ben Clapin (Turnbull) and the runner up, Varun Kaushik (Davy). These boys then spoke at the interschool competition and both were awarded silver medals.

Ms J Jarel



DOUBLE HELIX SCIENCE CLUB

Front Row: H Riaz, A Ganguly, J Dunne, O Doig, J Battista, A Soet, K Hawkins,

M Whitfield, J O'Brien

Middle Row: A Taba, H Trusler, B Lee, V Kaushik, Mr H McCabe, C Peoples, Z Ly,

R Lekias, M Ashforth

Back Row: J Tate, K Wong, A Kapoor, J Hendry, S Gay, S Tucker, H Brown, L Smith



PUBLIC SPEAKING

Back Row: D Tredget, A Warnock, M Ntoumenopoulos, V Kaushik

Front Row: Ms J Jarel, J Membrey, B Clapin, S Gay

JUNIOR SCHOOL MUSIC



JUNIOR SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

Back Row: D Roy, M Ntoumenopoulos, A Popov, N Shaw, A Paterson, H Trusler,

M Vaswani, A Kapoor

Third Row: Miss S Ellison, A Stanisis, J Lang, F Powers, N Sanderson, S Hermans,

K Wong, T Ryall, M Flynn, A Woolfe, X Powers, Z Nicholl, Ms E Chong

Second Row: K Lee-Jones, Z Ly, W Huxtable, L MacDonald, A Wang, A Taba, B Courtney,

R Khoo, R Zhang, L Law, M McBride, A Ganguly, J Shepherd

Front Row: J Dunne, B Lee, B Slater, R Lekias, R Olins-Miller, A Soet, J Barbuzza,

A Clapin, J Ralston, J Stevenson, S Yamamoto, W Lo, J Coningsby

IUNIOR SCHOOL BAND

Back row: S Hadlow, D Smailes, S Ranson, D Delaney, S Holden, M Whitby, C Allen,

A Punler, O Kaiser, A Kapoor, T Harris, J Purdon, T Bengough

Third Row: M Molkenthin, J Marsh, J Fullarton, S Benson, G Maiden, K Natalwala,

M Crabb, N Coetzer, J Hindle, D Tredget, L Gallagher, T Bennett, S Tucker

Second Row: H Collins, V Kaushik, L Maclean, H Delves, L McAulliffe, D Foale, R Heard, J Hardy, M Thompson, S Papathanassiou, F Lamond, J Augustson,

Mr M Taylor

Front Row: J Lewis, G Hall, M Ninkov, J Crabbe, C Augustson, J Tucker, D Pijls, P Neale,

J Taylor, C Peoples, A Deering

Music has in many ways continued to be the heart and soul of Hale Junior School in 2008. There have been numerous musical highlights that will be remembered for a long time as we have celebrated the school's 150th year.

Term 1 saw the recommencement of rehearsals for the year. Boys in the Junior School Symphony, Junior School Orchestra and Junior School Band found themselves in their familiar early morning routine preparing for assembly performances.

In Term 2 the Mid Year concert was a celebration of Australian music. After a week of intensive rehearsals each group presented their take on some of Australia's most iconic songs. The concert will be remembered for its finale which featured all of the Junior School musicians performing together for "Shine" and "Down Under" featuring our guest soloists Kirste Oates, Marcus Gordon and Travis Fitch.

The Hale 150th Foundation Concert provided us with the unique opportunity of performing in Perth's premier concert venue, The Perth Concert Hall. The Junior School Orchestra, Band, Choir and Guitar Ensemble were joined on stage by members of the Hale St Mary's Concert Bands 3 and 4, and the Hale St Mary's Young Voices to perform "High". It featured guest soloist and Hale old boy, Simon Fisenden. This was an amazing experience that will remain in the memories of the boys for years to come.

The Junior School Garland is always a highly anticipated recital with boys from all years performing solo items, often on multiple instruments. This year's Garland had many exceptional performances including Ben



JUNIOR SCHOOL MUSIC

Clapin's winning rendition of Artie Shaw's Concerto for Clarinet.

Preparation for our tour of NSW and ACT began early in Term 3 with 50 boys in the touring party attending weekend rehearsals. The 4.00am meeting time at the airport was not enough to dampen the enthusiasm of the group as we boarded our flight. After landing in Sydney we boarded our coach and made our way to Fountaindale Manor in Robertson. During the week of the tour we presented concerts at Mittagong Primary, Tudor House and Canberra Grammar School, and still found time to see the sights of Canberra and Sydney. The boys also got the chance to visit the Bradman Museum in Bowral and Sydney's famous Bondi Beach in between performance and rehearsals.

The Junior School Band was invited to perform at the Government House open day in Term 4. This gave us the opportunity to play over half an hour of music in the idyllic surrounding of the Government House Gardens.

The Junior School Christmas Concert was again a memorable event as the musical groups moved outdoors to perform on Craig Oval to an audience of around 500 people. The highlight of the show was the Junior Primary boys who sang "Aussie Jingle Bells". The Christmas Concert is a family friendly event which is keenly supported by the Hale Junior School Community.

Our busy musical year came to a rousing end at Speech Morning when all of the Hale Junior School Musicians were joined by Mr Bob Brisbane in Memorial Hall for "Amazing".





JUNIOR SCHOOL SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Back Row: M Crabb, A Popov, A Paterson, N Shaw, M Whitby, O Kaiser, H Trusler,

Z Nicholl

Third Row: D Delaney, S Hadlow, A Kapoor, M Vaswani, D Roy, M Ntoumenopoulos,

D Smailes, K Wong, D Pijls

Second Row: H Collins, C Augustson, V Kaushik, C Peoples, A Taba, N Sanderson,

K Natalwala, J Hardy, T Bennett, J Dunne, B Courtney, Mr M Taylor,

Ms E Chong

Front Row: B Lee, B Slater, W Huxtable, L Law, R Khoo, R Zhang, J Lang, A Wang, Z Ly,

S Yamamoto, W Lo



IUNIOR SCHOOL GUITAR ENSEMBLE

Back Row: O Bando, G Stribling, A Bogunovich, J Liu

Front row: J Fullarton, R Chappell, A Deering, M Watson, J Bengough, Mr S Sutherland

IUNIOR SCHOOL MUSIC



JUNIOR SCHOOL CHOIR

Back Row: R Chappell, M Peacock, J Purdon, J Stamatiou,

F Murray, T Bennett,

A Kapoor

Third Row:

L Tizzano, J Dunne, J Tucker, G Maiden, D Bushell, P Neale, J Tate, S Wait, B Jones, R Olins-Miller,

R Lekias

Second Row:

ow: W Huxtable, L Macdonald,

B Sondergaard, M Thompson,

C Fotios, M Ashforth, L Harrison, K Hawkins, M Molkenthin, A Soet

Front Row:

H Riaz, J Ralston, A Woolfe, J Jovanoski, A Ganguly,

A Clapin, A Stanisis, M McBride, J Stevenson,

J Battista



JUNIOR SCHOOL COMBINED CHAMBER MUSIC GROUPS

Back Row: N

Miss S Ellison, L Law, M Vaswani, H Trusler,

A Kapoor, J Dunne, Mr T Parr,

Ms E Chong

Front Row:

S Yamamoto, W Huxtable,

A Wang, R Khoo, R Zhang,

B Slater



IUNIOR SCHOOL MUSIC

JUNIOR SCHOOL TOURING GROUP

Back Row: H Collins, H Trusler,

O Kaiser,

A Popov, N Shaw, M Whitby,

C Allen, A Paterson,

A Punler,

S Holden, D Delaney

Third Row: K Natalwala, N Coetzer,

K Wong, D Smailes, M Ntoumenopoulis, M Vaswani, A Kapoor,

J Marsh, S Hadlow, M Crabb,

Z Nicholl

Second Row: C Augustson, J. Taylor,

R Heard, D Pijls, J Dunne,

T Bennett, S Benson, J Hardy, N Sanderson, J Fullarton, V Kaushik

Front Row: B Slater, Z Ly, W Huxtable,

R Zhang, A Deering, B Lee,

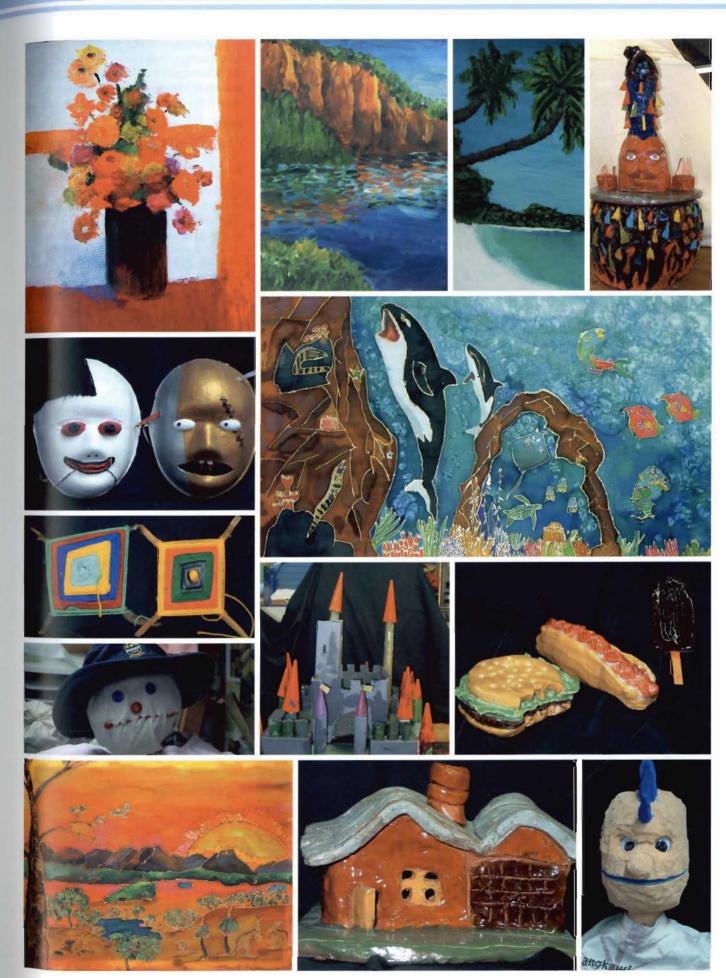
R Khoo, M Ninkov, C Peoples, A Wang, S Yamamoto







ART





JUNIOR SCHOOL INTERSCHOOL CROSS COUNTRY TEAM

Back Row: N Halley, H Taylor, H Clarkson, S Matthews, D Emery, S Gay,

T Bengough, E Sylvester

Fourth Row: Mr M Pressley, C Delves, S Benson, A Wilkins, W Aitken, N Woolfe,

S Hadlow, N Egan, L Tizzano, J Ogden, Mr A Robertson

Third Row: R Cook, C Augustson, M Bardsley, J Tucker, H Pyrke, J Hindle,

D Tredget, T Ryall, C Carter, R Olins-Miller, F Powers, S Yamamoto

Second Row: L Flynn, M Thompson, C Fotios, M Tsaknis, H Delves,

S Papathanassiou, J Kelly, B Sondergaard, X Clapin, J Jovanoski

Front Row: K Langridge, J Stevenson, T Clarke, A Stanisis, A Woolfe, A Deering,

H David

The boys were excited about the event as they had been busy preparing in class with the Kilometre Club Challenge in which the school ran over 3500km in three weeks around the Junior School.

Year 1 - Giles Hegney

Year 2 - Beau Ireland

Year 3 - Callum Henderson

Year 4 - James Jovanoski

Year 5 - Joshua Tucker

Year 6 - Marcus Tsaknis

Year 7 - Connor Delves

The overall house champion for 2008 was Rosier.

All Schools Cross Country

This was a new event on the radar for our runners and for the first time we sent along a full complement of 12 runners (3 teams of 4 in Year 5, Year 6 and Year 7). The boys ran the flat fast course of Perry Lakes reserve well and a highlight was every boy's placing in the top 25% of their race. Overall we took out the WA Primary Boys Champion School for 2009. It was a memorable day for Hale Iunior School!

Mr A Robertson



JUNIOR SCHOOL INTERSCHOOL ATHLETICS TEAM

Back Row: C Lewis, H Taylor, D Emery, S Bevan, S Matthews, H Clarkson, S Gay Third Row: L Tizzano, E Sylvester, K Mitchell, R Hanrahan Smith, S Holden,

N Halley, N Woolfe, A Wilkins

Second Row: Mr M Pressley, A Kidd, R Cook, J Tucker, W Aitken, C Delves, H Pyrke,

R Olins- Miller, Mr A Robertson

Front Row: A Stanisis, J Jovanoski, C Auguston, M Tsaknis, C Fotios, L Flynn,

X Clapin

The Hale Interhouse Athletics was held on two dates in 2008. The field events were held on Tuesday 2 September in the afternoon. The track events with all Year 4 – 7 boys taking part took part on Thursday 4 September during the morning.

The highlight was the 800m at the start of the day when every Year 4-7 student took part. Overall the competition was fierce with several records being broken on the track.

The final champion house was Rosier. Inter School Athletics – organised by Trinity was canecelled due to the 30mm of rain in the 24 hour period leading up to the event.

Mr A Robertson

SPORT

Cricket was a popular choice amongst the boys for the first term 2008 with almost 80 boys signing up. The competition for selection was a credit to the quality of players available.

The A Team performed extremely well and remained undefeated in the first term, displaying fantastic sportsmanship and skill.

The B Team had some nail biting matches and played with terrific spirit and attitude. Two development teams, named Cambridge and Oxford after the school colours, played with great enthusiasm and endeavour against a number of teams from other schools in modified matches, along with a very strong year five team, who performed admirably in competition.

Mr P Edwards



JUNIOR SCHOOL CRICKET TEAM

Front Row:

Back Row: D Delaney, J Purdon, F Murray, G Stribling, H Taylor, D Emery, C Lewis, S Holden, K Mitchell, D Roy, O Bando, S Ranson

Fourth Row: Mr P Edwards, M Ntoumenpolous, S Patel, S Tucker, D Smailes, T Bengough, J Marsh, N Halley, O Kaiser, W Aitken, P Chivers,

M Vaswani, S Hadlow, A Baker, Mr C McClelland

Third Row: Mr M Pressley, H Pyrke, C Delves, C Carter, H Collins, M Broom,

M Crabb, A Wilkins, C Howie, C Baker, L Gallagher, J Ogden,

W Taggart, J Richards, N Anderson, Mr H McCabe

Second Row: S Stuart, J Augustson, L Smith, J Taylor, N Sanderson, J Fullarton,

D Bushell, R Heard, A Kidd, M Flynn, J Bengough, J Kelly, H Delves

T Rule, M Ireland, G Hall, M Ninkov, W Lo, J Crabbe, M Tsaknis,

T Ryan, F Tabeart, B Thompson

This was a popular choice for boys in Term 4, with 35 boys opting to take on the wind and water of the Swan River. Based at Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club, the boys excelled at capsizing initially before mastering tacking, jibing, and working together to get around the set course each week.

Miss L Claydon



JUNIOR SCHOOL SAILING TEAM

Back Row: H Trusler, A Punler, A Paterson, M Whitby, D Emery, N Shaw,

M Fialho, J Liu, J Purdon

Third Row: L Smith, B Clapin, K Natalwala, A Bills, P Culbert, A Kapoor, P Chivers,

R Chappell, T Harris, N Coetzer, H Brown, J Membrey

Second Row: M Thompson, N Sanderson, A Smithson, J Lang, Miss L Claydon,

C Augustson, J Allpike, M Ashforth, J Augustson

Front Row: M Hanna, B Slater, A Soet, T Ryan, M Procter, A Deering



JUNIOR SCHOOL BASKETBALL TEAM

Back Row: Ms W Keeffe, J Stamatiou, A Paterson, W Taggart, S Wen, S Bevan,

M Fialho, J Lui, A Jellis, Mr M Olma

Middle Row: M Bardsley, L Rao, A Taba, S Hermans, A Zadnik, A Smithson, J Hardy,

M Thompson

Front Row: M Hanna, O Doig, L Harrison, J McGougan, D Pils, P Neale, A Wang,

Lewis

The 2008 season produced many memorable moments during intensive training sessions and competitive games. The boys who performed so admirably throughout the season focused on improving a range of skills and their knowledge of the game. We usually competed with three teams and they really accounted for themselves well.

The A Team won the Lightning Carnival for the third consecutive year, which is quite an achievement. The B Team really had a fantastic year and produced many high scoring victories with unselfish play the highlight of their games. The C Team were quite inexperienced but managed several wins along the way and probably showed the most overall improvement this season.

It was an absolute pleasure coaching and training such dedicated young sportsmen who displayed such a passion the game. James McGougan was our best and fairest for the year and has been a member of the A Team since Year Five. Our teams should be a force to be reckoned with in years to come. Thank you to the coaches and parents for their continued support throughout the year.

Mr M Olma



JUNIOR SCHOOL FLIPPABALL TEAM

Back Row: M Peacock, C Robson, H Clarkson, A Bogunovich, S Matthews, A Warnock,

N Fgar

Third Row: L Tizzano, E Sylvester, K Mitchell, R Hanrahan Smith, S Holden, N Halley,

N Woolfe, A Wilkins

Middle Row: Ms Nissen, L Tizzano, M De Beer, H Woods, S Benson, T Harris, T Ryall,

Mr Simpson

Front Row: F Lamond, T Bennett, N Anderson, J Membrey, M Tartaglia, G Maiden,

J Everitt, M Whitfield

With the warm weather early in Term 1, the pool on a Wednesday and Thursday afternoon was not a place to be, but rather, the only place to be! The flippaball A team consisted of a mix of seasoned and inexperienced players. After an initial settling period, the boys began to show a determined hunger for the ball and there were many close games against equally determined opponents. With camp interrupting the mid season line up, it was only in Week 8 that a full contingent of A players came together with one of our best games of the season against Trinity. Congratulations boys and thanks for all your help over the year.

Ms J Nissen

The B Team enjoyed a very successful season, slotting plenty of team goals, defending resolutely and constantly encouraging one another. The boys chalked up many fine victories. Great effort lads.

Mr T Simpson

The football A team had an extraordinary year. The boys won every game and topped it off by winning every game at the lightning carnival championship. There were some wonderful individual efforts, but it was the cohesive team play that made the difference. Sam Bevan was named Best Player, Connor Delves and Will Aitken received the awards for Best Team Players, and Harry Taylor received the Most Improved award.

The B and Year 5 teams played enthusiastically, with mixed results. Both teams won about half their fixtures and all the boys worked hard on improving skills and teamwork throughout the season.

Mr C McClelland



JUNIOR SCHOOL FOOTBALL TEAM

Back Row: T Bengough, H Trustler, G Stribling, W Taggart, S Matthews,

A Bogunavich, S Bevan, H Taylor, O Bando, S Ranson, N Halley,

M Peacock

Fourth Row: Ms W Keefe, Mr T Simpson, A Wilkins, A Baker, E Sylvester, N Egan,

W Aitken, S Hadlow, D Smailes, A Jellis, T Harris, C Baker, S Tucker,

N Woolfe, C Howie, Mr C McClelland

Third Row: M Bardsley, R Chappell, G Maiden, J Allpike, J Hardy, M Crabbe,

M de Beer, H Woods, D Bushell, J Richards, T Ryall, C Crofts, C Wilson,

R Heard

Second Row: M Tsaknis, A Kidd, J McGougan, C Delves, J Fullarton, J Taylor, F Tabeart,

M Tartaglia, L Maclean, W Patterson, H Delves, J Augustin, B Sondergaard

Front Row: T Rule, C Carter, M Ireland, R Zhang, A Woolfe

After a cool and particularly wet winter, excitable mutterings from a small but tenacious band of surfers could be overheard as the heat finally started to kick in and Term Four Surfing hit the calendar. Our surfing sessions took place down at Scarborough Beach this year and we were fortunate to receive some terrific waves to hone our newly acquired skills. Once again, we did not escape the rigours of the Fremantle Doctor, which blew relentlessly on several occasions.

Over the duration of the course, it was very pleasing to see all boys standing and riding a wave to the shore. Keep practicing over the school holidays boys; surfing is a magnificent lifestyle.

Mr T Simpson



JUNIOR SCHOOL SURFING TEAM

Back Row: C Baker, C Howie, D Roy, S Matthews, Mr T Simpson, A Popov, F Murray,

J Shepherd, L Tizzano

Middle Row: J Kelly, J Hardy, M Watson, H Woods, M Tartaglia, N Anderson, S Wait

Front Row: Z Ly, M Ninkov, J Everett, A Woolfe



The peaceful serenity of Wembley Golf Course was disturbed each Thursday afternoon by the energy and enthusiasm of 30 keen golfers. The featured hacking and air swings from the first week soon gave way to smooth technique and clean hitting as the boys received valuable coaching from a golfing professional.

Each week a new skill was mastered, from accurate iron hitting, to booming drives and sure handed putting. With continued practise and endeavour we may just be looking at Australia's next Adam Scott or Aaron Baddeley.

Mr M Pressley

IUNIOR SCHOOL GOLF TEAM

Back Row: J Tate, J Ogden, M Crabb, T Bengough, S Ranson, J Marsh, S Patel, R Lekias,

K Wong

Middle Row: Mr M Pressley, V Kaushik, B Sondergaard, M Whitfield, W Paterson,

J Bengough, J Barbuzza, C Peoples, M Molkenthin, B Lee, W Huxtable

Front Row: J Tough, P Neale, J Gismondi, K Hawkins, T Rule, L MacDonald, F Fong,

O Doig



JUNIOR SCHOOL MODCROSSE TEAM

Back Row: N Coetzer, H Trusler, M Whitby, J Neilson, A Punler, P Culbert, K Natalwala Middle Row: Ms P Depiazzi, J Dunne, B Jones, J Tucker, B Clapin, S Wait, M Marshall,

R Khoo

Front Row: M Molkenthin, Z Ly, B Lee, S Yamamoto, B Slater, C Peoples, A Soet

The Modcrosse team this season consisted of 22 boys, many of who were new to the sport. Although training sessions were often undertaken in extremely hot conditions, the boys' skill development improved at a remarkable rate. They were able to pass, catch, dodge and cradle effectively to notch up wins against all teams except Christ Church.

The Lightning Carnival proved to be the ultimate test of the boys' ability and enthusiasm, playing four matches in three hours. The windy conditions proved to be no deterrent and the Hale boys were victorious in three out of their four matches. This is a remarkable achievement for a group of boys who had not picked up a modcrosse stick until February, and bodes well for next season.

Ms P Depiazzi

Soccer continues to be a very popular sport to select for the cold, wet conditions of the winter season. Each year a large number of World Cup hopefuls sign up, even though they know that training is often conducted during heavy downpours and freezing winds.

Hale Junior School was well represented by five teams of players including novices and seasoned veterans. It was pleasing to observe the improvement in skills in all the boys and it was a most enjoyable experience. The A Team once again managed to win the Lightning Carnival and should be recognised for their outstanding season.

Mr M Olma



IUNIOR SCHOOL SOCCER TEAM

Back Row: Z Nicholl, M Ntoumenopoulos, A Kapoor, G Denemark, D Roy,

A Paterson, S Wen, M Fialho, S Holden, J Stamatiou, D Delaney,

M Vaswani, S Patel

Fourth Row: M Whitfield, A Taba, J Ogden, M Broom, T Bennett, A Smithson,

J Tate, A Bills, A Zadnik, C Lovelady, K Lee-Jones, R Lekias, N Sanderson,

M Marshall, J Dunne, M Ashforth

Third Row: L Law, S Yamamoto, J Bengough, B Jones, M Thompson, J Kelly,

S Papathanassiou, A Pramoko, S Hermans, M Flynn, J Lang, L Harrison,

M Hanna, Z Ly

Second Row: F Fong, N Tran, J Gismondi, A Stanisis, Ms K Smith, Mrs J Nissen,

Mr M Olma, Mrs M Swain, Mr M Pressley, B Lee, W Lo, J Barbuzza,

M Proctor

Front Row: K Hawkins, W Huxtable, T Ryan, J Everett, B Thompson, R Khoo,

A Wang

Boys in the hockey teams at the beginning of Term 2 were enthusiastic and keen to improve their skills and fitness - goals which they achieved with a great deal of success by season end. Both Hale teams faced challenges each week, coming up against fast and skilful opposition.

It was fantastic to see the improvement of individuals' skills. As important, of course, was their growth as effective team players, closer, positive score lines in return matches, and seeing all 30 players enjoy the experience!

Turnbull took out the Inter house competition with a high level of sportsmanship evident all-round.

Mr P Edwards



IUNIOR SCHOOL HOCKEY TEAM

Back Row: J Henry, A Punler, J Nielson, C Allen, M Whitby, C Mortlock, O Kaiser Third Row: K Natalwala, N Coetzer, A Warnock, N Shaw, J Marsh, K Wong,

P Culbert, D Tredget

Second Row: Miss L Claydon, V Kaushik, L Rao, L Smith, N Anderson, H Pyrke, D Pijls,

H Brown, Mr P Edwards

Front Row: J Lewis, O Doig, P Neale, L Macdonald, J Crabbe, A Soet, J Augustson



JUNIOR SCHOOL RUGBY TEAM

Back Row: C Robson, A Popov, H Clarkson, A Kambouris, S Gay, E Kambouris,

K Mitchell

Third Row: L Tizzano, H Colins, L Barham, J Purdon, F Murray, D Lim, S Benson,

I Hindle

Second Row: R Cook, F Lamond, J Merrey, B Clapin, L Gallagher, S Wait, J Tucker,

S Stuart

Front Row: C Peoples, G Hall, M Ninkov, C Lewis, D Emery, B Slater, M Molkenthin,

K Lim

Coaches: Mr A Roberton, Mr M Valentine

2008 was a most enjoyable and successful Rugby season for all members of the Junior School Rugby squad. We welcomed Mr Andrew Robertson to the coaching ranks and he had a wonderful impact on the boys' confidence, skills and enthusiasm for the game. Our training nights were well structured and it was wonderful to see the boys' skills and team structure improve so markedly over the season. The A Rugby team match reports were well received each week as a part of the most impressive Hale Rugby Newsletter.

The boys, as well as Mr Robertson and myself, are most grateful for the parent support we received each week, culminating in a wonderfully well attended Rugby Dinner in the Pavilion to conclude our season. Congratulations to all boys and the trophy winners for 2008.

A Team

Captains Trophy Chris
Best and Fairest Chris
Best Team Man Dom

Christopher Lewis Christopher Lewis Dom Emery and

B Team

Duck to Water Best and Fairest

Joshua Tucker Harry Collins

Fraser Murray

Mr M Valentine



ISHAA INTERSCHOOL SWIMMING TEAM

Back Row: A Woolfe, L Law, J Jovanoski, J Tucker, J Kelly, J Carter, C Fotios, J Rolston Second Row: C Delves, T Ryall, E Sylvester, O Kaiser, N Egan, T Harris, G Maiden,

M Dunbar, T Bennett

Front Row: A Woolfe, L Law, J Jovanoski, J Tucker, J Kelly, J Carter, C Fotios, J Rolston

Coaches: Mr A Roberton, Mr M Pressley

The JSHAA Interschool Swimming Carnival was a great event that saw the boys performing well in each of their respective events. During the morning every boy had to swim at least two 50 metre races and many boys swam a lot more. Two individual records were broken on the day by Tully Bennett in the open 200 metre freestyle race and the open 100 metre medley. In the inter house relays, six records were broken!

The overall house champion was Rosier and the overall champion in each age group was:

Year 4 Champion Christopher Fotios Year 5 Champion Gregory Maiden Year 6 Champion Samuel Matthews Year 7 Champion Tully Bennett

Some fifty-five boys signed up and took to the courts during the first term's Summer Tennis season. Week after week they honed their basic skills either as part of a small group working on the techniques of hitting and serving with specialist assistants, or by enthusiastically challenging each other with games of volleys and returns to make their way up the Challenge Ladder. Thursday interschool matches were played with determination and maximum effort. While overall scores were seldom on Hale's side. improvement in skill and great sportsmanship were obvious. The Interhouse tournament was keenly contested but Rosier came out champions. On Thursday 10 April Ethan Sylvester, James Hendry, Daniel Lim, Nathan Woolfe and Sebastian Gay represented the school at the Summer Lightning Carnival at Challenge Stadium. Being good all-rounders with the ability to play consistent tennis, the boys won the majority of their games and must be congratulated for their outstanding sportsmanship. Overall it was a very successful term of Tennis. Congratulations to all of the boys who took up the challenge to deliver the aces - you did it well! Ethan Sylvester in Year 6 won the Tennis Prize, which should stand the 2009 team in good stead.



JUNIOR SCHOOL TENNIS TEAM

Second Row:

Back Row: G Denemark, C Mortlock, S Gay, E Kambouris, C Allen, N Shaw,

A Popov, A Kambouris

Third Row: Ms L Claydon, J Hindle, D Lim, K Lee-Jones, E Sylvester, A Kapoor,

J Hendry, L Barham, K Wong, A Bills, N Woolfe, C Augustson, Mrs M Swain A Woolfe, N Tran, R Zhang, R Cook, K Lim, S Papathanasassiou, J Tate,

D Tredget, R Lekias, H Brown, C Crofts, B Courtney, A Pramoko,

M Ashforth, L Law

Front Row: W Huxtable, K Hawkins, V Kaushik, W Paterson, A Stanisis, J Barbuzza,

F Fong, L MacLean, B Sondergaard, L MacDonald, M Procter, J Gismondi









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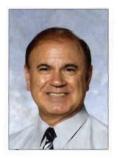
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ALEX PANARESE



Alex Panarese had his start at Hale as an indirect result of his interest in tennis. During 1980, while he was lecturing at the Churchlands School of Business Studies, Alex decided to drop in and watch some of a state tennis

tournament being staged at the nearby Hale School. So impressed was he with the appearance of the grounds and buildings, that, when he saw an advertisement in the paper a week later for an accounting teacher at Hale, he decided to apply for the job. The rest, as they say, is history. Alex started at Hale in 1981 and very quickly made his mark in the School as someone who would offer a great deal. In 1982, he was appointed as the first Head of the new Accounting Department at Hale and his record and reputation as a leader in accounting education in Western Australia developed from there.

Computing in schools in WA was just starting in the early 80s and so, when the decision was made at Hale to move into this new field. Alex, who had some background in this area, was called upon to do the necessary research to implement computing at Hale. He travelled to the eastern states, visited schools where computing had started and, in the very efficient and professional way that has typified all that he has done at Hale, he made the recommendations that put Hale's future in computing education in place. During this time, Alex also coached the 1st VIII tennis (winning three Corr Cups) and the 2nd XVIII football team. Alex himself was very accomplished in both these sports and the boys in his teams benefited much from not only his expertise but also the standards of sportsmanship upon which he always insisted.

At the end of 1987, Alex decided to take up a tempting offer to use his skills in the world of business outside Hale and education but, while this was quite a lucrative exercise, Alex didn't find it greatly enjoyable. At Hale at the time, a Foundation had been set up to raise money to support the School and Alex was appointed as Executive Officer of this Foundation, a position he has held ever since. He also had the role of Development Officer with a responsibility for enrolments and upgrading the organisation of this area. The number of potential parents Alex showed around the School in the years that followed was enormous and many a boy was enrolled at Hale because of the passionate and superbly informative tour that his parents had with Alex. Shortly afterwards, he became the School Registrar and then, in 1997, Director of Development at Hale, a position he held until 2004. In 2002, Alex won the Australia-wide Trevor Wigney Award for his work with ADAPE (Association of Development and Alumni Professionals in Education).

Alex has made significant contributions to Hale School in many and varied ways but his colleagues will possibly remember him most for his endless capacity to help, advise and mentor and this is always done with enthusiasm and interest.

Mr R Gray

MIKE GILES



Mike Giles, Director of Teaching and Learning and a member of the School's executive, leaves at the end of 2008 to take up his new appointment as Deputy Head of School at Great Southern Grammar

School, Albany. Mike's contribution to Hale School has been very substantial since he joined the staff as a teacher of Chemistry in 1990. In 2000 Mike became Director of Technology at Hale before becoming Director of Teaching and Learning in 2003. Mike has been the School's leader in the implementation of technology in the classroom and in the applications of technology to many aspects of school management. His creative thinking, his deep understanding of the issues facing schools today, his good humour and his enthusiasm for the 'big picture' have been the signature characteristics of Mike Giles in his nineteen years at Hale.

Mike drove the implementation of the Years 7 to 9 notebook computer programme which is now such a distinctive feature of Hale School's curriculum. He was also responsible for establishing the School Management System, Synergetic. All teaching and administrative staff are hugely dependent on its reliability, which is assured by Mike's constant attention to it.

Mike's co-curricular involvement has been unflagging for 19 years. He has been Master-in-Charge of basketball and coached the Basketball 1st team for 7 years. His teams won the Blackwood Cup twice. On countless Wednesday afternoons Mike has umpired

football in the House Sport competition.

Mike's involvement in the Exmouth programme and Service Learning has also been greatly valued by colleagues and students. In summary, Mike Giles has left a broad legacy of achievement at Hale School which will benefit the staff and students for many years to come.

"Where to from here?" is often Mike's question as a discussion ends. For Mike Giles, this represents his always openminded forward looking perspective.

The School congratulates Mike Giles on his appointment to Great Southern Grammar School and we wish him well.

Mr D Bean

JANE MCKENZIE



Jane McKenzle joined the English Department in 2002 and after seven years of outstanding service to Hale School has resigned to take up a full -time position at St Mary's Anglican Girls' School.

At Hale School, Jane's role was part-time but her commitment to her students was unlimited. Jane's caring and compassionate nature was the ideal complement to her deep professional knowledge and her many years of experience as an English teacher, as hundreds of her grateful students can attest.

In the classroom, Jane was always concerned that her students should establish a very clear understanding of the basic concepts in whatever English course, at whatever year level that she was teaching. The patience and thoroughness with which she pursued this goal was appreciated by her students and admired by her colleagues. Jane was the consummate all-rounder within the English Department, teaching all the Department's courses with equal facility from Years 8 to 12. She also taught English Literature and the Curriculum Council's new English courses, in whose development she was a pioneer at Hale School.

Jane took on an additional role in the School's Curriculum Support area over the last four years, working with individual students or small groups in remedial literacy programmes. Her contribution in this area was invaluable.

Jane's values of high standards, courtesy and

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mutual respect between student and teacher were greatly respected within the English department and the wider Hale School community. We wish her well in her new role at St Mary's.

Mr D Bean

MARGARET DENHAM



Margaret Denham joined Hale School in 1991 and in her 17 years at the school she taught Mathematics in the Senior School. Her contribution to the Mathematics education of boys in the initial years included working

with the most able students to enhance their prosepects in Year 12.

She was also involved in Hale Rowing, always pleased to make the early morning training sessions and capture photographs of the rowers in action. She is well-travelled and she always brought her 'world view' to her teaching. We wish Margaret well in her retirement.

Mr M Vaswani

CHRIS RUTTER

Chris Rutter's time as the School's outstanding Head of Drama was a period of great energy and variety. Chris wanted and achieved the mass participation of students, from Year 8 - 11 especially, in his large scale productions. He presented three years a year for the ten years from 1994. His superb 'Little Shop of Horrors' and 'Jabberwocky', a futuristic version of Shakespeare's 'The Tempest' and the musical 'Captain Stirrick' were all memorable highlights. He also introduced the School to the tradition of the Term 1 Shakespeare production and collaborated with the visiting English theatre director Michael Charlesworth for seven years to present, amongst other plays, 'Hamlet', 'Twelfth Night', and outdoor productions of 'The Taming of the Shrew', and 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'.

Chris joined the School's English Department in 1990, before the existence of a formal department of Drama. He was appointed as the School's first specialist Head of Drama in 1993. His energy was seemingly inexhaustible. As well as directing major dramatic productions, he founded the Magic, Mime, Theatre and Circus Clubs and ran them all with a mischievous enthusiasm

to the delight of countless Hale boys. He expanded the classroom drama programme throughout the 1990's and prepared the way for the new TEE Drama subject, but realising the different commitment that TEE Drama would require he encouraged the appointment of Marissa Atzemis to teach that new course. After the John Inverarity Music and Drama Centre was opened Chris became its first Theatre Manager, in 2001. In this position he worked in all the roles required from technician, booking officer, front-of-house and administrator. He was the first in and the last to leave night after night and also continued in this period to produce plays and teach in the Junior School. In his final two years at Hale Chris worked part-time, as a theatre technician and 'wise counsellor' in drama, dividing his time between Hale School and his orchard near Balingup.

Chris retired at the end of Semester 1 2008, having worked tirelessly for the School for nearly two decades.

Mr D Bean

ROB WATT



Rob Watt joined Hale School at the beginning of 2001 on a temporary part-time basis, which quickly turned into a full-time appointment and then a permanent full-time appointment in 2002. Rob has taught

8 to 12 English with enthusiasm and success and for a number of years was a lynch-pin in teaching the Year 12 Senior English students. Rob has always been concerned to keep his course content relevant and contemporary. He is able to engage his students with this focus, and he develops excellent working relationships with his classes. Rob's teaching is also characterised by his efficiency, and by the relevant and useful materials he provided for his students.

Rob's well developed computing skills are always put to good use in the classroom and in the organisation of his spreadsheets and assessment materials. Rob has always been a great source of help and support in this area in the department.

In the middle of this year Rob was approached to join a team working in event organisation. Rob's interest in music and the arts came together in this exciting offer, but it took him a great deal of soul-searching to

decide to give up his career in teaching and, especially, his job at Hale School.

Rob Watt is an individual and his deadpan sense of humour defined his interactions with colleagues and students and kept us all on our toes! His intelligent quirkiness will be missed. Rob will continue to have a link with Hale School through his wife, Jo Fordham, who teaches mathematics at Hale School, and we wish him all the best for his new career and thank him for his contributions in English teaching, rugby, water polo and surfing coaching during his seven years at Hale School.

Ms P Leiper

ROBIN SHAW



Robin Shaw has spent 18 years at Hale teaching Maths, coaching chess teams, preparing able students for Maths competitions and Olympiads and running after school Maths extension activities.

His extensive experience as an educator has been most appreciated by the Mathematics department. Robin left Hale in Term 3 this year with our best wishes for the future.

CAPTAIN OF SCHOOL



TAYLOR SMITH

Good afternoon boys, teachers, parents, distinguished guests and the year 12 students of 2008.

Today I will be retelling my experiences as a Hale boy and what it has meant to me over these past years.

My time at Hale started back in the month of January in 2004. Harry Jockel and I were the only two year 8's at the pre-season swimming camp and I had no idea who to talk to or what to do.

My brother found it quite amusing that I was so nervous and I don't think I even spoke until I was asked if I wanted to play table tennis by the vice captain of school Michael Cowley. Luckily Mr Lowe wasn't overly late to the Old Loton boarding house and saved me from some serious embarrassment.

Although I didn't really have any friends or know anyone there, Mr Lowe was quick to encourage and he was my first real connection to Hale school. It was he along with the senior boys, who made me feel welcome at Hale, and I came back to Brine House later that year eager to get started.

There is a problem coming down to the city from a small town and not knowing what to expect. I hadn't even thought about the academic side to Hale when I first arrived, until Mr McKenie said that we would be getting our timetable early the next day. That night I didn't sleep, I just lay there in dorm four asking myself, "what happens if I'm too dumb? Do they send me home?"

It was a nerve racking first day for me but Mr Weston was a dream come true as my Pastoral Care Leader. Once again I was supported and encouraged by him, and Year 8 took off.

The best memories in Year 8 were Mr O'Connell and the Year 8 football team. Also the Belt Up side, even though I was terrified of Mr Hopkins, mainly due to the copious amounts of saliva expelled during one of his famous sprays. The battle for the back spot has never been so hotly contested.

Mr Lindegaard and the year 8 tennis team. He was the first boarding master that I really connected with and I loved his witty comments that always made at least him laugh.

Mr Watt and my English lessons were always a laugh, due to his complete inability to take anything seriously, and his knack of simplifying what I thought was an impossible subject.

My strong connection with the boarding boys and the House sports competition is one of the true highlights of each of my years.

It wasn't all smooth sailing for us as we entered the senior years. There was the famous Jackadder incident that put a real dampener on the year, and yet I think that it showed the character of many of the boys as they got back into the mix and didn't let it deter them from achieving what they wanted at Hale school.

Hale school has gone above and beyond in many areas and the diversity and expertise is really second to none. In year 12 alone we may have the next Andre Rieu in Alex Vickery, Rhodri Simmonds playing Volleyball for Australia, Daryl Mitchell with his cricket, Rugby and Innovative contract, Dorro and his surfing, Win Win and his mobsters, Lee Chapman, Amrit and Paul Nunn with their go-carting, Nils Stuben has golf and fashion, David Marshall and his amazing artworks as well as our indigenous leaders like Marcus and Keifer.

Yasuhito with his pace, Shipway and his Baseball, Lincoln Meeking and his new sponsor Nutella, the list goes on and on. We have so many opportunities here and I can't impress strongly enough on the boys still here to get out there and get involved.

I know that there will probably never be another opportunity for me to play percussion in an organised band anymore, which is why I have no regrets about giving up Tuesday nights for five years. I doubt I will ever sing in front of a crowd again, which is why I'm so glad I was able to do it here at Hale.

I hear a lot from people that they don't have enough time to do co-curricular activities because it interrupts their studies. Well it's actually people that have other activities, besides studies, that do better academically. So don't be slack, don't be content with an 8:30 to 3:30 day, get involved and get something else from Hale than just an education. Your parents are paying enough for it, or so mine keep telling me anyway.

I'd now like to talk about my final year at Hale. It's an experience that we won't forget, I'm sure. Football tour and peepers was my highlight, along with the music tour. We started work from day one and it hasn't let up.

We have seen Faulkner win back the Cock House Cup, Havelock win the Arts Cup and Wilson maintain its dominance in Football. Jeremy Wood and Jobsy's speeches in the boarding house were always a laugh.

These rich moments are a testament to the relationships developed between teacher and student at Hale. I personally like arguing and so Walshy, Clarkson, Barron, Youngy and Wallman are the staff I get along with best. With such a large school compared to Goomalling I didn't think that teachers would even know my name when I first arrived, so it has been a great experience to have such personal relationships with so many staff. I feel this is very unique to Hale School.

Yesterday I was filled with happiness, regret, nerves, a sense of loss and I was also covered in water throughout the break times in the day. I can't believe that I'm leaving my home, my mates' house, my school, my friends, after 5 years of my life. I'm going to miss the Year 12 group, along with the many boys that are remaining here after today.

If I could say one thing to the boys remaining, it would be to make the most of the time you have and not to wait until things fall into your lap. You have to be proactive and work hard to achieve what you want to achieve. Don't take the things you have here for granted because by the time you are in Year 12, it begins to sink in how good we have it here.

Finally, to the Year 12s: we are finally here, this is what we were dreaming about since back in Year 8. I don't think that I could have shared my time here with a better bunch of blokes, and I'm looking forward to meeting up with you guys in the near future, to trade our Hale School memories over a cold one.

Cheers Boys.

Speech Day address by Taylor Smith School Captain 2008

PREFECTS



PREFECTS 2008

Back Row: Michael Pollastri, Marcus Bin Omar, Niall Virgo, Tom Bartlett, Rhodri Simmonds, Callum Murdoch, Byron Jameson,

Christopher de Beer

Middle Row: Mr R Goater, Alexander Krzus, Lincoln Meeking, Ben Mills, Tristan Ashford, Alexis Hall, Nicholas Jones,

Alexander Vickery, Mr D Bean

Front Row: Peter Vrankovich, Patrick Whitfield, Harris Ntoumenopoulos, Taylor Smith, Mr S Meade, Binu Jayawardena, Luke Owen,

Simon Joseph, Toby Dawson



ACADEMIC PRIZES

ACCOUNTING PRIZE

Byron Jameson

APPLIED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY 3A/3B PRIZE

Michael Ridley

APPLIED TECHNOLOGY PRIZE

Scott Young

ART PRIZE

Jaxsun Plumley

ART AND DESIGN PRIZE

Matthew Griffiths

THE JB NEWBERY BIOLOGY

PRIZE

Harrison Tockel

DISCRETE MATHEMATICS PRIZE

Raphael Abadi Ghadim and Craig Stevens

ENGLISH 3A/3B PRIZE

Oliver Nivbrant

THE AC MARSHALL MEMORIAL

FRENCH PRIZE Evan Baars

THE HALE LODGE GEOGRAPHY **PRIZE**

Alexis Hall

THE HUGH GUTHRIE HISTORY

PRIZE Nihar Jha

IAPANESE PRIZE

Ben King

MODELLING WITH MATHEMATICS PRIZE

Cory Hurley

MUSIC PRIZE

Jeremy Huynh

PHYSICAL EDUCATION STUDIES

PRIZE

Taylor Smith

POLITICAL AND LEGAL

STUDIES PRIZE

Jarrad Nebel

SENIOR SCIENCE PRIZE

Keifer Yu

SMALL BUSINESS MANAGEMENT PRIZE

Stephen Sherring

THE WESTSCHEME PRIZE FOR **EXCELLENCE IN VOCATIONAL**

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Gareth Begg

THE MICHAEL BEECH PHYSICS

PRIZE

Cameron Fitzgerald and Simon Joseph

HUMAN BIOLOGY PRIZE

Simon Joseph

THE CAREER AND ENTERPRISE

2A/2B PRIZE

Aidan Price

ENGLISH 2A/2B PRIZE

Aidan Price

ANCIENT HISTORY PRIZE

Jonathon Holborn

DRAMA STUDIES PRIZE

Ionathon Holborn

THE ADDENBROOKE LITERATURE PRIZE

Ionathon Holborn

ENGINEERING STUDIES 3A/3B

PRIZE

Bennett Lovelady and Michael Liu

CHEMISTRY PRIZE

Michael Liu

THE EDNIE-BROWNE

CALCULUS PRIZE

Michael Liu

APPLICABLE MATHEMATICS

PRIZE

Michael Liu

THE GWYNNE HARRIS

MEMORIAL ECONOMICS PRIZE

Binu Jayawardena

DUX OF SCHOOL (OLD

HALEIANS' PRIZE)

Binu Jayawardena

THE EDWARD BURGOYNE PRIZE FOR LEADERSHIP

Thomas Bartlett

THE GUY WARD MEMORIAL

PRIZE FOR BOARDING HOUSE LEADERSHIP

Luke Owen

DR KG TREGONNING PRIZE

Binu Jayawardena

THE AUBREY HARDWICKE

PRIZE FOR CAPTAIN OF SCHOOL

Taylor Smith

ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE PRIZES

Year 8

Daniel Bell

Steven Bilessuris

Max Davidson

Bradley Davis

Clancy Dawson

Dylan Gilbey Jaryl Goh

Emrik Graff

Harry Hales

Nathan Hayward

Andrew Huxtable

Ayush Kapoor

Andrew Kelly Andrew Lawrenson

Shaun Lee

Quinn Lee-Jones

Leighton Lilford

Sebastian Maingard

Thomas Meade

Brodie Olma Kane Parker

Alexander Pirone James Pirone

Lloyd Prout Charles Schumacher

Ross Sciarrone

Thivek Vijayakumar Charles Viska

Alan Wang William Wong

Year 9

Robin Chab Brian Cheung

Brandon Doney Frederick Effendi

Kingsley Frearson Tommaso Guaita

Riley Herbert-Taylor Ryan Huynh Benjamin Joseph

Jeremy Lane Daniel Marshall William McKelvie

Rohan Mehra Clark Mei Liam O'Shea

Alister Sandover Ashay Shah

Evan Taylor Adam Tynas

Year 10 Applied

Information Technology Prize Reagan Leung

Chemistry Prize Tavis Bennett-Menezes

Commerce Prize Kevin Bush

Callan Adler Drama Prize Harrison Nayler

Creative Arts Prize

Engineering Studies Jeremy Tan

Environmental Science Prize Evan Leonard

Geography Prize Joel Emery

Japanese Prize Paul Keong

Materials Technology Prize

David Cashmore Mathematics Prize

James Abbott Music Prize Gabriel Fatin

Art Prize Drew Thornton

Biology Prize Drew Thornton French Prize Daniel Chu

Physics Prize Daniel Chu

English Prize Shane Chandra

History Prize

Shane Chandra Introduction to Philosophy Prize Shane Chandra

ACADEMIC PRIZES

YEAR 11 ACADEMIC PRIZES

Year 11 Accounting Prize Riley Pearce

Year 11 Ancient History Prize Arjun Kaushik

Year 11 Applied Information Technology 2A/2B Prize Jonathan Oldham

Year 11 Art Prize George Cunningham

Year 11 Art & Design Prize Benjamin Caley

Year 11 Biology Prize Daheng Xia

Year 11 Chemistry Prize Jordan Aitken

Year 11 Drama 2A/2B Prize Giles Kenny

Year 11 Engineering Studies 2A/2B Prize Sean Kelley

Year 11 English 1C/1D Prize Justin Lam Year 11 English as an Additional Language 2A/2B Prize

Yan Huang

Year 11 Foundations of Mathematics Prize Tristan Sawyer

Year 11 French Prize

Year 11 Human Biology Prize Shrey Sharma

Year 11 Japanese Prize Jay Therry-Lim

Year 11 Management & Marketing Prize Nathaniel Gardiner

Year 11 Materials, Design & Technology 2A/2B Prize Alexander Newman

Year 11 Mathematics in Practice Prize
Reece Baker

Year 11 Music Prize Ronan Chapple

Year 11 Physical Education 1A/1B Prize Lachlan Burges

Year 11 Physical Education 2A/2B Prize Samuel McEntee

Year 11 Senior Science Prize Joshua Humphries

Year 11 English Literature Prize Nicholas Bean and Andrew Burton

Year 11 Philosophy & Ethics 2A/2B Prize Andrew Burton

Year 11 History Prize Alexander Ninkov

Year 11 Political & Legal Studies Prize Alexander Ninkov

Year 11 Geography Prize Aditya Eranki

Year 11 Geometry & Trigonometry Prize Aditya Eranki

Year 11 Economics Prize Joshua Reed

Year 11 Physics Prize Joshua Reed and Jackson Farrell

Year 11 English 2A/2B Prize Jackson Farrell

Year 11 Introductory Calculus Prize Jackson Farrell

SPECIAL PRIZES

Cygnet Poetry Award (Middle)

Preston Sudlow

Cygnet Prose Award (Middle)

William McKelvie

Cygnet Art Award (Lower)

Emerson Lamond

Cygnet Art Award (Middle)

James Levien

Cygnet Prize

Liam Bennett-Menezes

Gladstones' Piano Cup

Kai Wen Sun and Jarad Yap

Harvey Brass Cup

Nishant Anandan

Clarke Choral Cup

George Ashforth

Hale Percussion Shield

Christian Beecroft-Stewart

Hale Guitar Cup

Jameson Feakes

Barlow Ensemble Shield

Lawrence Lee and Joseph Havlat

Hale Woodwind Cup

Lincoln Vickery

Garland Music Prize Alexander Vickery Hale String Shield

Alexander Vickery

The Mainpeak Outdoor Education Prize

James Harvey

Drama - Technical Theatre Prize

Adam Wilkinson

Drama Prize

Taran Dunn

The Art Committee Year 12 Scholarship

Taran Dunn

The Sam Ellies Award

Thomas Taylor

The Jenny Henson Boarding Scholarship

Michael Salmon

The Headmaster's Prize for Character and

Leadership - Year 8

Andrew Kelly

The Headmaster's Prize for Character and

Leadership - Year 9 Adam Birman

The Headmaster's Prize for Character and

Leadership - Year 10Kevin Bush

John Vetter Memorial Prize (Application by

a Year 11 Student)

Alexander Ninkov

Cygnet Poetry Award (Senior)

Binu Jayawardena

Cygnet Prose Award (Senior)

Michael Heyns

Cygnet Art Award (Senior)

David Marshall

The Leon Pericles Art Prize

Jack Taylor

The Art Committee Year 12 Art Prize

Michael Ridley

The Public Speaking Prize

Blair Hurley

The Brian Goldsmith Debating Prize

Nihar Jha

Geoffrey Raphael Memorial Prize for Chess

Kunal Grover

Choir Prize (Outstanding Contribution)

Lucien Fischer

Concert Band Prize (Outstanding

Contribution) Lee Fitzmaurice

Jazz Prize (Outstanding Contribution)
Andrew Ball and Jonathon Holborn

Drama Honours

Jonathon Holborn

Orchestra Prize (Outstanding Contribution)
Alexander Vickery

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Music Honours

Alexander Vickery







YEAR 12

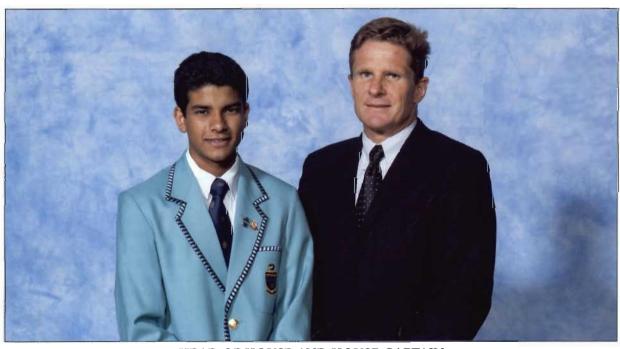
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Nelson Jeffrey, Kirk Gilleran, Timothy Brannan, Blake Whitham, David Dawbin, Lloyd Le Cornu Grant Moriarty, James Berryman, Alexander Anstie, Alexander Tate, Peter Campbell, Oliver Nivbrant, Dmitry Ivanov, Middle Row:

Mr S McFarland

Deven Patel, Jaxsun Plumley, Max Sadka, Simon Joseph, Robert Feakes, TJ Hoon, Joshua Chong Front Row:

Jonathon Holborn Absent:



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAIN L to R: Simon Joseph and Mr S McFarland



YEAR 11

Back Row: Paul Oliver, Ryan Warburton, Chris Burch, James Weir,

Matthew Adams, Mitchell Rosher

Middle Row: Daniel Beeck, Lewis Wood, Jonathan Bathe, Jackson Merrey,

Luke Huxtable, Patrick Burke, Andrew Scannell

Front Row: Shrey Sharma, Simon Dopp, Samuel Howieson, Nicholas Lucchesi,

Justin Blades, Ben Pike

Absent: Sean Cooper



YEAR 10

Back Row: Brandon Hayward, Matthew McDonald, Stuart Berryman,

Simon Sawyer, Christopher Davies, Jesse Willison Thomas Thai, Ross Palframan, Drew Thornton, Sam Winter,

Middle Row:

Anthony McCorkill, Callum Lawson, Paul Newnan

Front Row: Dilan Patel, Chris Russell, Christopher Hoon, Jameson Feakes,

Emerson Lamond, Palle Mazzulla, Scott Embry

This year kicked off when we farewelled our previous and long standing head of Buntine Mr. Tredget to Wilson House and welcomed the experienced Mr McFarland as our new House Master. Mr McFarland hit the ground running and met with the house leadership team before the year began, to plan the program for 2008. At the end of Term 1 our Assistant Head of House Mr Steenekamp also farewelled us, making room for Mr Barugh, a previous Captain of Buntine.

The highlight of the calendar was the swimming carnival where we noticeably improved from last year to finish fourth place overall. After surprising many and holding 2nd position for most of the event, it was up to the Year 12 freestyle relay team to attempt to do what has never been done by our House since Year 8, and secure a top 3 placing. Unfortunately it was not to be. However, 2009 promises to be an even stronger year for Buntine after our Years 8, 9 and 11 all finished in second place from their respective year groups. Many thanks must go to the boys for their commitment and participation, and to TJ Hoon for his organisation and additional help making sure the events ran smoothly.

Summer sport saw us finish in 7th place overall. The highlight of the summer sport season was the junior volleyball team, who finished 2nd after their tight playoff for first spot. Our cricket team also improved remarkably as they managed to finish in 6th place (following our last place finish in 2007), losing some games narrowly. Tennis also finished strongly as we secured 6th spot after some competitive wins.

May arrived, and with it some rain and winter sport. We maintained our solid football and soccer positions with 2nd place in both junior football and senior soccer. After some hard fought wins we unfortunately fell short at the final hurdle. Our Badminton side provided another highlight as the team held firm, finishing in 3rd place overall. Again, all boys gave of their best and in the cross country we were commended for the number of runners on the day.

Athletics completed our sporting season for 2008, and although we finished in 7th place, our young talent is sure to produce higher finishes in years to come. There were noticeable performances in the junior years, showing the depth and talent in the house. An honourable mention must go to the Year 12 group who exceeded all expectations to finish in 9th place! This was possibly the cohort's highest finish in 5 years at Hale School.

Our first non sporting event was our senior theatre sports performance, which was the highlight of all the Arts activities. Here we finished in 1st place. Debating soon followed and after winning the first four rounds, the wheels came off and we slumped to mid table. Once again the House charity event was held at the Music and Drama Centre and organised by the House prefects. This night proved to be successful as the house raised over \$800 for the Unicamp for Kids charity. This night gave us opportunity for the House to exhibit its talent through its choir and soloists, and also to practice before the performance for the Arts Cup. Unfortunately, on that day, we didn't meet our own expectations, finishing in 6th place, but this was by no means a poor finish.

The prefects, especially Jonathon Holborn, who was the main organiser of the event, should be thanked for their efforts for the Arts Cup and Charity Event. We completed the year with the Buntine Sundowner early in Term 4. This event was well organized by the Year 11 cohort. We also bade farewell to the Year 12s prior to them sitting their final examinations.

These events ended what was an involved year for Buntine House. On behalf of the Year 12s and the House I would like to thank Mr McFarland and Mr Barugh for leading Buntine this year, as well as Grant Moriaty, Lloyd le Cornu, Jaxson Plumley, Max Sadka and Jonathon Holborn, our prefect team who ensured the year ran very smoothly.

I'd like to wish all the boys the best of luck for the future, particularly the Year 12s as they leave what has been like a second home to them for 5 years. I am proud to have belonged to this group of boys who have shown immeasurable enthusiasm and eagerness to succeed, and I am sure these traits will continue in Buntine's future years.

Simon Joseph Buntine House Captain



YEAR 9
Back Row:

Nicholas Mozley, Riley Tonkin, Isaac Tyson, Adam Birman, Gary Zhang,

Henry Giles

Middle Row: Keshav Nair, James Whitby, Andree ter Kuile, Mr TJ Steenekamp,

Zac Montague, James Allpike, Ridge Shrubsall

Front Row: Jeremy Lane, Drew Murphy, Alistair Jardine, Scott Howieson,

Benjamin Joseph, Ian Damant, Robert Gillam









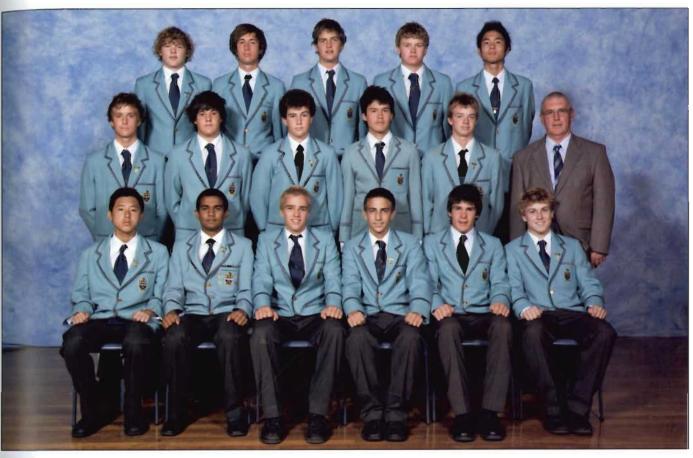








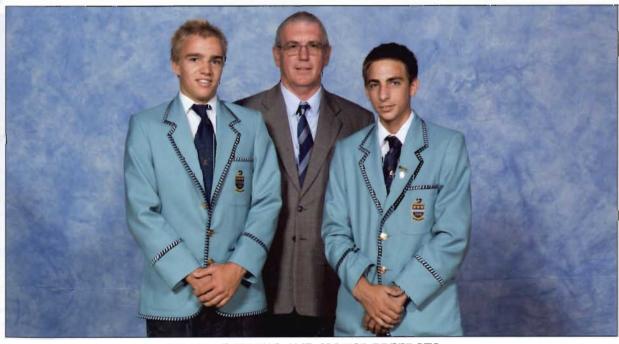
F A U L K N E R



YEAR 12

Back Row:

Matt Camerer, Alexander Roberts, Myles Mead, Jeremy Wood, Joash Ng Cory Hurley, Sam Dawson, David MacLeod, Justin Lingard, Damon Smith, Mr R Tongue Melvin Poh, Sudharrshan Nair, Paul Broad, Peter Vrankovich, Jamie Gray, Davis Counsel Middle Row: Front Row:



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS L to R: Paul Broad, Mr R Tongue and Peter Vrankovich



YEAR 11

Back Row: Declan Bishop, Ben Boekeman, Nic Camerer, Nathan Benjamin,

Tristan Sawyer, Ben Giles, Kayne Campbell

Middle Row: Paddy Barber, Nathan Crosby, Richard Wills, Khaliq Shahril,

Nicholas Bremner, Josh Humphries, Henry Brockman, Mr R Tongue

Front Row: Luke Vrankovich, Scott Dempster, Josh Ovens, Trent Rivers,

Corey Dodgson, Christian Corbett

Absent: Brent Evans, Daniel Fowler



YEAR 10

Back Row: Harry Rick, James Rivers, Lachlan Jones, Jaxon Ashley, Mitchell Clarke,

Nathan Vernon

Middle Row: Will Brown, Ben Briers, Declan Hewton, Sheldon Smith, Sam Turner,

Rhys Bedford, Declan Wood

Front Row: Matthew Stickland, Dean Hislop, Charles Le Fanu, Mr Brenton Hantke,

Morgan Read, David Cashmore, Keegan Meers

Absent: Neeraj Ruhil

The 150th anniversary of Hale School will be remembered long and favourably by the boys of Faulkner House. There were many opportunities for the boys to be involved in the celebrations and they delighted in them. Most memorable were the times when two and sometimes three generations came together to celebrate their time at Hale School.

The senior year formed into a very solid group of boys who really did have the welfare of the House at heart. They were very generous with their time and were genuine role models for the younger boys. A number of the seniors stepped up to be fine leaders in the group. Of particular note were Peter Vrankovich, Paul Broad, Sudharrshan Nair, Sam Dawson and Jeremy Wood.

The House has continued to support the Australian Red Cross, and this year we have given over 300 hours of service to the Soup Patrol. The twins from Dong Nai province in Vietnam continue to do well and the boys were able to support the girls again this year. Duyen and Ngoc are now 15 years old and this is the third year that the boys have worked to support their education. The Year 10 boys used a payment that they had received when assisting at one of the 150th anniversary events to provide Ngoc with a hearing aid. It is hoped that a Faulkner boy will join with Mrs Maskiell in visiting Vietnam and meet with the girls one day.

On the sporting field, 2008 has been a lot of fun. We surprised all the day houses and didn't drown in this year's swimming carnival, finishing a very creditable 9th. This set the scene for the year and the boys surprised themselves with good finishes in most of the sports including a most memorable win in the hockey. At the athletics carnival Faulkner produced a come from behind finish that allowed us to lift the Cock House Cup for the first time since 2003.

In the Champions trophy (Gray Shield) we were behind by 4 points at the start of the final event for the year, the Colonnades. Faulkner were able to win this most prestigious event in boarding, but not by a margin that allowed us to claim the Gray Shield – Well done again to Wilson House.

We gave the Arts Cup everything this year and Jeremy Wood and Sudharrshan Nair are to be complimented on all their effort in putting together the choir and the band. The debating was probably the highlight of the Arts Cup for us, with 25 boys debating for the House during the season.

2008 was a year for some outstanding performances and the House acknowledged several of its own as the year came to a conclusion.

Richard Wills was fully involved in all that we did; numerous plays, debating, volleyball and 1st XV Rugby. He is the worthy recipient of the Mark Dennison award. Cory Hurley was first home for the House in the Cross -Country. Sudharrshan Nair played 1st VI volleyball, was captain of the 1st XI football, was instrumental in organising the inter-House sport and is the Senior Athlete of the year. Joash Ng had a fine year both in the classroom and on the athletics track. Joash was Dux of Faulkner House for 2008. Jeremy Wood had an outstanding year. He captained the 2nd XVIII, opened the batting for the 1st XI cricket and, above all, was an outstanding role model and leader in the House. Jeremy received the Faulkner Award for outstanding achievement in Year 12.

Finally, the boys would like to thank the class of 2008 and wish them all the very best for the future. There were many memorable characters in this group and they will be missed. Sincere thanks to Peter Vrankovich for leading the house throughout the year, and special thanks to Sudharrshan Nair and Joash Ng who provided such wonderful support to the Year 9 boys as their mentors. The Year 12 were a talented group of individuals who collectively made a huge difference to the life of the House. I hope and pray that they will continue to make a difference as they venture off into the future.



YEAR 9

Back Row: Dougal Haslam, Beau Cocking, Nathan Sawyer, Jack Zuvelek,

Seby Robinson-Arrow, Jack Young

Middle Row: Scott Anderson, Lachlan Camerer, Brock Fowler, Mark Longbottom,

Haydn Bradley, Clayton Wood, Mr Brenton Hantke

Front Row: Tom Bigwood, Nat County, Hadi Shahril, Ryan Bothe, Ryan Dennis,

Daniel Mincherton























YEAR 12 Back Row: Middle Row: Front Row:

Patrick Ashforth, Kyle Cannon, Gregory Harrold, Joshua Leslie, Jackson Harvey, Rory Griffin, James Naisbitt Blair Stone, Jordan Koroveshi, Adam Salter, Thomas Gregory, Chris de Beer, Ryan Slevin, Alex Towler, Mr M Bonnin

Neket Shah, Kim Chin, Henry Johnston, Alexander Rovira, Paul Barras, Thomas Lung



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS L to R: Chris de Beer, Mr M Bonnin, Kim Chin and James Naisbitt



YEAR 11

Back Row: Philip Salter, Nicholas Bean, Andrew Wood-Collier, Lachlan Valentine,

James Wu, Jake Andrew, Kian Bordbar

Middle Row: Jesse Deves, Matthew Chapman, Oliver Johnston, Terence Xu, Taran Dunn,

Tristan Jackson, Eric Li, Tayler Wright

Front Row: Matthew Yeoh, Joel Howard, Timothy Young, Aditya Udayana,

Tom Rolley-Good, Alessandro Gismondi



YEAR 10

Back Row: James Abbott, Matthew Whinnen, Lachlan Davey, Lukas Geidans,

Alex Dunbar, George Ashforth, Darren Tan

Middle Row: Joshua Morley, Wibi Udayana, Brandon Pallas, Richard Cain,

Lachlan Chapman, Stephen Locke, Michael Kurniawan, Nicholas Towler

Front Row: Dimitri Mitakos, Scott Barnsley, Jonathan Beh, Mark Lawrenson,

Petros Alexiou, Evan Leonard

Havelock House aimed high in 2008 and, with a few minor exceptions, managed to exceed expectations. Under the watchful guidance of Mr Bonnin, Mr Venables, House Captain Chris de Beer and all the Year 12s, Havelock was able to bring together its vast and diverse talent and achieve outstanding results in all aspects of house competition. Havelock finished a solid equal 6th in the Cock House Cup, not reaching the dizzying heights of 2006 but still remaining very competitive. The highlight of the year was no doubt winning the coveted Arts Cup; the culmination of a lot of hard work by a large number of 'Havelockians'.

The year began brilliantly for Havelock, winning the swimming carnival. Mr Bonnin's masterful tactics and selection policies once again came to the fore in an event we have dominated in recent years. The mighty Kim Chin, Bryan Tan and Justin Gan won their fifth consecutive breastroke relay, combining with Joshua Ho in what was a historic race. With young guns such as Ryan Pallas, Havelock seems set to keep the trophy in the cabinet for a while to come.

Havelock backed up their swimming carnival win with a number of outstanding results in the summer sport season. Cricket was led well by Callum Murdoch and, due to the large number of junior boys in the team, the mid-field finish suggests Havelock will be a force to be reckoned with in the next few years. Tayler Wright and Simon Quenby both contributed consistently with the bat and ball, while Callum Murdoch showcased his talent as a heavy hitting batsman. Tennis, led by Chris McFarlane and bolstered by the return of Tristan Jackson, remained competitive throughout the season without getting the wins on the board. The Junior and Senior Basketball teams both played well without luck, and their perseverance should be acknowledged.

The Scholl Cup is a very important competition due to the number of points up for grabs. Havelock did extremely well, managing second place. The baseball team finished high up the ladder and with the likes of Phil Salter and Jake Andrew leading the team next year, this trend looks set to continue. The junior softballers played very well and finished near the top of their pool also. The Senior Volleyball team, with Chris de Beer in charge, played out of their skins to reach the final, but was just unable to claim the win against a brilliant Tregonning side boasting the finest player to have gone through Hale. Junior Volleyball was also very solid.

During our bye in the House Sport fixtures, Havelock had its annual house chapel service. This year the service was led by Bryan Tan and he used the acronym of 'LOCK' in Havelock as the basis for the service. Chris de Beer spoke openly about his experiences on the Vietnam Tour, while Mr Bonnin sat back and marvelled at the efforts of his Year 12's in what was a great House Chapel service.

After a much deserved holiday, the Havelock boys once again put their bodies on the line for the winter house sport season. The Walla Rugby team did not have the depth of many of the other houses but still managed to produce some very competitive efforts. With the mighty Lachlan Valentine leading the team next year, Havelock may move well up the ladder in 2009. The Havelock Hockey team struggled throughout the season but many junior boys gained invaluable experience; a positive for the years to come. Havelock tied with Parry for the combined Badminton and Squash title. Joshua Ho showcased his immense talent throughout the season while Matt Yeoh will prove to be very hard to beat next year.

The Havelock Football teams played consistently throughout the term with the highlight being the senior team's great battle with Wilson, the eventual winners. They managed to frustrate their much fancied opposition and almost pull off a remarkable win. With the likes of Callum Murdoch, Kurtis McCracken, Chris de Beer and Shaun Markovic gone, Havelock face an uphill battle to move up the ladder in the coming years, but the efforts of the junior boys this year provides some hope.

Havelock dominated house soccer this year, claiming the Vince d'Adamo Cup, and this looks set to continue next year with the talented Year 11 soccer players leading the senior team. Alesandro Gismondi, Eric Li and Matthew Chapman will be the mainstays of the team in 2009. Both the senior and junior teams drew the Grand Final, easily gaining enough points to win the trophy.

The Cross Country is a great barometer for House unity and effort and Havelock's top 5 finish suggests that all boys tried their hardest in what was a demanding event. Darcy O'Brien's commanding victory in the Year 8 race set the tone for the day, with the efforts of Tristan Jackson, 2nd in the Year 11 race, proving to be almost as good.

The athletics day can be a chaotic event to organize and control, and so it proved to be in 2008. Havelock finished a disappointing 9th place, but without the presence of empty lanes, Havelock may well have finished a lot higher. We performed very solidly in the



YEAR 9

Back Row: Morgan Hughes, Brodie Sprlyan, Thomas Maddison, Nathan Stanley,

Chris Morley, Elliot James

Middle Row: Ivan Lee, Lester Lee, Rohan Mehra, Mr P Venables, Khang Do,

Ryan Nicholson, Jack Quenby

Front Row: Jake Metcalfe, Robert Yeoh, Daniel Marshall, Andrew Murdoch,

Callum Mcglashan, Ashay Shah, Adrian Johnson

relays, highlighting the depth in our athletic abilities.

The major highlight of the year was of course the House Arts Cup. Havelock not only managed to equal last years 2nd place, but surpassed it with flying colours, claiming 1st. The competition for the House Arts Cup started off with the Theatre Sports, where the senior team, led by Samuel Nicholson, as well as the junior squad, provided two hilarious evenings, both finishing a very solid equal 2nd place. The debating teams also put in some outstanding performances. Led by the enigmatic and enthusiastic Binu Jayawardena, who helped all those who debated, Havelock debaters achieved an outstanding 4th place, tied with Buntine House.

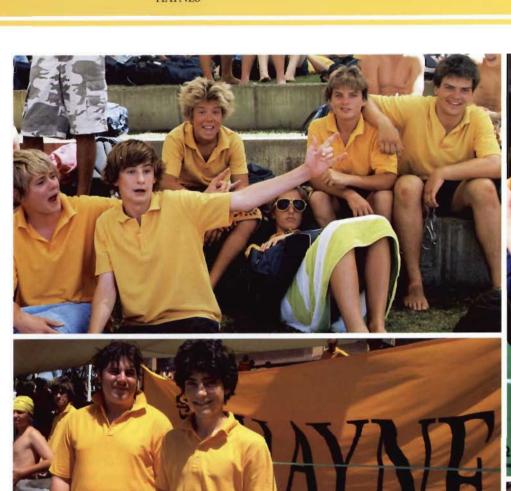
Next on Mr Bonnin's agenda was the Chess. He knew we had a solid team throughout all the years, and utilized all of them to their maximum potential. Led by Nic Bean, the chess squad beat team after team to claim the trophy. Well done boys.

The Arts Cup Day is what won the Cup for Havelock house. Everyone in the house got involved in some way or another, be it in the choir, junior or senior art, or the band. Conducted by the talented Kim Chin, the Havelock choir belted out another fine performance, with a stirring rendition of "Your Song" by Elton John. Against tough choirs such as Riley House, people had their doubts about Havelock taking out the win, but those doubts were soon dismissed as

Havelock took their third 1st place in four years. Other highlights of the day came in the art teams where houses had to construct artworks around the theme of Hale's 150th. The junior team sealed a solid 5th place while the senior team of Michael Ridley, Taran Dunn, and Terence Xu came a mighty 2nd. Michael Ridley, who led these two teams, should be highly commended, as he found his "niche", as Mr Bonnin likes to say, in art, and accomplished the task with perfection.

The House Arts Day contained the last events, but for Junior Theatre Sports, that would count towards the House Arts Cup. The frontrunners were both Havelock and Wilson, who had a very solid year over the board. In the end, Havelock took the House Arts Cup home, winning the cup for the first time in its ten year history. Congratulations to everyone in the house for contributing, in one way or another, towards winning the House Arts Cup for 2008.

Sadly we farewell the year 12s who have served Havelock with pride over 5 years. They have set high standards in their attitude, leadership and participation; standards which all of Havelock should aspire to not only meet, but exceed. We wish them all the very best in the TEE and their future exploits. We thank Chris de Beer, a wonderful house captain, for his initiative and inspiring leadership throughout the year. Finally, we must acknowledge the dedicated Mr Venables and Mr Bonnin, who have worked tirelessly throughout the year.



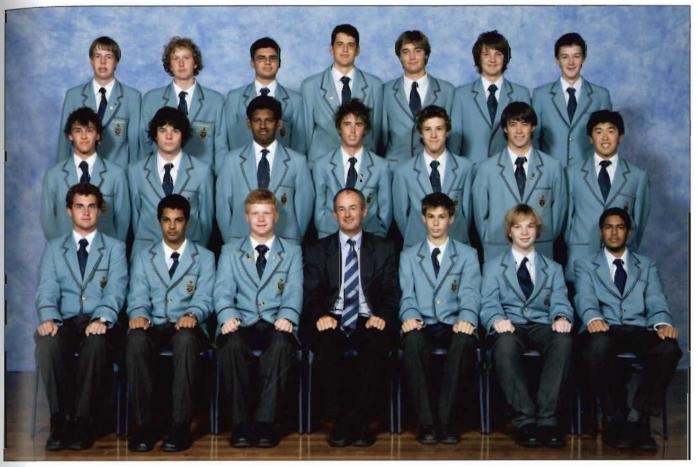












YEAR 12 Back Row: Middle Row: Front Row: Absent:

Cameron Fitzgerald, Harry Jockel, Thomas Culbert, Daniel Archondakis, Christopher Wilson, Dean Gault, Brock Wilson Michael Pirone, Tom Jarratt, Gautamaram Murugiah, Marcel Bridge, Callum Bowden, Patrick Whitfield, Allan Hon Aaron Young, Amrit Kandola, Toby Dawson, Mr C Ashton, Peter White, Jarrad Nebel, Kunal Grover Evan Mumme



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

L to R: Mr C Ashton, Cameron Fitzgerald, Toby Dawson, Daniel Archondakis, Marcel Bridge, Christopher Wilson and Patrick Whitfield



YEAR 11

Front Row:

Back Row: Josh Reed, Liam Freedman, Elliot Mitchell, Leigh Ashby, Benjamin Caley,

Thomas Varcoe, George Gage

Middle Row: Joshua Winterton, Giles Kenny, Nicholas Holgate, Luke Williams,

Sean Kelley, Henry Hui, Michael Melanko, Yunos Mutahar Daheng Xia, Reece Chickonoski, Richard Worrall, Michael Evans,

Sachin Mistry, Sebastian Bath

Absent: Cameron Vacca



YEAR 10

Back Row: Seng Foong Wen, Paddy Anderson Loake, Kevin Bush, Gabriel Fatin,

David Valent, Luke Falconer

Middle Row: Harrison Lowe, Lewis Lowe, Nathan Stowe, Cameron Strickland,

Shane Chandra, Fraser Simcock, Dylan Riddell

Front Row: Alexander Vacca, Kai-Wen Sun, Yousef Abu Shamleh, Matthew Croker,

Daniel Lim, Fraser Klimaitis, Veer Shah

Absent: Alexander Ferrier

Under the guidance of Captain Toby Dawson, supported by a fine set of Prefects in Chris Wilson, Daniel Archondakis, Patrick Whitfield, Marcel Bridge and Cameron Fitzgerald, Haynes found early success in the swimming pool by reclaiming the Backstroke Trophy for the third time in 4 years. Brilliant performances from the Year 9s, as well as Harry Jockel and Patrick Whitfield, paved the way for a fine House swimming carnival for Haynes where, with only a few races to go, we were sitting in third position.

Summer House sport is always an exciting time for the House, with the first real look at the new Year 8s. Haynes started the year well with strong performances in junior basketball, tennis and volleyball. Many thanks must go to Brock Wilson and Daniel Archondakis for their tremendous efforts in coaching the junior team, which improved remarkably during the season. In Cricket and ultimate Frisbee Haynes teams played some exciting games, and were well led by Toby and Harry Jockel. Tennis teams had some great victories also, mainly through the efforts of the Lowe brothers, Josh Winterton, Kai-Wen Sun and Marcel Bridge.

The winter House sport season proved a far more difficult challenge for Haynes. Our junior football team continued to achieve fantastic results, with leading performances from Hayden Scott, Trent Ryan, Jacob Schoonens and Ross Haylett-Petty (who would have scored a hundred goals if he could kick straight).

The senior boys came up against some very strong football teams but the efforts of Dean Gault, Toby Dawson and Evan Mumme were always strong. Our hockey team battled hard and had some good wins through the services of Harry Jockel, Cameron Fitzgerald, Amrit Kandola, Aaron Young and Callum Bowden. Touch Rugby is going through a rebuilding phase after the halcyon days of the past few years. In soccer we saw some great skills on display from Chris Wilson and Jarrad Nebel, as well as from Lloyd Prout and Ethan Reed in the juniors.

The winter season ended with the two running carnivals which saw many highlights for Haynes House. In Cross Country, Haynes House had the highest participation rate of any House in the school, with 93 or our 102 boys competing. This represented 92% of the House and, in a sport in which we have recently struggled, this is a real sign of the character of the boys from Haynes.

Some outstanding individual performances included Lloyd Prout coming 2nd in the Year 8 race, Marcel Bridge coming 4th in Year 12 and Jake Willet and Simon Ogden

coming in 13th and 14th respectively in Year 9. In the House athletics carnival, Haynes' Year 9s showed the way, ending in the top three for their year. Haynes also dominated the shot put events, winning Years 9, 10 and 11 events in division A. Well done to Kevin Bush, Ross Haylett- Petty and Elliot Mitchell.

Haynes boys showed their outstanding talents in the House Arts Cup. Entertaining debates from Daniel, Toby and Aaron, as well as great performances form the younger boys, saw Haynes continue its strong form over the past few years by coming runners up in this competition.

Haynes were also the best performed House in Theatre Sports. Our junior team, consisting of Marcus Jockel, Alex Pirone, Lloyd Prout, Shannon O'connor and James McAuliffe, won their division, with our seniors coming a creditable second. The audience was treated to some great singing from Michael Pirone, well supported by Toby Dawson, Tom Jarratt, Evan Mumme, Josh and Ethan Reed in the band. On top of this, excellent conducting from Allan Hon in front of the choir saw Haynes end up highly placed in the Arts Cup laddet.

Marcel Bridge and Cameron Strickland did a great job on the portrait of Mr Ashton. Thanks also go out to Kunal Grover who helped to lead the House chess team to many successes.

Congratulations must go to Haynes' two School Prefects, Toby Dawson and Michael Whitfield, who represented Haynes at the highest level. Specific mention is also due to Captain Toby Dawson who did a wonderful job in organising the House for its numerous commitments throughout the year - he showed a real commitment to the House in everything he did.

All boys should be proud of their achievements in so many different areas of the School, from academic results through to the numerous clubs, musical and theatrical groups and sporting teams. Haynes was well represented in all areas.

We wish all those departing Haynes next year, including the Year 12s, Mr Vernon and Mr Ashton, all the best in their new adventures.



YEAR 9

Back Row: Stephen Savage, Seng Fu Wen, Ross Haylett-Petty, Mattison Mcgellin,

Joshua Price, Jake Willet

Middle Row: James Mcauliffe, James Prince, Jacob Schoonens, Hayden Scott, Trent Ryan,

Daniel Liang, Jackson Simkovic

Front Row: Shannon O'connor, Ryan Atkinson, Scott Rudd, Mr Daniel Vernon,

Ethan Reed, Simon Ogden, Tayt Mumme



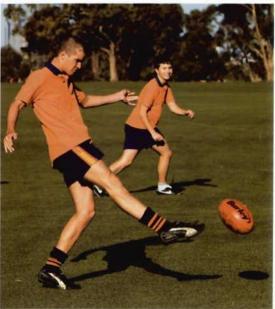












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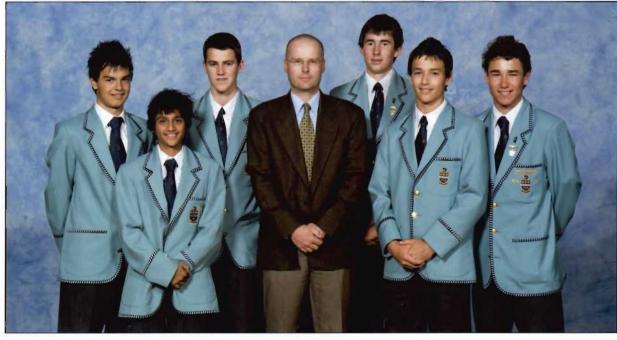
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YEAR 12 Back Row: Middle Row: Front Row:

Nicholas Jones, Mitchell Wansbrough, Matt Griffiths, Joshua McGee, James Leonard, Blair Hurley, Alexis Hall John Hodge, Marcus Giacci, Denis Dwiputra, Adam Olsen, Lindsay Ellis, Nathaniel Cross, Amar Bhuva Siddharth Jain, Alex Tull, Byron Jameson, Mr G Roberts, Tom Bartlett, Vinh-Nghi Ngo, Nishant Anandan



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

L to R: Marcus Giacci, Siddharth Jain, Byron Jameson, Mr G Roberts, Tom Bartlett, Alexis Hall and Nicholas Jones



YEAR 11 Back Row:

Front Row:

Andrew Burton, Tom Jenkins, Jordan Hurley, Liam Bennett-Menezes,

Rowan Ashwin, Jay Therry-Lim, Nathaniel Gardiner

Middle Row: Alex Dilizia, Shaun Marnewick, Renier Blignaut, George Eastwood,

Nathan Levien, David Vindin, James Levien, Chester Gherbaz Shyam Khimasia, Elliott Panos, D'Arcy Ellis, Chris Hearn, Jarryd Gardner,

Daniel Ngo

YEAR 10

Back Row: Timothy Marsh, Tavis Bennett-Menezes, Mike Gorecki, Alexander Lyche,

Jack Reddrop, Matthew Ng

Middle Row: Daniel Curtin, Drew Rohde, Joseph Norrish, Christopher Blignaut,

Harry Tzaikos, Andrew Gorter, Samuel Jameson

Front Row: Angus Watson, Eugene Teo, Callan Adler, Nick Adamek, Elliott Turner,

Vanne Demiris, Edward Butler

Absent: Kittu Varma

2008 was another year of change for Loton after Mr Cecins took over the role of Assistant Head of House. Mr Roberts (Head of House) and Mr Cecins, along with House Captain Byron Jameson, Vice House Captain Tom Bartlett and the House Prefects formed a strong team that would lead Loton to a successful year.

2008 brought a new level of achievement for Loton House, the most exciting result being our third placing in the Interhouse Athletics Carnival. Under the leadership of the year 12s and the House Prefects, our Year 9s finished on top of their group table, with the Year 11s and 12s both finishing third. In the Housemasters Cup for the shuttle relays, only five points prevented Loton from adding to its growing silverware collection. The year 11s narrowly missed winning their race, while the year 9s were first across the line in their relay. The House also organised a barbecue to raise money for their nominated charity - Wheelchairs for Kids. This was a great success, raising a significant amount for this worthy cause.

Summer sport provided the opportunity for some good results across a range of sports. Our best efforts were reflected in tennis and baseball, with both teams finishing top of their pool and playing off in their respective Grand Finals. Unfortunately both teams were defeated, although both should take great heart from their performances. Other notable results included junior softball finishing 3rd, and volleyball and cricket finishing 5th. Loton tied with Faulkner for fourth position overall in the summer sport rankings.

The swimming carnival is an event that Loton has struggled to produce a high finish in, and this year was no exception. Despite all swimmers showing great determination the House finished 8th. Nevertheless, it is encouraging to see the enthusiasm of so many House members for this event.

Winter sports produced some great results this year, with most teams improving on last year's finishing positions. The senior footballers, led strongly by Joshua McGee (Yr 12), improved on last year's 5th position by finishing 3rd. A strong hockey team were defeated by Faulkner in a very close Grand Final, and our squash team suffered the same fate against St Georges. Walla rugby finished up 5th, as did junior soccer.

Cross Country produced a number of fantastic individual results, however these were not enough to improve our overall position of 6th. A strong performer was Mitchell Carey (Year 8). The Year 9s finished 4th overall, while Byron Dillon produced a

great run finishing 3rd, and Robert Ferritto finished 5th. In Year 11, James Levien improved on last year's 8th to complete the 3.3km course 3rd, while Chester Gherbaz finished 8th. The Year 12s finished 3rd overall in a strong group. Nick Jones ran 3rd, a big improvement on last year's 15th, while Adam Olsen finished 8th. Thanks must go to all boys who participated in any sport, helping Loton to gain 5th overall in the Cock House Cup.

House Arts Cup saw significant improvement for Loton with the Choir finishing 6th. Led well by Nishant Anandan, Loton sang "Weather With You" by Crowded House. The best outcome of the day was the stellar performance of the Coldplay track "Viva la Vida". Lead singer Jay Thierry – Lim, along with drummer Shaun Marnewick (in his third year of playing with the band) and brilliant Year 9 pianist Joseph Havlat, worked together to produce a performance worthy of 2nd place. Senior artists were awarded 8th position while the juniors worked well together to earn second place.

Junior and senior debating could not reproduce last year's fantastic result, only managing to tie with Faulkner for 5th position overall. Junior theatre sports managed to grab 4th spot, and the senior team did very well to claim 2nd. All these scores resulted in Loton finishing 7th in the House Arts Cup.

Congratulations must go to the Loton Year 12s for setting a fine example to the younger boys in the House. We all wish the Year 12s the best of luck in their future careers, and thank them for all they have contributed to the House. We also thank Mr Roberts, Mr Cecins, Byron and the House Prefects for encouraging us all to participate in house activities, and the huge effort they put into the continued development of Loton.

If all boys continue the high standards of 2008 then Loton can look forward to a future of great success and achievement.



YEAR 9

Absent:

Back Row: Hayden Hinchcliff, Robert Ferritto, Mitchell Bestry, Cody McKiever,

Jack Webster, Byron Dillon

Middle Row: Luke Burton, Joseph Havlat, Evan McInnes, Mr E Cecins, Shane Tate,

Cameron Tyncherov, Zeren Wang

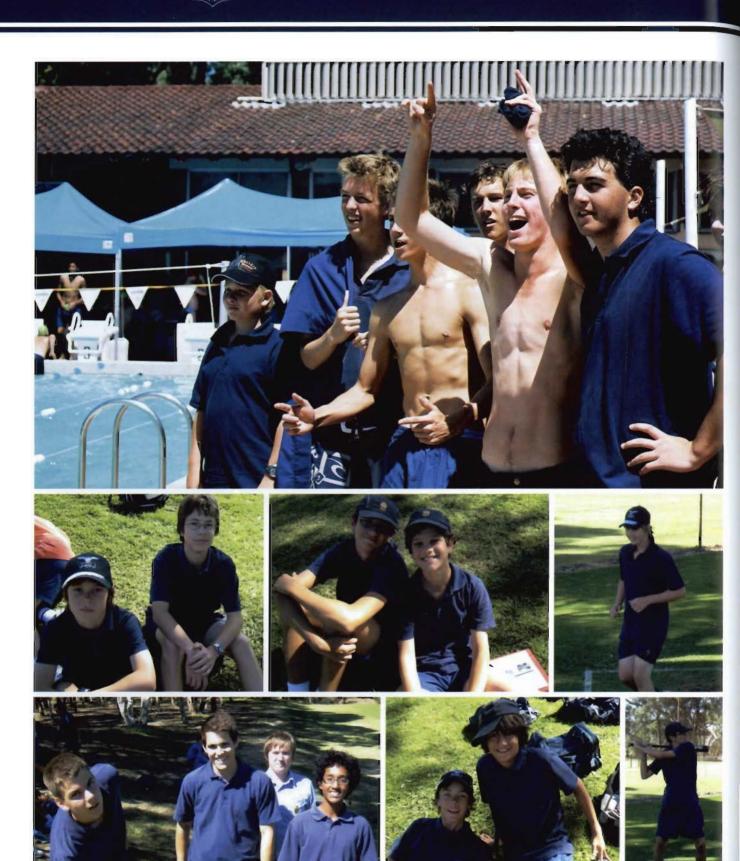
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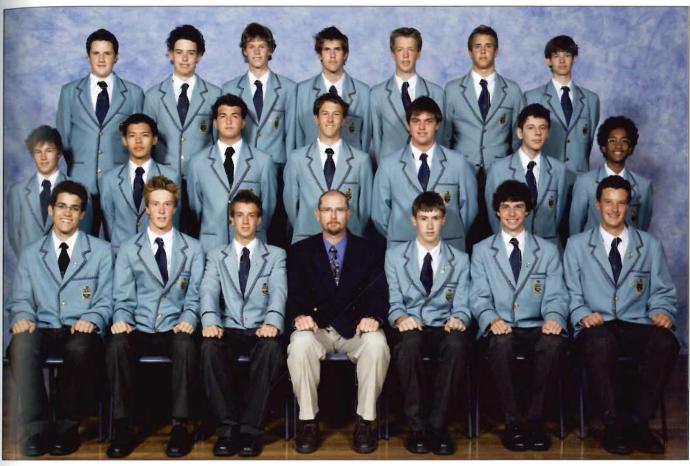
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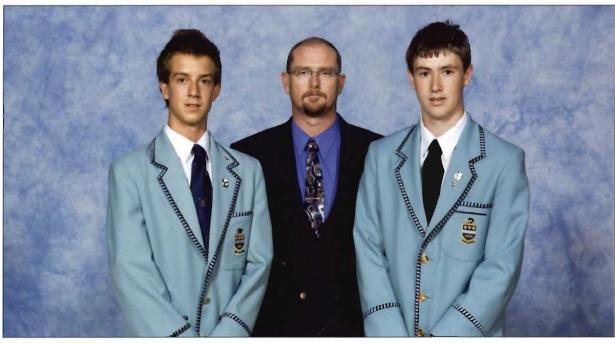
PARRY HOUSE



YEAR 12 Back Row: Joshua Hall, Luke McCracken, William McGeehan, David Clarke, Lee Ginbey, Stephen Sherring, Fraser Beattie Jonathan Cockcroft, Geoffery Tan, Raphy Abadi Ghadim, Nicholas Tejchman, Andrew Todd, Matthew Mason, Middle Row:

Enura de Silva

Front Row: Michael Heyns, Lloyd Roberts, Tom Smith, Mr A Woods, David Kiel, Andrew Ball, Lucien Fischer



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS L to R: Tom Smith, Mr A Woods and David Kiel

PARRY HOUSE



YEAR 11

Back Row: Michael Lam, Emerson Walker, Jordan Aitken, Sam Khor, Sam Marsh,

Jack Bradshaw

Middle Row: Shane Abbott, Jake Bamford, Ronan Chapple, Reece Bailey,

Lachlan Campbell, Adrian Fourie, Jordan Smith

Front Row: Vikeer Shah, Nicholas Bowes, Joshua Tan, Christian Beecroft-Stewart,

Dann Sokol, Jon Oldham

Absent: Alex Oliver



YEAR 10

Back Row: Geordie Papathanassiou, Conor Lourey, Matt Heyns, Daniel Chu,

David Marshall, Rhys Waters

Middle Row: Fraser Hall, Peter Anderson, Mitchell Barham, Matthew Taggart,

Michael Home, Michael Kailis, Adam Marjoram

Front Row: Drew van der Post, Steven Kunej, Benjamin Courtis, Louis Saare,

Zachary Paul, Kurt Edwards, Jeremy Tan

Parry House enjoyed yet another successful year under the reins of Mr Woods. Following a strong performance last year, Parry backed it up again in 2008, placing 4th in the Cock House Cup, as well as 4th in the Arts Cup,

Parry began the year with an abundance of confidence and optimism. Under the leadership of Captain Tom Smith and the rest of the Year 12 cohort, from the beginning it looked to be a productive year.

Summer House Sport commenced in week 2 of first term. The summer sport season looked promising for Parry, fielding strong sides in all sports for the much anticipated first fixture of the year. Although not featuring a large cohort of First team players in the senior teams in 2008, a large contingent of Second team and 10A team players, as well as strong teams in the junior divisions, held Parry in good stead for the season.

After reasonable performances across the board, the Parry boys played out the season with consistency, making many playoffs for 3rd and 5th, an appearance in the ultimate frisbee final, and a strong finish in the basketball. As a result of the consistency of the placings across all sports, Parry was left in a strong position after the summer sports season for a solid and realistic attack on the Cock House Cup.

Another key event in term one came in week six, with the Inter-House Swimming Carnival. As a real unifying event, the Parry House spirit was on display as a whole for the first time in the year. After a disappointing showing in 2007, Parry improved to finish 6th overall in the carnival, a reasonable effort highlighted by some strong swims across the board. There is, however, plenty of room for improvement next year.

Senior Theatre sports night took place late in Term 1. After a first place finish last year, high expectations were held for the boys. However, at the end of the night, a somewhat disappointing 7th place was achieved, leaving plenty to be done to gain valuable Arts Cup points in terms Two and Three.

With the arrival of Term 2 the fiercely competitive Inter-House Winter Sport Competition began. Sitting in 4th place following the end of the summer season, a strong performance was required of the Parry boys to give us a chance at our first Cock House Cup victory since 2004.

The winter season highlighted the Parry boys' spirit and endeavour. Despite a lack of first team players, a strong, consistent group of 2nd, 3rds and 10A players formed formidable senior teams, whilst the juniors again fielded

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strong sides. The competitiveness and strength of the sides showed out, with many top 5 finishes strengthening Parry's position in the Cock House standings.

Inter-House Cross Country came around in the last week of Term 2. Requiring a strong placing to remain in the hunt, Parry boys from all years gave everything in completing the gruelling 3 kilometre course. The determination and persistence of the boys in the navy blue resulted in a respectable 6th place, following controversial circumstances in which the Year 10 runners were not counted due to a technical glitch in the computer system.

The Inter-House Athletics Carnival represented the last inter-house sports event, and hence the last chance to gain ground on the Cock House Cup leaders. Requiring a miracle to claim the cup, Parry headed into the carnival aiming for a top three placing in the final standings. After great competitiveness and house spirit throughout the day, Parry finished with 5th place. A reasonable effort, resulting in a 4th placed finish to the year in the Cock House Cup.

House Arts Cup day represented the last major whole house event for the year. The choir sang well, led by Andrew Ball, performing "Time of Your Life" by Greenday. In what is considered at times a "lottery", we placed 2nd in the choir and 4th in the band, following an outstanding performance led by the talented Ronan Chapple. Parry was successful too in the art competitions, with the seniors winning with their exceptional portrayal of the theme "Hale's 150th Year". Good performances all round on the day resulted in very good outcomes and a potential top three finish in the Arts Cup.

The final event of the year was provided by the Junior Theatre sports night. After a good overall performance by our junior dramatists, Parry placed 2nd to Riley. This left us in 4th place overall, a good outcome for the hard work done throughout the year.

2008 was a great year that ran smoothly for Parry in all areas. This can all be attributed to Mr Woods and the prefect team, who did a great job throughout the year. Special mention goes to Fraser Beattie, who coordinated the three house chapels and ensured they ran efficiently. Thanks must also go to all boys for their contributions, as well as Mr Woods and Mr Piggott for everything they did for Parry over the course of the year.

Hopefully 2009 can bring even greater success for Parry House!

Jordan Aitken



YEAR 9

Front Row:

Back Row: Sam Neilson, James Hogan, Robert Tucker, Alex Grant, Brendon Lim,

Daniel Campbell, Jack Murray

Middle Row: Robin Chab, Clark Mei, Timothy Rossiter, Daniel Crisp,

Alexander Flett, Jack Fischer, Logan Trouchet, Rory Hindle Simon Fitzpatrick, Jason Woollard, Zakary Fleisher, Mr Ross Piggott,

Oliva Callisto, Thomas Bevan, Emmitt Papadimitriou

















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RILEY HOUSE



YEAR 12

Back Row: Middle Row: Tristan Ashford, Nils Stüben, Jeremy Hart, James Helliwell, Gareth Begg, Daryl Mitchell, Andrew Johnstone James Dorrington, Harrison Marsh, Alexander Vickery, Todd Lewis, Jack Payne, Bennett Lovelady, Tom Lovelady,

Tirn Mackie

Front Row:

James van Rooyen, Aki Kobayashi, Ben Mills, Mrs H Gray, Niall Virgo, Harris Ntounienopoulos, Jared Yapp

Absent: Jack Taylor



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

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RILEY HOUSE



YEAR 11

Front Row:

Back Row: Riley Pearce, Avery Au, Campbell Barker, Dale Henderson, Alex White,

Harris Baxter-Green, Daniel Dixon

Middle Row: Glenn Langridge, Alexander Ninkov, Keshav Vagjiani, Chris Armstrong,

William McHarrie, Michael Gunson, James Donnelly, Matt Callaghan

Evan Cameron, William Parkes, Diviij Vijayakumar, Declan Tabeart, Jonathan Van Buren, Jeremy Huynh

Absent: Adrian Moltoni

YEAR 10

Back Row: Michael Bass, David Ingram, Sam Fong, Michael Stevens, Alastair Parker,

Saagar Shah

Middle Row: Jack Schumacher, William Charlwood, Harrison Nayler, James Bradbury,

Taizo Kobayashi, Nick Cook, Lucas Ntoumenopoulos

Front Row: Reagan Leung, Andrew Pritchard, Jasper Dean, Lawrence Lee,

Benjamin Doig, James Payne

2008 promised the world and delivered more. Led by an energetic Niall Virgo, the House was able to kick things off nicely, In Term 1, with Mrs Gray on long service leave, Mr Lowe stepped in to the role. His swimming knowledge was invaluable and added to House competitiveness while he was in charge. The man who supported and helped us through this time was Assistant Head of House, Mr Clarke. His organisation, along with that of Niall Virgo, was the key reason behind Riley's success.

The House sport season started with the swimming carnival. Mr Lowe, a seasoned swim coach, would lead us to a close 3rd, with the new batch of Year 8 boys proving to be a dominant threat as they topped their year group. The Year 9s also finished strongly in 3rd place. The Year 12s continued their stranglehold of their year group as they swam to victory once again in the exciting final relay.

The summer fixtures brought some unexpected successes and revealed some skills to be improved upon. Riley House basketball managed to finish outright leaders with the senior team, led by Dale Henderson, finishing in a well deserved 2nd place. The juniors showed exciting potential, finishing 4th. The cricketers under-performed this season, despite some strong performances from Daryl Mitchell and Jack Payne. Junior Volleyball continued its winning streak by claiming that event for the 2nd consecutive year. Riley House managed to score respectable places in tennis, baseball and ultimate frisbee.

The winter season brought with it an opportunity for Riley to continue our good form from Term 1. It would be remiss not to begin with Riley's only undefeated sporting team, the Walla Cup winning side. Riley assembled arguably one of the best ever House touch teams, boasting four 1st XV team members' including: Captain Tristan Ashford, Vice Captain Daryl Mitchell, Ben Mills and Todd Lewis. Riley has now won two consecutive Walla titles and looks to make this a 3rd in 2009. Football had another torrid year, finishing in last place overall. Riley again was spoiled for riches in soccer, being lead by the Ntoumenopoulos brothers' and Nils Stüben in senior soccer. Our true strength lay with the juniors, as they would finish 3rd and soccer 4th overall. Once again the squash and badminton teams showed genuine poise to finish 7th in both sports. Overall, it was a successful winter season for Riley House.

Early in Term 3, the House cross-country took place. Riley had some impressive

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results, finishing 3rd overall. The juniors put in the strongest performances, with the Year 8s finishing 1st and the Year 9s finishing 3rd. There were some strong individual performances with Liam O'Shea (Year 9) finishing 2nd along with outstanding efforts from the Stüben boys, with Lasse (Year 8) finishing 12th and Nils (Year 12), 14th.

House athletics in Term 3 gave our Year 8 students an opportunity to shine once again. As a year group, they finished 2nd by only two points. The rest of the House competed well and finished a respectable 7th overall. Credit must go to the Year 12s for their consistent effort over many years in Riley House.

Riley's rendition of Queen's "Don't Stop Me Now" showcased our talent as we lived up to the high expectations surrounding us with a strong 2nd placing in the choir competition. The House Band, consisting of Music Captain Alex Vickery, Jared Yapp, Michael Stevens, Jack Taylor and Riley Pearce, were able to take out 3rd place with the U2 smash hit 'Beautiful Day'.

The House also performed well in other Arts activities. As a result of hard work across all year levels, the debaters finished 2nd, as did the chess team. Theatre Sports provided the usual laughs, with the senior team doing well to finish in 3rd place.

One of those unsung aspects of Riley house is the charitable aspect of the house. This is largely due to the hard work of the prefect team and Mrs Gray. This year Riley donated \$300 to the ECU Melanoma research foundation and \$1236 to the Cancer Council; an enormous effort, and one which we will build upon and attempt to replicate in 2009.

It is important that in this, Mrs Gray's last year as Riley Head of House, we pay her some special attention. It's often said that "you don't know what you've got til it's gone." She has been of great support to all Riley House boys in assisting them with their problems in a caring manner and always helping them get organised. While Riley boys haven't always been the sportiest, she has been able to harness our strengths into the Arts Cup Day where Riley House has been a threat since her arrival. The dedication she shows to her job is unparalleled by any other Head of House. In her place next year will be Mr Will, who, along with the House Prefect team of 2009 and Mr Clarke, will begin a new era in Riley House.

Alex Ninkov and Riley Pearce



YEAR 9

Back Row:

Damon Marsh, Frederick Effendi, Lukas Michel, Mats Koelemij, Joshua Van Helsdingen, Nicholas Chapman, Oliver Pearce

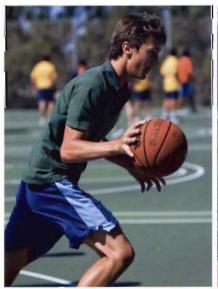
Middle Row:

Front Row:

Mr Russell Clarke, Kingsley Frearson, Brian Cheung, Evan Taylor, Nicholas Kenner, Sebastian Ashford, Matthew Smith, Sheldon MacDonald

Thomas Elliott, Adam Tynas, Luxem Lee, Ryan Lewis, Liam O'Shea,

Joseph Hanna





















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YEAR 12

Back Row: Ramanan Parameswaran, David Marshall, Ryan O'Sullivan, Jordan Furner, Mark Graus, Elliot Langdon
Middle Row: Kavin Intaraprasert, Scott Davies, Thomas Harper, Sam Parker, Tim Ho, Sam Shipway, Lee Fitzmaurice
Front Row: Nguyen Nguyen, Rex Bracken, Alexander Krzus, Mr D Alderson, Evan Baars, Stephen Underwood, Akshay Malde



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE PREFECTS

L to R: Mr D Alderson, David Marshall, Alexander Krzus, Mark Graus, Lee Fitzmaurice and Thomas Harper



YEAR 11

Back Row: Robert Dougherty, Kane Ward, Anton Hamp, Mitchell Askew,

Robert Stephenson, Harry Williams

Middle Row: Andrew Fitzgerald, Trevor Bloking, Andrew Diamond, Benjamin Moody,

Marcus Graff, Stuart Mack, Michael McManus

Front Row: Robert Smith, Jack Farrell, Nathan Shaw, Nicholas Cordy-Hedge,

Sean Whitehead, Arjun Kaushik



YEAR 10

Back Row: Martin Shield, Gary Neugebauer, Adam Wilkinson, Luke Shipway,

Lucas Glauch, Alex MacNiven, Timothy Lewis

Middle Row: Matt Forsyth, Andrew Lewin, Christopher McGrath, Patrick O'Hara,

Jack Ward, Devender Vaswani, Dylan Fawkes, Alex Dixon

Front Row: Chirag Sheth, Ashley McGrath, Paul Keong, William Chivers,

Lincoln Han, David Laczko

Over the past few years improvement and participation have been the main focus of the St Georges group. This was the case throughout the year of 2008, and will be for years to come. A confident and enthusiastic Year 12 group led the way and the scoreboard at the end of the year reflected this in many areas including drama, music, sport, art and overall involvement with the House.

A strong swimming carnival, where participation levels were high and Year 12 enthusiasm came to the foreground, kicked off a summer sport season that had mixed results. In cricket St Georges finished 4th behind the two boarding houses and Parry. St Georges tennis is currently in a rebuilding phase, with the team finding little success in the past few years. 2008 was no different, with St Georges finishing 10th, however despite this a positive attitude and plenty of enthusiasm was maintained by all involved, despite sometimes depressing score lines. In volleyball St Georges experienced mixed fortunes, with the seniors finishing 5th, and the juniors, 10th. Tom Harper and the other Year 12s provided an inspiration for the juniors, who can hopefully build on the experiences from this year and push up the ladder next year. In softball, St Georges finished second after a very strong performance in all their pool matches. St Georges also performed well in baseball, finishing third. This helped St Georges to place well in the Sholl Cup again, finishing 4th. St Georges basketball experienced both highs and lows in 2008, with the seniors finishing first, and the juniors finishing 10th. Ryan O'Sullivan and Marc Graus were inspiring leaders in the senior team, helping them to get over the line against a strong Riley team in the final.

The winter house sport season began with the school favourite, cross country, and St Georges finished up with a respectable 7th position; however, only 5 points separated the placing's between 4th and 9th. House Sport had its highs and lows, but as always everyone enjoyed their respective sports regardless of the positions. Junior football won 2 of their 4 pool games and claimed 5th with a comprehensive 28 goal demolition of their opponent in the final. Senior football was also very strong and won all their games except for one against a typically strong Faulkner outfit. In a thrilling final against Loton, the red and white came out on top by 5 points in a low scoring game to finish 3rd. St Georges finished 4th in total for both football teams. Walla rugby had strong participation once again, and the team finished with 2 out of 4 wins in their pool. However, in the final, they were beaten

in Loton, going down 9 to 4. House soccer hasn't been strong for St Georges in recent times, and although the players were heavy in numbers the results were not as strong as some of the other sports. Both senior and junior teams finished with one win in their pool groups and played off for 7th and 8th. The junior team played Tregonning in the final and went down 3-0 while the seniors pulled through to beat Wilson 3-0. In total, St Georges soccer finished 9th. Hockey produced similar results with one win in the pool fixtures, however they lost their final to Haynes in a gruelling 1-0 encounter. A strength for St Georges, was our Squash and Badminton teams who combined to produce a 3rd placing. Badminton won 2 out of 4 fixtures and in their final lost 5-1 to finish with a well deserved 6th place. The squash team was the standout in the Winter Sport Season and finished with a victory over Loton to finish in 1st place, thanks to the squash prowess of our enthusiastic Head of House, Mr Alderson.

One of the truly great days in the Hale calendar is the House Athletics Carnival. St Georges has a particularly bad reputation, after a spell of 5 years at the bottom from 2001 to 2006. In 2007 St Georges broke the infamous "Athletics Curse" by finishing 6th, and this was built on in 2008 with the red and white finishing 5th. The Year 8s performed outstandingly, finishing third for their year. The Year 11s also performed well, finishing 5th for their year group. Congratulations go to Andrew Diamond, who finished first in the Year 11, Division 1 100m event, as well as Sam Shipway who also won the Year 12, Division 1, 100m event. A big thank you to all the boys who participated. Let's keep the same sportsmanship and commitment next year.

House debating saw St Georges gain 10th place after an extremely long string of bad luck. Our teams were always strong and constantly performed admirably, with many speakers debating for the first time. The teams should be proud as St Georges provided strong opposition, forcing many houses to stay on their toes. Hopefully next year will see luck turn in our favour. Drama for both junior and senior divisions this year did not perform as well as hoped, with the senior team placing (by a very narrow point margin) in 10th place, and our junior team placing equal 8th with Riley house. Again, teams performed strongly and we as a house look forward to the return of many boys to these teams next year.

House Arts Day was enjoyed by all members of the House, with all boys engaging



YEAR 9

Back Row: Benjamin Tapley, Andrew Rule, William McKelvie, Rourke Moynihan,

Tushar Bhatia, Blake Hammersley

Middle Row: Khang Nguyen, Daniel Price, Tim McLeod, Dylan Bishop, Ashley Blake,

Luke Frewer, Jeremy Ruggiero, Mr Rob Brown

Front Row: Tanuj Ruhal, Calum Peoples, Stewart Marshall, Aiken Lim,

Cameron O'Brien, Edwin Nie, Con Angelkov

enthusiastically in all aspects of the day, be it the House choir, band or senior and junior art teams. Our house choir this year was conducted by none other than Sam Parker, who chose our House song this year, "You and Me", by Life House. The House performed the song extremely well and all boys should be proud with the 4th place that we achieved. Our house band narrowly placed 8th after an amazing performance. Hopefully next year we will be able to make it into the top 5. Both our junior and senior art teams placed 4th this year with absolutely fantastic pieces of work, an accomplishment the boys should be proud of. All of these point scores, including our chess team's placement of 7th, has left St Georges in 9th place ahead of Faulkner, a placing we can hopefully better in 2009.

In conclusion, St Georges finished 7th in the Cock House Cup, and 9th in the Arts Cup. A few results here and there could have seen us right up in the top half of the table. Many thanks must go towards Mr Alderson and Mr Brown for the organisation and effort that goes in to running the House and all the boys within it. Many thanks also to House Captain Alex Krzus, his Year 12 Prefects, and a highly involved Year 12 group. St Georges wishes them all the best for their future beyond Hale.



















TREGONNING



YEAR 12

Back Row: Robert Harvey, Scott Young, Rhodri Simmonds, Matthew Plumb, Trent Murray, Christopher Hardie

Middle Row: Royce Dawson, Lachlan D'Cruz, Geoffrey Van Eden, Michael Pollastri, Craig Stevens, Zac Girando, Yasuhito Nakajima,

Mr T Parish

Front Row: Marcus Pallotta, Thomas Zaunmayr, James Campbell, Sean Leath, Ben King, Aidan Price, Nihar Jha



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS L to R: Rhodri Simmonds, Mr T Parish and Michael Pollastri



YEAR 11

Back Row: Gareth Harwood-Nash, Harry Garland, Samuel McEntee, Nicholas Wilson,

Oliver Williamson, Jon Rickett

Middle Row: Andrew Xydas, Robin Sandover, Reece Baker, Lewis Thomas, Aditya Eranki,

Jim Wu, Steve Booth

Front Row: Scot Henderson, Dan Pascoe, Keegan Bignoux, Nick Chew, Oliver O'Neill



YEAR 10

Back Row: Harry Turnbull, Geoffrey Dunlap, Andrew Vieraitis, Joshua Armenti,

James Harvey, Duncan Lissiman, Joel Carter

Middle Row: Matthew Zaunmayr, Scott McCormack, Benjamin Enright, David Grierson,

Harrison Schaus, Joel Emery, Mason Hewett, Drew Hemphill Front Row: Hugh Mugford, Mahtab Kabir, Marco Bevilacqua, Mitchell Towns,

Will Burton, Tom Horton, Samuel Freind, James Milligan

Tregonning House enjoyed great results across the board this year thanks to the leadership of Mr. Parish and an able prefect team led by Captain Michael Pollastri and Vice-Captain Rhodri Simmonds. Overall Tregonning finished in 3rd place behind the traditionally strong boarding houses in a fierce Cock House Cup competition. Although not matching the success of last year in the Arts Cup, the boys put in a great effort and are showing lots of promise for next year.

The House established its dominance early, in summer sport. The individual sports were led ably by captains who all contributed to the success of the house. In volleyball our team, led by Rhodri Simmonds and backed by a strong and experienced group of players, achieved a comfortable 1st place. Baseball also knocked off all competition to take out 1st place, securing the Sholl Cup.

The cricket and basketball teams also enjoyed a successful year, both finishing in 3rd place and providing the house with valuable points. To top off a winning summer season, Tregonning students swam their hearts out in the pool to snatch a 2nd place. Great swims from the Year 12s got us over the line and their efforts will be sorely missed next year, although talents such as Harry Garland, Ben Enright and others look sure to keep the Tregonning team well in contention for victory.

Winter sport took off exactly where summer sport stopped, and Tregonning made a flying start to the season. There were excellent results across a range of sports, which placed the House in 2nd place overall in the sports. Hockey improved greatly to finish 4th overall, with strong performances from captain Craig Stevens and his team. The introduction of ultimate Frisbee to the sports arena proved no challenge to our brave students who also placed 4th. Touch rugby had a great season, finishing 2nd, which was Tregonning's highest rank this winter. Soccer also had a good season, winning a gripping final for a well deserved 3rd place.

Some outstanding placings in the cross country were achieved by students across all years, but an overall low result made the need for improvement in the athletics a real priority. Athletics was the final proving ground for our students in the Cock House Cup. As expected, Tregonning students did not disappoint. Finishing 4th in a heated competition was no mean feat, and full credit to every boy who competed. Yasu Nakajima was definitely worthy of note, as he cleaned up both the 100m and 200m in the Year 12 open division. Rob Harvey

jumped a remarkable near-record height in the high jump, despite being unwell at the time.

In other competition arenas Tregonning students did not disappoint, as Second Term quickly came and the school was alive with the sound of logical arguments. The new format of debating meant that Tregonning could not rely on its core set of experienced speakers for each debate, as in previous years, and this had an impact on the overall position of the House.

Nevertheless, a number of boys experienced the joy of debating, and Tregonning discovered some potential new talent for the future. Well done to all the boys who gave it a go for the first time to help out the House. Special mention must go to the year 11 team, consisting of Keegan, Aditya and Oliver, who respectively hung, drew and quartered their opponents.

Parallel to debating was the Chess competition, and this year we witnessed possibly the strongest competition ever. A few unlucky results meant that our traditionally very strong team (especially in the seniors) only managed 3rd place, but still a great result.

House Arts is always a memorable day each year, 2008 being no exception. The art on display was a spectacle for all to see. The juniors produced some creative designs celebrating Hale School's 150th anniversary, and the seniors produced an interesting pictorial representation of the House.

In the music, Tregonning students sung a well rehearsed "Rawhide", but strong choirs this year denied us a top 5 finish. Despite very limited practice time, Tregonning musicians rallied together to produce a great version of "Come out and Play". Worthy of mention was the brave front-man Zac Girando, who gave a brilliant performance.

Overall, Tregonning enjoyed a highly successful year thanks to a particularly good year 12 group. A promising year 8 group also made a valuable contribution to the House. We would like to thank Mr O'Garr and Mr Parish for leading the house, and Michael Pollastri, Rhodri Simmonds and all the Prefects for efficiently organizing the House activities. Finally, to the boys of Tregonning, thank you all for a successful year.

Aditya Eranki and Oliver O'Neill



YEAR 9

Back Row: Benjamin Pascoe, Riley Herbert-Taylor, Mark Harwood-Nash, Greg Bannan,

Teylar Begley, Patrick Wilson, Gus O'Neill

Middle Row: Mr A O'Garr, Samuel Turnbull, Casey Lickfold, Thomas Head,

Nathaniel Francis, Ryan Huynh, Aidan Orr, Joel Burton
Front Row: Alister Sandover, Byron Bignoux, Louis Mitchell, Daven Foster,

Michael Price, Nathan Shave, Nicholas Hughes

























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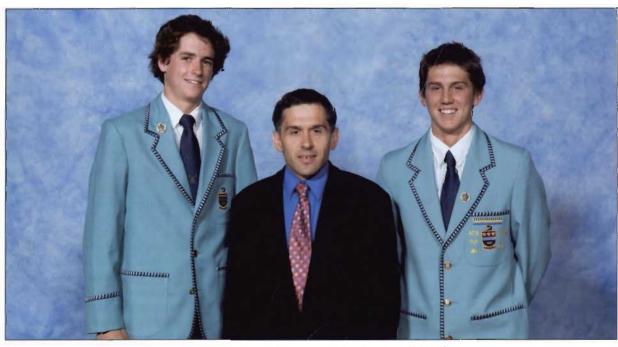


YEAR 12

Back Row:

Marcus Bin Omar, Rex Fleay, Alex Carson, Cody Fulwood, Samuel Clark Luke Owen, Lincoln Meeking, Kyle Bailey, Mr I Tredget, Taylor Smith, Logan Schrum, David Griffies Monty Graham, James Clarke, Paul Nunn, Keifer Yu, Lincoln Hands, Reece Sutherland Middle Row:

Front Row:



HEAD OF HOUSE AND HOUSE CAPTAINS L to R: Cody Fulwood, Mr I Tredget and Taylor Smith

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YEAR 11

Back Row: Tom Taylor, Hein Van der Merwe, George Cunningham, Jack Jasper,

Stephen Bignell, Xavier Davidson

Middle Row: Lachlan Burges, Toby Durham, Wynand Breytenbach, Haydn Parker,

Justin Lam, Tyler Barnes, Alex Newman

Front Row: Yan Huang, Joshua Hirsch, Kiefer Dann, Dane Johns, Douglas Foo,

Matthew Lim



YEAR 10 Back Row:

Front Row:

Charles Cousins, Jayden Catto, Clayton Whitsed, Matthew Clark,

Lee Smith, Mitchell Walker, Scott Wilson

Middle Row: Ms J Fordham, Bryne Tuckey, Shaun Garlick, Callen Williamson,

Nic Griffies, Benjamin Jones, Riley Hodgson, Michael Salmon Calan Webster, Peau Chilton, Brandon Clemens, Thomas Fowler,

Lyle Burton, Sam Hooper

Wilson House will look back on this 150th year with great pride and the occasional thought of what might have been. Second place in both the Cock House Cup and Arts cup is a remarkable achievement and tribute must be paid to all the boys for their considerable efforts. Cody Fulwood led the House and fulfilled his Captain's role with quiet integrity while Luke Owen shaped us all into a formidable artistic force.

It is only with the benefit of hindsight that we can isolate the two moments that allowed a 4th consecutive Cock House to slip through our hands. Looking back to those first few weeks of Term 1 and the interhouse swimming carnival we can see how the lure of the freestyle relay trophy undermined our performance in the specialist strokes and relegated us to 7th place in the overall standings. The vital points lost had a telling effect later in the year.

We began the summer sports campaign full of confidence. Each Wednesday afternoon, Rex Fleay assembled the teams and released them onto the courts and ovals. We had numerous cricketers, excellent basketballers, and tennis players in abundance; it was only a matter of time before we asserted our dominance. However, our second 'moment' or strategic oversight was already taking effect. The importance of the Scholl Cup had not caught our attention, and failing to bolster the volleyball and baseball teams proved crucial. We finished a dismal last in this sub-competition that was now worth a staggering 60 points.

Despite winning the tennis and ultimate frisbee competitions and finishing second in both the cricket and junior basketball, we had not accumulated sufficient points to make an impression on the Cock House leaderboard. We finished Term 1 knowing boarders had no choice, they were going to have to break with tradition and get used to curve balls, strikes and spikes.

With no less than nine First XVIII players, Wilson House were unbackable favourites to win the interhouse football competition. This we did with relative ease. Our junior footballers showed similar talent and won their competition in convincing fashion also. We performed solidly in soccer, hockey, squash, badminton and Walla rugby as well; this gave us a much needed boost up the ladder to 4th place. We had manoeuvered ourselves into within striking distance and two strong events, the cross-country and athletics carnivals were still to come.

The cross-country came at a time when many of the boys were struggling through a nasty flu virus that had swept through the

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boarding house. The fact that many ran, and ran so well when only 80 to 90% fit, told me most about the spirit and pride within the House. Their efforts were remarkable and they must be congratulated on winning the trophy for a 5th successive year. Most importantly, this win took us to 2nd place, only a handful of points behind Faulkner House. This set up one of the most exciting athletics carnivals as Wilson House had come from nowhere and were now in a position to secure a 4th Cock House Cup Victory.

Unfortunately, it was not to be and we were beaten by a better team on the day. Faulkner blitzed the sprint relays and held us to 2nd place on the day. We then had to deal with the unfamiliar experience of being runners up in the Cock House Cup.

Although sport receives most attention during Terms 1 and 2, the Arts Cup competitions cannot be ignored. Numerous points are won and lost in the debating, chess and theatre sports competitions. Luke Owen took control and made sure Wilson House was superbly organised and prepared for each event. His efforts had immediate effect. We won the TAL Davy Debating Shield (for only the 3rd time in 40 years) and started our move up the Arts Cup leaderboard.

Rehearsals for house choir started early and it took a while for us to find our voice. 'Lean on Me' gradually became more tuneful as boys learnt the words and grew in confidence. Meanwhile the band, comprising of Taylor Smith (vocals), Sam Forward (drums), Keifer Dann (bass guitar), Jayden Catto and Josh Hills (guitar) were working hard on The Killers', 'When we were Young'.

The day was a great success in that we won the Junior Art and our band produced a fantastic performance to also take 1st place. A creditable 6th place for senior art and 5th for the choir meant we were in with a good chance of winning our first Arts cup.

It all came down to the Junior Theatre Sports. We had to outperform Havelock House to make history, and Preston Sudlow, Josh Hills, Ethan Schrum and Toby Anderson were ready and prepared. Although Ms Fordham and I thought they were clear winners in every event, the panel of judges did not quite agree, and placed us equal 4th. Wilson House were thus consigned to another 2nd place for 2008.

Any disappointment was short-lived. 2008 was an exciting an eventful year in which Wilson House established itself as a force to be reckoned with on all fronts. I would like to thank Cody Fulwood and his fellow Year 12s for their spirited contribution to this



YEAR 9

Back Row: Ethan Schrum, Mitchell Smith, Christopher Carson,

Matthew McAlpine, Max Siemer

Middle Row: Ben Peet, Benjamin Taylor, Michael Ogden, Brett Penny,

Preston Sudlow, Brandon Doney, Ms J Fordham

Front Row: Akhil Mukhi, Brad Ryan, William Hofmann, Sam Forward, Josh Hills,

Brendon McAlpine

enjoyable year. Their outstanding sporting performances set a benchmark that the boys will always try to maintain. I know the current Year 11s see it as a challenge and are looking forward to their turn at the controls.

2009 will not be without change. We say goodbye to Ms Fordham as she leaves the boarding community with her husband (Mr Watt) and their two children Calen and Dale. Her care for boarders over many years has been second to none and will be greatly missed. We wish her well as she takes long-service leave and settles the family into their new home.

Mr Ashton will be handing over the reins of Haynes House and losing all traces of yellow before we welcome him, his wife Leasa and 3 children (Lachlan, Emily & Sam) into the fold. He brings a wealth of pastoral care experience to the Assistant Head of House role and we look forward to having him as part of the boarding community.

Once again, thanks to all the boys for making 2008 such a memorable year. Plans for 2009 are already on the drawingboard and I look forward to putting them into action with many new faces and a new set of Year 12s at the helm.





YEAR 8.1

Back Row: Luke Rosher, Craig Law, Dale Ettridge, Tony Longbottom, Cody Meyer,

Alan Wang, Charles Roberts, Michael Weir

Middle Row: Peter Allnutt, Steven Bilessuris, Oscar Hermoso Clarke, Liam Jones,

Miss M Gilchrist, Alexander Tsaknis, Jason Kalamaras,

Steven Marchese, Jack Lefroy

Front Row: Jeremy Tie, Andrew Huxtable, Dylan Tyncherov, Roshan Halai,

Sean Bathe, James Bardsley, Mitchell Carey

Absent: Lachlan Meers

Orientation Day was the first day of our secondary school experience. Many of us came in as individuals who knew no one in our PCG. We learned the ways of the school, received our lockers, timetables and diaries, and met some other people so that we would not be completely alienated from our classmates for the year. We began to work, not as individuals, but as part of a larger group, and part of the great school which is Hale.

In Second Term, the Icy Creek Camp was a breath of fresh air for some and a nightmare for others. Despite the mischief, we managed to pull through and created a catch phrase which at least Ms Gilchrist will remember. Second term was also the time of the charity fundraising for a charity known as Ride-Aid. A lap-a-thon was organised and about \$8000 (of which a little more than \$1300 was from 8.1 alone) was raised to aid the crisis in Cambodia.

Our PCG, the first among the eight in many ways, has undoubtedly had a year to remember. We developed physically, mentally and emotionally, and we evolved as a group.

Alan Wang

2008 was a very successful and enjoyable year for 8.2. The year has flown by with many laughs and exciting moments. We started off the year with an orientation day, we learnt where our classes were and also got to know the school. We all participated in house sport and PSA sport, and it was very enjoyable.

We had many activities in Hale School this year, such as celebrating 150 years on Friday the 15 February, and the House athletics carnival

What we were mostly looking forward to was the outdoor education camp in term 3. Working together helped us make a team. We were challenged in the different activities.

We all loved playing in the various sports that Hale School has to offer, ranging from volleyball to rugby. House sport was played on Wednesday afternoons, where we all fought competitively for our houses.

Overall 2008 was an exciting yet challenging year for 8.2. We came from being the role models in junior school to the youngsters in senior school. We look forward to many exciting years ahead.

Poojan Shah



YEAR 8.2

Back Row: Harrison Brown, Jordan Armstrong, Quillan Pritchard, Jex Fatin,

Ryan Pallas, James Munt, Andrew Lawrenson, Jack Hill

Middle Row: Marcus Jockel, Joel Ebert, Hamish loppolo, Evan Pirone, Mr S Lane,

Ryan Walker, Yanni Kailis, Jake Ecker, Sebastian Maingard

Front Row: Lloyd Prout, Harry Hales, Lachlan Coxall, Jake Brody, Trent Haerewa,

Max Davidson, Poojan Shah, Diveer Shah

It has been a year of great achievements and lots of challenges for all the boys in 8.3 as they successfully completed their first year of high school at Hale. It has been my pleasure to be their pastoral care leader, and I have learnt a lot from them throughout the year as I hope they have learnt from my help and guidance.

The highlight that all the boys talk about is camp at 'Icy Creek'. It lived up to its name, as the boys experienced cold nights and freezing mornings, combined with no showers for three days. The most memorable moment for me is the wet tea-towel "rootail" flicking battle. Having received shock flicks by the teacher in charge, the boys put into practice the team training they had been taught over the previous three days, forging plans to take out the teacher with a series of fierce and determined commando type charges.

Mateship and challenges were plentiful, and looking back, it was a significant time of development for all the boys, as new skills were developed to meet each challenge.

I wish every one of you continued success next year.

Mr B Butler

2008 was full of excitement and discovery for Pastoral Care Group 8.4, all brought together by our will to bond and cooperate. Initially, we all came from diverse backgrounds, but have become a tight and cohesive group. We have shared the emotions of discovering new friends and coping with the daily life of Year 8. Sometimes it was hectic and challenging, but on the whole it was a very steep and valuable learning curve.

Some of us started off being timid and shy, whilst others were more enthusiastic, but these differences were set aside by our helpful PCG leader Mr Will. Arriving at camp, excitement filled the air. The experiences of camp drew us closer, building our friendships as we progressed through the year. For many of us, participating in House sport and the PSA also helped us forge new and long lasting friendships that went beyond the sporting field and the classroom.

These experiences could not have happened without the help of our experienced leader Mr Will. The experiences of Year 8 have changed our perception of school life and we are grateful for the exciting opportunities that we have been given by our great school.

Andrew Kelly, Kim O'Brien and Thomas Meade



YEAR 8.3

Back Row: Clancy Dawson, Nathan Bonaccorso, Asher Caley, Graeme Stickland,

Nicholas Gan, Cameron Harvey, Alex Hewett, Jack Wells Middle Row: Ali Abu Shamleh, Bradley Egan, Christian Gismondi,

Themi Kiratzopoulos, Mr B Butler, Riley Maddock, Thomas Murphy,

Dylan Gilbey, Mitchell Turner

Front Row: Tsuyoshi Takashima, Blair Young, Matthew Salter, Ayush Kapoor,

Nathan Hayward, Samuel Vindin, William Wong

Absent: Joshua Pervan



YEAR 8.4

Middle Row:

Front Row:

Back Row: Thomas Meade, Nicholas Forrester, Timothy Rowlands, Tom Lymburn,

Sam Hodge, Alexander Lenartowicz, Harrison Slarke, Jake White Alvin Khuu, Andrew Kelly, Declan Prince, Kim O'Brien, Mr B Will,

Richard Lee, Jonathon Tuckey, Timothy Hallam, Arend Pramoko Jack Maher, Samson Ross, Callum Lindquist, Jaryl Goh,

Perrin Papathanassiou, Matthew Craig, James Kelly, Jordan Menchetti



YEAR 8.5

Back Row: Michael Smith, Joseph Delich, Adnan Nalapraya, Ross Sciarrone,

Seb Neaves, Oscar Backhouse, Bradley Davis

Middle Row: Charlie Schumacher, Jack Macmillan, Daniel Simmons, Timm House,

Donald Imberlong, Thomas Enright, Michael Ford, Kyle Cameron,

Michael Warton

Front Row: Daniel Gladwin, Emrik Graff, Myles Witt, Reg Percy, Toby Anderson,

Benjamin Rowe, Lachlan Ashton, Thivek Vijayakumar

Absent: Mr K Moir, Hamish Robinson

Like all other Year 8 students, our pastoral care class mates were pretty eager to start our first year of senior school. On orientation day we met our PCL, Mr Moir, and he showed us around the school along with the Year 12 prefects.

It did not take long to make new friends and start to settle into Hale School. We enjoyed our co-curricular activities like PSA sport, and in term 2 we went on camp to Icy Creek near Dwellingup. Camp was tough but we had a great time. We got to know our classmates and Mr Moir better as we went through the camp experience, which included mountain biking, orienteering, team building games and kayaking.

PSA sport was definitely a highlight for our class this year. We had many great athletes in our class who represented our school well in the PSA interschool carnival at Perry Lakes stadium.

We were very privileged to have Mr Moir take us to the gym to play dodge ball and other fun games at every opportunity. We finally reached the end of the year tired, but proud of what we had achieved in and out of the class.

Emrik Graff, Charlie Schumacher and Thivek Vijayakumar

Orientation day was a nervous experience for all the Year 8s in 8.6. We all received our diaries, locks and lockers, before going to the pool to try out for the swim team and our selected sports. The first week everyone just tried to get to their classes without getting lost. Sport at the end of the week was always a highlight, and everyone enjoyed playing the other schools, even if we lost.

In Term 2 we went on our first high school camp, to the freezing temperatures of Icy Creek. We participated in a range of outdoor activities, and had fun working as a team to complete the challenges. We also did the lap-a-thon, to raise funds for Ride-Aid, a charitable organization helping the people of Cambodia.

In Term 3 we had our first senior school Arts House Cup day, which was an enjoyable day for all. In term four we went on our geography field trip to Perth city which was a much enjoyed break from the classroom.

All up this year has been a fun and enjoyable experience for everyone, with the boys from 8.6 adjusting to high school life successfully, and making new friends.

James Pirone, Shaun Lee and Ryan Hayward



YEAR 8.6

Front Row:

Back Row: Jalen McGee, Byron Patrick, Alexander Pirone, William Roe,

James Pirone, Daniel Bell, Jack Mussared, Matthew Sie

Middle Row: Kane Parker, Shaun Lee, Karl Glauch, Tyler French, Mr S Kenny, Joshua Hasel, Cian O'Connor, Callum McKeon, James Wong

Ryan Hayward, Leith Williamson, Shaheel Patel, Leighton Lilford,

William Robson, Jason La, Kapil Mistry

This year has been a successful one for 8.7, with many achievements and highlights. As a team, we have risen to the challenges that have come before us. Whether in the classroom or on the field, we never give up.

Some of our individual co-curricular achievements over the year have included; winning games in the Pastoral Care Cup (Dodge ball and Table Tennis); Darcy O'Brien taking out the cross-country; Lincoln Vickery winning overall in the Wood Wind Cup; having participants in interschool carnivals such as the Belt Up Cup and PSA swimming; and classmates involved in drama productions such as Oliver and The Lion, The Witch and the Wardrobe.

Dr Colclough has been working hard trying to teach us how to relax for the stressful times in the year, especially in the final weeks of Term 4, with many major tests arising. In PD lessons, she has been our mentor in teaching us about resilience and having the skill to stay on our feet when we have been feeling down, angry, or stressed out.

On the whole, 2008 was a great year for the students of 8.7. We have accomplished everything we needed to do to feel good about ourselves, as individuals and as a group.

It has been a great year for 8.8 and Mr Weston. All of the boys in the class have thoroughly enjoyed their first year at Hale School.

The year started on our orientation day. Our first term was very successful. The start of the PSA fixtures and House Sport was great as we all got involved.

Having settled in, everybody was a lot more relaxed in Term 2. Our student representative was Chris Ninkov, who spoke on behalf of us at meetings. We had a Geography excursion to Northbridge and also had an author-inresidence. Camp in term two was one of the most enjoyable parts of the year. We went to Icy Creek for three days and participated in activities such as Orienteering, Mountain Bike riding and Canoeing.

In Term 3, Cayden Scott, Lucas Thornton and Scott Thornton all participated in the production 'Oliver!' which Hale's drama department performed.

In final term, the PSA summer fixtures began, to the delight of many boys. As tests and exams commenced at the end of the year, the school felt empty, with only the year eight students and the year nine students.



YEAR 8.7

Back Row: Riccardo Gismondi, Reece Baxter, Daniel Werndly, Jason Hoad,

Cameron Loersch, Scott Bester, Darcy O'Brien, Declan Bleakley Middle Row: Jake Bando, Lincoln Vickery, Thomas Barrass, Alexander Bell,

Dr D Colclough, Douglas Hipworth, Ryan Williamson, Lasse Stüben,

Lachlan Wills

Front Row: Josh Hasleby, Wilfred Cheung, Jarrod Edmeades, Brodie Olma,

Nicholas Doig, Miguel Forjaz, Harry McCracken, Kristan Kelly



YEAR 8.8

Front Row:

Charlie Viska, James Clarke, Christopher Buitendag, Jarryd McPhee, Back Row:

Liam Vandenberghe, Aiden Wilkins, Quinn Lee-Jones, Christopher Ninkov,

Christian Parker

Middle Row: Alex Lucchesi, Jonathan Farrer, Aadarsh Shah, Michael Allan,

Michael Vernon, Robert Ingram, Charles Jia, Cayden Scott, Mr H Weston

Zenneth Cox, Nicholas Sarros, Max Anstie, Shaun Towns, Marcus Blades,

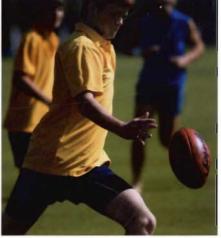
Scott Thornton, Lucas Thornton, Matthew Wang

HOUSE SPORTS



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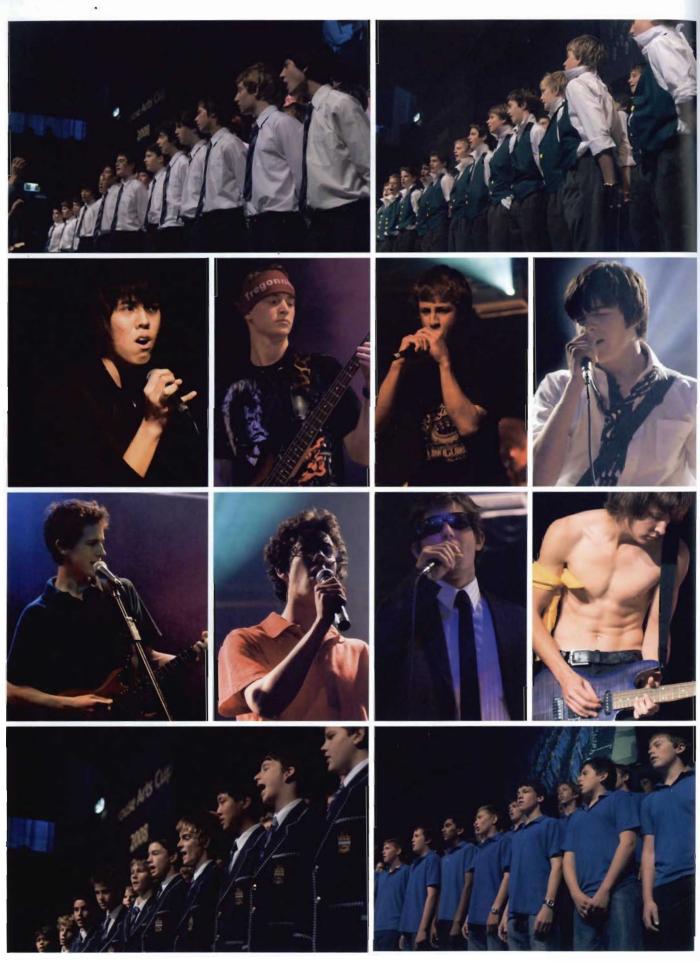




COCKHOUSE CUP RESULTS

Position	HSE	Points	Swim	Sholl Cup	Bball	Crick	Row	Ten	CC	Fball	Soccer	Hockey	W Rugby	Aths	Bad + Sqsh
1	FLK	246.8	6	35	12	22	7	4	35	30	18.3	15	2	60	0.5
2	WLS	228.0	10	10	14	19	10	10	40	40	8	8	7	50	2
3	TRG	214.5	21	60	16	6	8	3	12	15	14	9	9	40	1.5
4	PRY	206.8	12	25	21	16	9	6	18	30	12	10	8	35	4.75
5	LTN	192.5	8	45	6	12	4	9	18	15	10	12	6	45	2.5
6	RLY	176.8	18	17.5	25	4	6	7	30	8	18.3	7	10	25	1
7	HVL	176.8	25	50	4	8	1	2	25	11	25	3	3	15	4.75
8	STG	174.0	4	40	18	14	3	1	14	30	6	5	5	30	4
9	BNT	148.3	16	17.5	8	10	2	5	30	10	18.3	4	4	20	3.5
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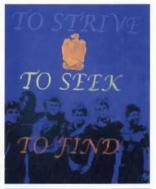
HOUSE ARTS CUP



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YEAR 12 ART

- 1. Jaxsun Plumley
- 2. David Marshall
- 3. Jaxsun Plumley
- 4. Mark Graus

At the end of a year where Hale School has had six works of four year twelve students, David Marshall (2), Jaxsun Plumley (2), Mark Graus and Jack Taylor selected for the 2009 prestigious Perspectives exhibition at the Art Gallery of Western Australia, I remembered a review article by art writer and academic David Bromfield from which I would like to quote. So often boys who are talented and highly achieving in lower school art opt not to do TEE Art in upper school. They say they think there is too much work to do, that they will always keep up with their art as a hobby. They sometimes express concern about the lack of specific employment paths where Art is seen as essential, apart from Architecture. Those who do continue gain an enormous amount to fit them for many alternative futures from their endeavours.

David Bromfield in his 'On Show' review of a past Perspectives exhibition writes:

"Art makes all kinds of contributions to our lives, but perhaps the most important are to remind us of the uniquely precious nature of individual and communal experience and to propose new ideas and more exciting ways of living. By and large generosity and a love of art seem to go together. That is why it is vital to teach art in our schools, not simply as a bundle

of useful or interesting skills but as essential critical and ethical aspects of experience. Art remains a criticism of life, as that great inspector of schools, Matthew Arnold, once observed.

Perhaps then (we) may question the perceived wisdom that education is all about guaranteeing young people skills to find a place in the workforce (especially since life is changing too fast for anyone to know the future).

People who feel empowered by their education to build a life of their own choosing are likely to be highly productive whether they are employed or whether they prefer the discipline of working for themselves.

Art education can achieve this for everyone from the most able and privileged student and for those who otherwise have had no chance in life".

The superb annual Student Art Exhibition wonderfully showcased the diverse range of studio experiences to which students are exposed. Mr John Inverarity opened the exhibition by praising the high quality of work and the creativity and passion that was so evident in the work on display. Every boy who studied Art during the year was represented with at least one work in the exhibition.

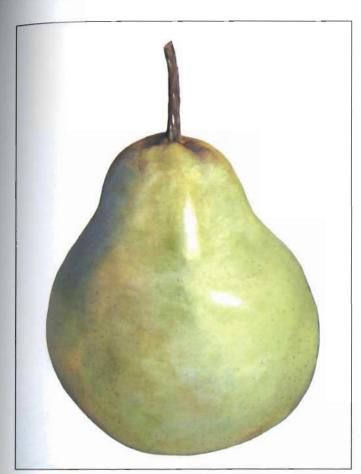
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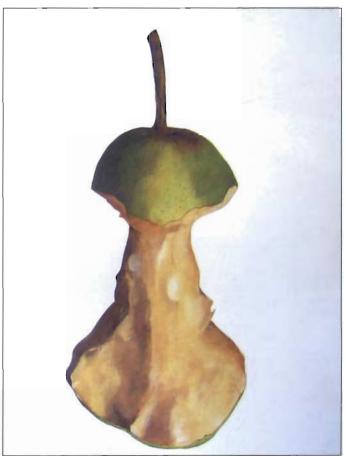
a wonderful programme for Year 11 and 12 Art students during a three day camp at the beginning of the year and a number of these students exhibited works in the Cathedral Art Awards at St George's Cathedral in Term 2. David Marshall was awarded 2nd prize and Jaxsun Plumley received an honourable mention Linda van-der-Merwe returned, delivering inspirational drawing and painting workshops and milliner, Fiona Dixon, felt artist, Louise Snook, Ikebana florist, Ursula Pagels and Bridget Waters provided workshops for our students during the year.

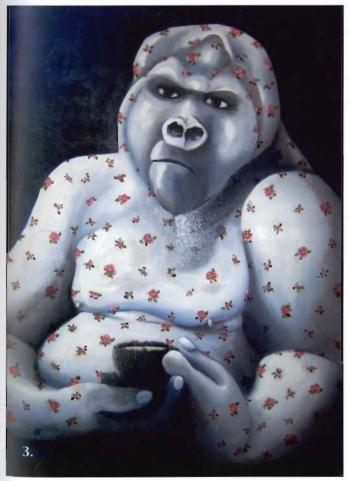
The Art department has been a busy place throughout the year, boys seen working through lunch times, in after school workshops, photography and art clubs and weekend studio days, is the modus operandi and we wouldn't have it any other way.

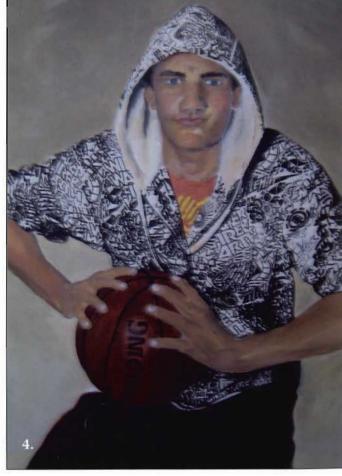
My thanks for the enthusiasm and dedication of our inspirational staff members, Michael O'Connell, Lorna Murray, Meagan Quantock, Haydn Jackson and Louise Elscot. And thanks on their behalf to our wonderful students for a great 2008 in the Art Department

Mrs M Fisher Head of Art









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ART







YEAR 12 ART

- 5. David Marshall
- 6. Michael Ridley 8. Tom Smith 7. Michael Ridley
- 9. David Clarke
- 10. Jack Taylor
- 11. Luke MCracken
- 12. Lee Ginbey

OUTDOOR EDUCATION



The year of 2008 was full of change and excitement, opportunity and challenge, familiarity and diversity.

We saw beautiful sunny days in Exmouth without much rain, still days when we wanted to sail, windy days when we yearned for a snorkelling glass-off, hot days when we had to walk and wet days when we needed to pack away equipment for storage.

We had blustering days in Albany when the tents were uprooted and escaped on the gusts while carelessly flinging tent pegs asunder. Our rugged little boats have been known to brave 30knots but could not stay upright with the sails fully reefed. We abandoned our exit point and repaired to the storage shed to wait out the squalls.

We canoed on the Murray River in September on the coldest day on record, waking to frozen and aching knuckles and fingers too numb to feel the tent as we shook the small pains of ice from the outer skirt. The inners had not been inserted by choice and the occupants too were icy.

We set out again for Albany in the dying days of November to sail the last Year 9 camp through a forecast of "thunderstorms and rain"," thunderstorms and rain", "likely thunderstorms and showers", and finally a "sunny day" for the drive home.

It was a landmark year for Outdoor Education as we celebrated our 20th year of hosting the Pinnacle Programme in Exmouth. There have been many changes along the way as the programme continues to grow in integrity and opportunity for the boys. There are many changes and challenges still ahead.

One major triumph in 2008 was increasing the Year 9 camps from 4 to 6 days. While the boys and staff had to give up their Sundays, it allowed them to get on location and ready for a solid 4 days of camp activity before returning home. From the very first reports this change has been only positive. It allowed us to diversify the programme choices for the students and to introduce new activities such as Surf Kayaking in Torbay and Canyoning in Kalbarri.

For their application and genuine enthusiasm on the whole, I thank the efforts of the Hale School students for whom the programme is designed. It is easy to share the passion when the journey and spirit also can be shared. For the tremendous and unfailing support from the executive of Hale School we are grateful. It is easy to serve the school's needs with such support. And lastly, for yet another year of outstanding service to the students of Hale School, and a year with a remarkably few injuries - well under one percent- I thank the efforts of all staff employed by the Hale School Outdoor Education Department. In so many circles the life of the Outdoor Instructor is seen as a "lifestyle choice" rather than a career choice. I am confident that at Hale we not only treat it as the latter, but reflect its value in the way we look after our employees as much as the way we care for our charges. I'll warrant there is not a soul amongst my staff who regrets this vocational choice with all of the uncertainty and discomfort it can bring.

Mr G Harvey

OUTDOOR EDUCATION CLUBS

In Term 2, 2008 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. This is a natural extension of the rock climbing experienced on camp in Yr 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, which proves to be a fun way to spend a Friday afternoon (4-6pm).

The variety of climbs on offer at the Hale climbing wall make it one of the best purpose built walls in the State. 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.

Last year the Outdoor Education Department launched the new Kayak Club, open to all students. With the acquisition of 15 new playboat kayaks we are able to provide an opportunity not offered anywhere else. Our new fleet is the only one of its kind in WA Schools.

In 2008 the kayak club was run again in Terms 1 and 4 with a strong group of 15 boys making the most of this opportunity. The Kayak Club was held in the Hale pool and commenced with 1 on 1 instruction in the skills of paddling, turning and escaping from the kayak. Learning to Eskimo roll was introduced and almost all boys were successful at rolling their kayak with only their hands!

A major focus of the kayak club was learning to play canoe polo. This added a lot of spice to the pool sessions and naturally led to improved paddling skills. A small contingent of boys participated in the inaugural schools canoe polo day at Hale and, together with Perth College and Scotch, enjoyed a great day of competition and social interaction.

The Outdoor Education Department looks forward to seeing you get involved in these clubs next year.

Mr T Harley

OUTDOOR EDUCATION



STUDENT SERVICE LEARNING

NULSEN HAVEN

The Nulsen Haven Association mission statement is, "To enable people with disabilities to achieve and maintain a valued quality of life as part of an accepting community." The Nulsen Haven Youth Patron Programme has given my fellow youth patrons and I the opportunity to develop a greater understanding of the needs, abilities, talents and the humanity of people living with disabilities.

As youth patrons we promoted the work of Nulsen Haven as we aimed to encourage a better understanding of the true sense of "community", and the impact that individual, and collective, contributions have in shaping our community and the lives of those in need of on-going support.

We also gained a greater understanding of the importance of excellent communication skills. Through the Nulsen Haven Youth Program, we have had the opportunity to interact regularly with service users and have developed our leadership and public speaking skills – vital in communicating the existing work and aspirations of Nulsen Haven to the wider community.

Nulsen Haven is all about the people they help. We had the opportunity to visit some young men who were unique in character and personality. Julian, Chris, Simon and Joshua all take part in home duties, entertain friends (us), and play sport. Through these regular interactions, we did learn that there are in fact more similarities than 'differences' between us.

Being a youth patron for such an outstanding organisation has been a privilege. I speak on behalf of Emerson, Jordan, Tom and myself in thanking Hale, and in particular Mrs Maskiell, for giving us this opportunity, and to all the staff and service users at Nulsen Haven who invited us into their homes to share their lives.

Alex Ninkov





THE GLADYS NEWTON SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAMME

In Year 8 the Student Service Learning programme provides sixteen year 8 boys with the opportunity to help children who have a range of intellectual and physical disabilities. We visit a public school for special needs children in Balga called Gladys Newton. The Gladys Newton programme is designed so that we get to visit the school every fortnight and help disabled children.

At Gladys Newton we take part in activities such as board games and bike riding with young children, or going into a gym with older children. We interact with and talk to the severely disabled children as we know this will help their development. There are many supervisors at the school, which means the children are in a safe environment, free of stress and confusion.

The reason we go to this school is to provide extra support to those who need it. The Gladys Newton staff sometimes need extra support because looking after these disabled children all the time is really hard work and we provide fresh faces for the children to see.

It's a good feeling to know that when we go to Gladys Newton on Wednesday afternoons, we are not only helping the staff we are also making a difference in the lives of these children. I think that the programme has been superb in supporting these children who are in need.

Christopher Ninkov

YEAR 9 STUDENT SERVICE LEARNING

This year, 96 Year 9 students volunteered to be involved in our Student Service Learning program. During 5a and lunch on Tuesdays and Thursdays, these young men visited five different agencies- Mt Hawthorn Education Support Unit, Chrysallis Montessori School, Family Pathways, James Brown Aged Care Facility and St Vincent de Paul Centre. Our students assisted in a variety of ways and for the majority of those involved it was a very positive and worthwhile experience.

The experiences are probably best captured by the following quotes:

Mt Hawthorn Education Support Unit "I was amazed as months passed and I realized these children were able to cope with their troubles in life and still be happy. It made me feel lucky and every minute I had with the kids was lovely and a great experience."

Family Pathways

"I have learnt that I am lucky about who I am and how there are people that are disadvantaged compared to me."

James Brown Aged Care Centre

"I learnt that if I sacrifice a bit of my time I can bring lots of joy to other people. They could reminisce, I would listen, and that seemed to bring them joy."

Chrysallis Montessori School

"I learnt that working with others to help them learn is very rewarding. I felt happy because the kid I was with couldn't wait until the next time he saw me."

My very grateful thanks to the wonderful Year 9 students who volunteered their time and energy this year, and to our fantastic staff who accompany them on their visits.

Mrs J Maskiell Student Service Learning Coordinator

STUDENT SERVICE LEARNING

VIETNAM TRIP

On Saturday 12 April, at a bright and early 5.00am, fifteen eager Hale boys arrived at Perth Airport. With Ms Maskiell, Ms O'Brien, Ms Maskiell's daughter Clare, Ms O'Brien's husband Hung and brother Gerrard accompanying us, we knew we were in for the experience of a lifetime.

Before we began our service learning work, we had a day of sightseeing around the outer provinces of Ho Chi Minh City, culminating in a visit to the Cu Chi Tunnels. After visiting the tunnels we returned to Ho Chi Minh City where we had our first experience with what was to become a favourite Vietnamese dish, Pho (Vietnamese noodle soup).

After a day of sightseeing, we took a group of Vietnamese children, who attend Christina Noble's Sunshine School, to the local water park. The day was a lot of fun, and the happiness resonating from these disadvantaged children was truly uplifting.

Due to a Vietnamese public holiday we were unable to visit the CNCF the following day. This gave us an opportunity for further sightseeing. We visited the largest Buddhist pagoda in South Vietnam, the largest market place in Vietnam and finally the largest Chinese pagoda in Vietnam. After a short lunch break we visited the Vietnamese War Remnants Museum (the Vietnamese equivalent of the Australian War Memorial). It was extremely confronting to see the Vietnamese side of the war and how they justified their actions, because being Australian students we are encouraged

to view the American perspective of the conflict.

The following day we were able to experience our first full day of interaction with the children of the CNCF Social and Medical Centre. For the first half of the day we interacted with mentally and physically disabled children and formed surprisingly strong bonds with them, given that we only spent a half-day with some of them. For the second half of the day we visited the CNCF boy's shelter that cares for orphaned boys.

We awoke early and travelled to Ta Ninh, a centre for visually impaired children. The province that the centre was located in was a Viet Cong stronghold and was sprayed heavily with the Agent Orange defoliant during the war. Many people believe that this spraying caused the large number of birth defects, resulting in blindness, that occurred in this region. We spent the day dancing and singing with the visually impaired children and were amazed at their musical ability and their happy dispositions.

On our last day in Ho Chi Minh, we spent the morning helping at the CNCF Social and Medical centre, interacting with and saying our farewells to the amazing children that we had formed bonds with throughout the week. That afternoon, to leave our mark (so to speak) we painted one of the centre's rooms, leaving many of us with a feeling of accomplishment.

Arriving in the seaside village of Hoi An, we got straight into service learning activities, spending two days at the East Meets West Foundation's Village of Hope. The centre cares for over 150 deaf and orphaned children from the central region of Vietnam. After lunch we spent the day talking and playing with the children and sharing the donations we had brought for them. On the second day we looked in on a lesson for the deaf children who are taught at the school, before playing a variety of sports with the children. We left the centre in high spirits, really feeling that we had made a positive impact on the children there.

Our final SSL activity was a visit to the Hoi An Children's Home, which was actually run by an Australian woman from Perth who had dropped everything to come and work in Vietnam for nothing more than the satisfaction of helping these children. After a talk from Nicole, we began painting the boys room in the home. To see the joy on the faces of the boys as they helped us paint was a fitting reminder of what an experience like this is all about.

For the 15 of us, our experience in Vietnam was amazing, leaving us with lifelong memories and the hunger to do more when we returned home. Many of us remarked that it wouldn't be our last trip helping the disadvantaged. Overall, a trip of this magnitude would not be possible without the amazing work of both Ms Maskiell and Ms O'Brien, and also the support of all the other adults attending. For you to take the time to organise and supervise a rag tag group of boys in a foreign country was much appreciated.



STUDENT SERVICE LEARNING

The 2008 Hale Sony Foundation Holiday Camp for Kids was a profound learning curve and a life changing experience for all involved. A number of recently graduated Hale and St. Marys students volunteered their time and energy over four days to care for 22 children with special needs. Displaying a philanthropic attitude and dedication to affect someone's life for the better everyone worked hard to give the children an enjoyable holiday while providing their incredible parents or guardians a well earned break.

After an orientation day, where the 14 Hale boys and 8 St. Marys girls were given the task of learning everyone's middle names, everyone met the children we would be caring for, amid feelings of enthusiasm, excitement and a lot of nervousness. Quickly the nerves were eased as everyone developed strong bonds with not only their allocated child but many others, finding it was easy to see past someone's disability and recognise them for the wonderful person they are.

Students were personal companions whose task it was to care of and maintain the well being of an individual child over the four days. Despite for many this being an emotionally, physically and mentally draining role, the rewards far outweighed the effort required. The rewards were the

friendships built with the children and the number of laughs and good times shared with them. In an equally demanding role the remaining students acted as assistants, who provided a great help to personal companions and also interacted with the children, developing their own bonds with them.

A number of fun activities were organised for the child to share with their carers. We all enjoyed seeing the children's faces light up whether we were swimming at Beatty Park, horse riding or sailing at the Royal Perth Yacht Club. Other activities included visits by a police helicopter and armored vehicle, an animal farm, the Hale circus group, a Hale brass band, a fire-engine and about 40 motorcycles. We also enjoyed art and craft, karaoke, dancing, sporting games in the quad, face painting and saw Santa, Batman and Wonder Woman.

A strong theme from camp which Father Dougall referred to in the "bush mass" was that of a Random Act of Kindness (RAOK's). One of the great things that is learnt from experiences such as those of camp is that there is a deep sense of happiness and wellbeing felt for all involved in an environment of love, caring and compassion, which is engendered by people performing Random Acts of kindness.

I encourage all boys of Hale school to get involved in activities such as Sony camp, because to experience the atmosphere of love and compassion is truly amazing. It is lessons learnt from experiences like this which help to fulfill one of the aims of the camp, which is to encourage people to get involved with community service.

We would like to thank the Sony Foundation for their immense generosity in sponsoring the camp. We are also very grateful to all of the staff and former students from Hale and St. Marys, and parents who helped in the running of camp. Their efforts were greatly appreciated and essential to the smooth operation of the camp. To Julie Thomas and her wonderful team of nurses we say thank you; without their support the camp would simply not function.

Finally I would like to thank, on behalf of everyone who attended Sony camp, Mrs. Jill Maskiell. With a halo on her head and bell in her hand the "boss" epitomizes the true meaning behind Sony camp by not only organizing for months this wonderful opportunity, but also by being her caring self, and providing friendship and support to all the children and students who attended. Thank you for giving us this great opportunity.

Toby Dawson















UWA SMARTS PROGRAMME

From February to September 2008, seven Year 11 students were involved in the University of WA's extension programme, entitled "SmARTS" which is organised by academics within the Faculty of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

The Hale School students were members of a group of around 80 Year 11 students from 15 metropolitan secondary schools who were organised into small groups to explore particular topics in contemporary culture including:

"Terrorism"

"Australian National Identity"

"Gender and Violence in Contemporary Society"

"Behind Schools: Social Groups, Identity and Pop Culture".

The students from Hale School were Jordan Aitken, Nicholas Bean, Andrew Burton, Jordan Hurley, Arjun Kaushik, Giles Kenny, Emerson Walker.

The students were guided by tutors from the University of WA 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 of WA.

Excellent communication skills and the need for strong collaboration between all group members were fundamental to each group's success. Teamwork, good time-management and goal-setting were all skills drawn upon throughout the life of the programme.

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

At the SmARTS Presentation Evening on Thursday 11 September, there were two equal first prize winners for the Academic Excellence prize.

One group, who presented the topic of "Terror, Terrorism, Terrorist" included Jordan Aitken and Nicholas Bean as group members. This group won the Academic Excellence Prize. The runners up for the Academic Excellence Prize included Jordan Hurley, Arjun Kaushik and Emerson Walker with their presentation on "Questions of Identity".

The group project to win the Innovation prize for effective communication and sheer

flair in performance on the presentation night was a study of Globalisation. The team included Andrew Burton and Giles Kenny.

We congratulate these students for their commitment to this academic extension programme. They gained an experience of university education while still at school and had to be extraordinarily organised to manage the demands of the SmARTS programme in addition to the demands of school.

The University of WA staff running the programme complimented the boys on their enthusiasm and the quality of their ideas.

Mr D Bean

CAREERLINK

It has been a genuine pleasure to see so many of the students in the CareerLink programme demonstrate their many skills and talents throughout the year.

The positive way in which they have met the challenges of the various aspects of the CareerLink programme has been greatly to their credit. Hearty congratulations go to Jeremy Wood for winning the prize for Student of the Year in the Building and Construction course, and Gareth Begg who won the Endeavour Award for his fine effort in the same training area.

Their fine performances and excellent example to others help ensure great success for many others in the course, and continues Hale's strong record of outstanding success in the Building and Construction area over the years.

Aidan Price impressed with his school based work, achieving the prize for top student in Career and Enterprise 2A and 2B.

In recognition of his outstanding reports from his workplace supervisors and strong

academic performance throughout the year, Gareth Begg was awarded the West Scheme prize for the student with the most outstanding record of achievement in Vocational and Educational Training, gaining a medal and a monetary prize for his worthy efforts.

The range of jobs and training undertaken by students over the year has been impressive. Students engaged with programmes ranging from Graphic Design to Heavy Diesel Automotive and worked well to complete either full or partial certificates by middle of Term 1.

Workplacements included PE teaching assistant, web design, cabinet making, boat building and a wide range of other jobs in locations throughout Perth.

Hale students have a reputation for impressing their Workplace Supervisors, and the students this year did not disappoint. Glowing reports from many workplaces led, in many instances, to students being offered apprenticeships, for which we congratulate them.

Students also participated in a number of extra training opportunities over the year and many gained their Senior First Aid qualifications at the end of Term 1.

We wish all of the CareerLink students of 2008 every success in the years ahead. They have certainly done a great deal to secure it this year.

Mr T Parish

DESIGN AND TECHNOLOGY

The Design and Technology department at Hale School sailed into uncharted waters in 2008. The commencement of Materials Design and Technology, the 3rd course of study in our learning area to be introduced to Hale School in as many years, opened the door to many students who in the past were unable to undertake D&T subjects in Years 11 and 12.

Also for the first time our Year 11 Engineering Studies students entered the Robo-Cup Challenge where they placed third in the state finals and then went on to represent WA in the National Robo-Cup Challenge. The success of the Design and Technology students in the broader community continued in other areas as well:

Alex Newman, a Year 11 Materials Design and Technology student, created a sensational Hall Table which won the Fine Woodworking Association "Out of the Wood' competition, the Value Adding Quest Best Year 11-12 Student, Forest Industries Federation of WA Value adding to wood to create a piece of fine furniture, and the Hale Designer Hall Table competition.

David Griffies received a Highly Commended certificate for his Scroll Top Box, entered in the "Out of the Wood' competition.

For the first time we also entered Year 9 cheese boards in the "Out of the Wood' competition, and Callum McGlashan secured 1st place in the Year 9 category.

Then there was our eV Challege team (Clancy Dawson, Callum McGlashan and Kristen Kelly) who skilfully drove the Haley Davidson to 2nd place in their category in the Swan TAFE eV Challenge.

Not only did the students gain recognition for outstanding work, but some of the staff were acknowledged as well.

Toby Trewin was one of two WA teachers to win a Microsoft Innovative Teacher's award in recognition of the range of technologies he uses to support learning, including video safety and technical demonstrations, an online mark book and online assessment.

Haig McGlashan was the recipient of the Design and Technology Educator –Leadership award for WA (2008/9) in recognition of his contribution to the Design and Technology Teachers' Association both at the state and national level.

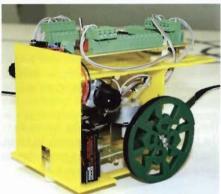
The D&T department welcomed two new staff members in 2008, Mr Jason Dallman replaced Mr Kim Outtrim who went to work at the Curriculum Council, and Mr James Egan filled in for TJ Steenekamp who made the transition into industry for 9 months.

As a new graduate teacher, James Egan's professionalism and dedication to his students catapulted him to a standard of teaching one would expect of a seasoned campaigner, and he quickly became known as the "rookie of the year" within the department. While his stint at Hale was brief, he has left a lasting impression.

Well done to the Design and Technology staff and students for making 2008 a most outstanding year.

Mr H McGlashan Head of Design and Technology











COMPUTING CLUB

2008 has been another successful year for the Programming group of the Computing Club. For the second time, Hale School students took part in National Level Competitions over the Academic year.

The Club entered a team in the senior division of the Australian Computer Programming Competition, hosted by the University of Southern Queensland, which comprised Year 12 students John Hodge, Blair Hurley and Binu Jayawardena. The team was required to use a computer programming language of their choice to solve 5 tasks within a time limit of two hours. A Credit Award was achieved in this competition.

This year a junior division team also entered the Australian Computer Programming Competition. This team had been learning programming for just a few months and performed admirably. The team, consisting of Daniel Marshall, Clark Mei and Evan Taylor, had been learning Pascal and C programming under the mentorship of the senior club members.

The Hardware group continues to develop their knowledge of open source software, and in particular building machines that run with the Linux operating system. This group had a particularly keen Year 8 student, Christian Gismondi, who spent many hours taking apart and re-assembling many different computers.

2008 was a learning experience for the Computing Club and we hope to keep up the good work in the future.



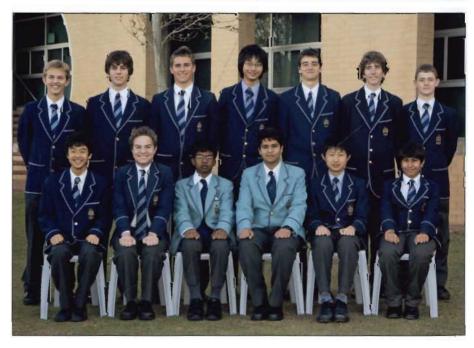
COMPUTER CLUB

L to R: J Hodge, C Mei, B Hurley, Mr M Giles, E Taylor, B Jayawardena, D Marshall

CHESS CLUB

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Back Row: P Oliver, J Hurley, J Aitken, J Wu, R Dougherty, M Graff, O O'Neill Front Row: M Yeoh, E Panos, N Anandan, N Jha, D Xia, T Ruhal



DRAMA

Hale School's brand new youth theatre *redfoot* hit the ground running this year. During the course of 2008 we have been involved in thirteen productions and numerous workshops. The youth theatre company have performed to full houses in our own intimate *redfoot* studio theatre.

MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM

The year began with the spectacular version of Shakespeare's wonderful comedy, A midsummer night's Dream. A cast of seventy transported the audience from the Quadrangle to the magical forests of Athens and beyond. Wonderful performances from our senior students enthralled the crowd. This was a visual feast, a myriad of multicoloured umbrellas providing the setting and atmosphere, together with a live, electric string quartet. A tremendous evening of outdoor theatre.

COMEDY FESTIVAL

A talented and enthusiastic group of redfoot senior students spent their holidays together creating an evening of theatrical comedy. This was a student initiative- completely directed, dressed and performed by members of the youth theatre. Two full houses enjoyed the riotous comedy and the cast are rightly proud of their achievement. The challenge is now on...follow that!

LION, WITCH...

Twenty seven of our youngest *redfoot* members spent a happy three months creating our own version of this classic story. Using Puppetry, Mask and material the show was devised for touring to Primary Schools. The passion and inventiveness of the cast was remarkable and the results simply outstanding. This community work is also at the heart of *redfoot*. There is nothing like taking great theatre into school venues and exposing younger children to the possibilities of theatre and imagination.

SPARKLESHARK

Nine members of the redfoot youth theatre tackled the challenge of Sparkleshark, directed by Old Haleian, Warwick Doddrell, with year 11 student Glenn Langridge, and brought the wondrous magic of the play to life. Surrounded by a magnificent rooftop set in the intimate studio space, the cast brought

their own terrific sense of humour and heart to this inventive story about schoolyard bullying. A wildly fun and beautiful evening of theatre.

SILLY CINDERELLA

This was our first redfoot panto express. A cast of young folk gathered on a Saturday morning and then opened a show the following Monday morning! Playing to visiting primary school children, a good time was had by all, with the wicked antics of Madame Wishy Washy Bishy Bashy, the Ugly Step sisters, Buttons and the delightful songs, in true pantomime style!

Mr D Parker Productions' Manager







CIRCUS CLUB

Back Row: P Oliver, J Hurley, J Aitken, J Wu, R Dougherty,

M Graff, O O'Neill

Front Row: M Yeoh, R Nicholson, N Anandan, N Jha, D Xia,

T Ruhal



THEATRE CLUB

Back Row: A Sandover, J Hogan, B Young, R Herbert-Taylor,

R Lewis

Front Row: S Fitzpatrick, R Nicholson, L Jones, J Bamford,

C Morley, W Chivers



TECHNICIANS' CLUB

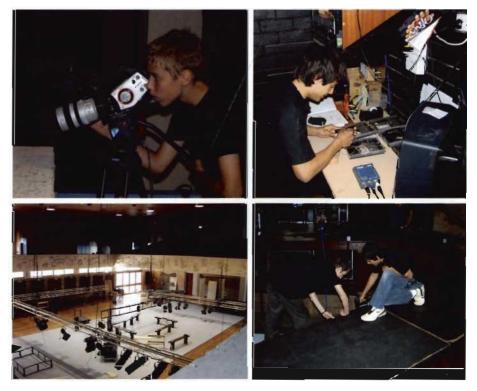
Back Row: L Huxtable, G Van Eden, A Wilkinson, J Helliwell, N Wilkinson, R Wills, W Chivers
Front Row: V Demiris, T Murphy, C McGlashan, Mr G Glencross, T McLeod, J Wong, D Mincherton

What an exciting year for the Technicians Club to be involved in the 150th year celebrations for Hale School. The year started with Geoffrey Glencross as new the Tech Club Co-ordinator. We started the school year doing lighting design and stage management workshops on our Monday club night. We then put those skills into practice when it was required.

The many roles they took on included stage management, rigging lights, setting up stages and sound systems, operating lights, sound and projection. The Tech Club website is maintained by the boys, who use it to photograph and archive events, and keep the boys up to date regarding upcoming productions and show staff required.

2008 was an extremely busy year at Hale School. The boys excelled and worked hard on all of the Events and Productions - they have been good support and are a great asset to the Performing Arts Department.

Mr G Glencross



DRAMA



DRAMA



VOICES & FRAGMENTS

"Logic will get you from A to B. Imagination will take you everywhere." - Albert Einstein

Dozens of students from years 8-12 submitted writing to this year's Cygnet competition. The range and depth of these pieces is impressive. Special mention should go to this year's winning authors; Binu Jayawardena, Michael Heyns, Preston Sudlow and William McKelvie

These writers, of course, are only the tip of the creative iceberg at this school. In the following pages you will find many examples of the bright, unpredictable, strong, sensitive minds at Hale.

I hope you enjoy this year's selection of creative writing from some of Hale's most talented wordsmiths. Read on!

Mr A Curran

RIVER CHILDREN

Giggling, they rushed over the boring rocks,

Come play with me? They asked.

The answer was definite,

With a frown on his face

He replied in silence.

Frolicking, they skipped around,
Tickling, circling, teasing,
Taunting the frowning rock,
Wearing him down,
Let's go, he's no fun.

Racing over the rocks,
Eager to reach their destination,
Still, relentlessly, wearing him down,
Quietly, as had been his custom,
He slipped into death.
Was there to be no punishment?
Laughing, they flew over the rocks
Giggling, they tore over the river bed
Screaming, they flew over the edge.
Michael Heyns Year 12

PREDICTED RESULT

As the day	of reckoning	draws nearer,
We ask	ourselves	the question:
Have we	done all	in our power,
To ensure	our desired	future?
The pot	at the foot	of the bow,
ls hidden	among	endless rows,
Of	unstable	Tables.
Shaking,	Shivering,	Infringing,
An	Intense	silence.

Why is it that I am weakest,
When I need to be at my strongest?
Procrastinators Unite!
Tomorrow...
But never today.

Berlioz would say,

That all is chance, anyway.

The luck of having talent is not enough

Am I seeking something I will not find?
Unless I am searching for meaning
In the four-digit description of my life.
But alas, I have no time to question.
To fail would mean condemnation,
Followed by a sad and lonely death.

Feel the pressure, Live the dream.

For one to pass,

Another must fail.

One must also have the talent for luck

Our future, we wonder.

Opportunities we had.

Opportunities we squandered.

When? What? Why? How?

Forget the past, our time is now.

Good Luck

Binu Jayawardena Year 12

MOORS

The face of the hills lies buried beneath the cover of unseeing eyes.

The sharp blades of the hills drop to the withering ground, like ancient walls standing against time.

The sea of eyes watches; silently alive in the grey air.

The grieving wind stirs the ancient beast, bringing the hill to life.

The distance is blurred; nothing but the white-capped mountains surround this cold, grey monument.

Lines of dark, impenetrable forests adorn the fields below like artists' strokes, decorating darkness.

The roaring wind tries to sever this dormant creature; while the angled sea stays silent, and does not move.

Purple decks the rough feathers, a deceiving mask, for the beauty only illustrates the bleakness.

The quilt of fields lies upon the ancient earth, lies cold, unmoved by the frenzied gasp of the wind.

The haunting mist shields the ghostly mountains, choking the sky.

The brilliant purple stain echoes the anxiety of the land, its radiant imprint etched into my eyes.

The clouds begin to part. The glowing hill in front of me comes alive for a moment, before descending without moving, fading into the hill, dying away. But I know the eyes are still there, watching..

William McKelvie Year 9

TRUMPET SOLO

Salty sea dog
Alloy at his lips
All dishevelled
Sad calls to all my ships

Blair Hurley Year 12

GUARDIAN OF THE NIGHT

The sun's rays pierce the surface of the sunburnt soil,

His outstretched arms exposing the land for the desert it has become.

Animals, machines, plants and people alike,

All forced to surrender to the vigorous midday heat.

They are forever at war, in a battle as hopeless as fighting against the sapphire sky.

As the sun plunges towards the ocean floor, a white blanket fights back against the sun.

Peace, for a moment, but not for long.

A wind of warning swarms the beings of the bush,

Alerting them to one final attack,

Tense from the panic they run for cover.

Swallows sweep into the safety of the trees,

Roos race for cover under the scrub and

Lizards lie still as stone, allowing not even a quiver of movement.

Across the sky, the guardian rises.

His white glance attacks the sun's fierce rays,

The sun stares. He knows that the day is over for him.

He slowly closes his eye below the horizon,

Then stops and waits, hovering, just hovering, silently, above the lip of the earth.

He waits, torturing the bush once more, then shuts his eye and disappears.

Minutes pass, no one wanting to be the one caught out by the final sniper rays.

Little by little, the royal blue night returns peace to the Australian scrubland.

The guardian throws a diamond blanket over the sky to fight the frosty chill

And the perfect cream guardian rises higher and watches over the land.

Life returns to the bush again,

Eagles, emus, roos, and rabbits all go on with their nightly business.

The young kiss their parents goodbye and join their friends in games,

Parents turn, take a few steps away, and stop, look up

And give a nod of thanks to the guardian of the night.

Preston Sudlow Year 9

I've been mates with hurt and friends with pain.

Been enemies with love and things I'll never see again.

I've walked with death and fell with the tears.

I drank beer with regrets and danced with my fears.

I've met the faithful but lost friendship with hope.

I had lunch with my ambitions, had a failed interview with the rope.

I've walked a path leading to the doors of happiness.

I've been called a player and I've been called heartless.

I've run with lions in their freedom world.

Got lost in reality as human kind began to fall.

I've tried to resolve my story's complications,

As the world was replaying the book of revelations.

I've become immune to my arrogance but not quite modest.

I've been trying to solve love but its solution I can't find.

I'm warped and twisted in my mind's manipulation.

I'm trying to find my purpose in my master's creation.

Scott Wilson Year 10

ONE-CHILD POLICY

In the midst of unforgiving storms,
A gloomy shadow and its doomed basket
Take a trip to dark waters far from warm.

The river, keeper of innocent souls

Whistles blurred words and forces a faint smile,

As if it was keeping a secret so crepuscular.

Soft, satin sheets press against dull and draggled dirt
As the shy and fearful old willow tree, a witness,
Sways side to side but says nothing.

The shadow forces itself not to glance down,
Sweat, tears and emotion overwhelming it.
Like a saddened slave, he obeys the river.

One long minute, and the basket does not surface.

A new day has begun, and the cycle starts again.

All that is left for the shadow to do is to hopelessly wonder

If the river-maker had a basket of its own.

Frederick Effendi Year 9

*The basket symbolises the baby. The river represents the law. Thus, the river-maker represents those who make the law. The shadow represents all those parents who had to sacrifice their baby. The willow tree represents all those people who have the power and authority to do something about this law but choose not to.

DANCE OF THE DYING EMBERS

Air wraps around the covering,

Chemical compounds, kinetic connection

A touch of oxygen combined,

A fierce, white, orange light is born.

Illuminating the covering,

A wisp of smoke at its tail,

A perfect arc,

A trajectory blazing by the merest movement.

The thicket alights, dispersing through the hard fibrous material.

The polish once dulled

Now strikingly shiny,

The dark silence broken by a glowing crackle.

The cold disappears, warmth announces its presence,

Flaming fingers casting aside the bitter chill.

Dying embers dance, to greet the heavens

The crescent moon, smiles in agreement.

The shuffling of feet and clearing of throats,

The rituals commence; now striking accord,

A beat, a rhythm and vivacious voices,

Nature witnesses melodic creation.

Benjamin Joseph Year 9

HAPPY HOUR

This place is hostile and filled with anger
Like a crazed addict with a gun
The insufferable memories that plague my mind
The loss that shocked my world and ruined my life
"I can't go on, I can't go on"

And yet I do

My life is nothing without them

And nothing fruitful can ever be regained

From a drunken mistake and one tonne of metal.

Taylor Smith Year 12 (in the style of T.S Eliot)

WHATEVER HAPPENS, WILL YOU BE THERE?

And there I was, enjoying the splendour of my newfound success. I never thought I would get this far, I never thought a black man from Indiana could even set foot into the Kodak Theatre, and yet there I was, hoping that I would have recognition for my blood, sweat and tears in making that movie. Twenty five years on, I still remember exactly how it felt to sit there, and to know that I'd almost made it.

The nominations were announced. I knew that the next day my agent at the time, Phil DeBrazzo, might have a few offers for me, but I didn't care. My life, my youth, were all teetering at the edge of the cliff that is my career.

"The winner, of the Academy Award for Best Actor in a Motion Picture is... Jermaine Hobbs."

The ecstasy that filled the air now filled my soul. I rose up from my seat it was as though I was rising from a golden chariot. As I walked up the staircase to accept my award, the sheer jubilation I felt was like no other imaginable. With all the gratitude to God's good graces I accepted my award, and walked backstage trembling as though I'd seen a ghost. Never did I realize that I had not seen a ghost, but this was the pinnacle of my descent into becoming one.

As days, weeks, months and years went by, numerous awards for living someone else's life were presented to me, and I accepted them. The ever changing colour of the silver screen kept me alive. If I were ever bored of being a UN Peacekeeper, I would wait for three months, and I would be a NASCAR driver, or an FBI agent, or just another black guy in the ghetto, living in a cardboard box, trying to get by.

Five years had passed, and I had soon tired of living a playboy lifestyle, I wanted to meet a nice girl, settle down in Malibu somewhere and relax for a while, playing the occasional doctor or scientist just to get back into the spotlight I loved so dearly. I started my quest for the perfect girl, a pretty girl with blue eyes I could lose myself in, and an intellect to outwit even my most intelligent lives. Girl after girl, it just kept ending in tears, very rarely my own. I began to wonder what it was that these lovely ladies all saw in me. When I look upon my face in the mirror, all I can see is a man, cold, unloved and alone.

And then it all fell into place, while attending the Grammys at the behest of my best friend, the acclaimed record producer, Marlon Kennedy, I glanced across the room, and sighted the most peaceful, serene being I had ever laid eyes upon. I whispered to Marlon that I wanted to meet her, and, like the action man that he is, he made it happen. She had dark hair, darker eyes, and a smile that could overturn entire armies. I didn't even know her name, but I knew that someday she would mean much, much more than all the Oscars in the world to me.

Gautamaram Murugiah Year 12

THE BIG GAME

U14's Grand Final v Scarborough

I stood at the edge of my mark, sweat dripping from my forehead. Butterflies were jumping around in my stomach like crazy. I was nervous, alright, but I was also excited, ready to go. I looked around and took in the atmosphere. People were standing everywhere around the boundary, cheering. It would have been even better if they were cheering for me but I wasn't worried. I could see my brother in the stands holding up a sign. "He's not my brother." How nice.

The umpire, Hugh, looked around the field, making sure everyone was ready. He was a strange guy, Hugh. Some days he could win you the game if he wanted an early finish. But he also saw the batting crease in a different spot on the wicket to everyone else.

He counted the players on the field, three times, before he was happy for play to commence. He lowered his outstretched hands and spoke the word everyone was waiting for.

"Play ."

My run up was smooth and balanced. I hit the crease at top speed, not very fast, but fast enough. The opener, Andrew Rule, played and played at a ball when he should have left it, pitching outside of stump and jagging away sharply. He didn't even see it as it flashed past him into the outstretched hands of the keeper. He walked up the golden brown turf and patted down the non-existent bump. "Must have hit something," he said.

I gave my next ball every ounce of effort I could. I didn't see where it went or what it did, but I looked up to see the middle stump cart wheeling out of the ground. Everyone rushed up towards the middle of the pitch, ecstatic. Parents cheered. Even my brother dropped his sign and started cheering, although we all knew it wasn't over yet. Not by a long shot.

Ashley Blake Year 9

NOSCE TE IPSUM - KNOW THYSELF

"What do you think about reading to me?" said the disembodied voice of my brother.

I was too focused on staring outside the window to heed him much attention. My gaze had been caught by a small oak leaf, drifting from what must have been the roof of the centre, because there definitely weren't any trees nearby.

The world focused to a point, and I imagined myself as that leaf, carefree, drifting in slow chaotic spirals towards the dewed ground, occasionally to feel the soft caresses of the wind lifting, filling with a transient hope...prolonging the inevitable descent.

"Kyle," my younger brother reminded me, "Kyle!" he repeated in that tone which only younger siblings can pull off. The tone of voice which says, "Pay attention to me, pleeease!"

But I'd heard him the first time and I turned around to see what he was saying.

My brother lay on one of those slightly atypical hospital beds that older people can occasionally swing.

The ones that, though they can't ditch the dreary looks of typical patient beds, have managed to retain a little extra padding against the forces of time, and invariably find their way into the rooms of the wealthiest clientele...or the terminal.

You see, my brother was dying.

I looked down on his fading visage, sighing slightly to myself, "Yeah, Davy, what's up?"

David let out a little sigh of exasperation, "I wanted to know if you could read to me, you always were so good," he said.

"I haven't read aloud in ages," I remarked, "why do you want me to anyway?"

He put his head back down on the pillow, "they thought it might be a good idea," he answered softly, his eyes already closing.

"Sure Dave," I whispered, as I quietly sat down to do some homework, "I'll bring something next time."

As my brother drifted off into the realm of waking sleep, I tiptoed out the room, and headed for the forest, the one place that still provided me some solace.

Michael Heyns Year 12

SON TO FATHER

Its getting kind of hard to believe things are going to get better. I'm down on my knees asking for guidance from you my father I've been drowning so long to believe the times are going to turn. I'm still trying to shake off the pain and the lessons I've learned. Please listen to me, I'm stuck and my feet can no longer go further. I've been living to hard to believe things are going to get easier. Yes, life isn't fair but I'm running out of time with your presence. I'm confused with words I'm finding it hard to finish this sentence. I've been a sucker for love and taken all my time for granted. All my loved ones, my hope are the ones I have neglected. I wish I could go back and relive my life but its to late. I'm at the front of our house and I need you to open the gate. I've been running from the world but as you no I have been beaten. I've been chasing ghosts and lost track of what I've been seeking. But a home that I need is in the horizon, dad please take my hand. For the forgiveness, love and sorrow here now I stand. Yes, you were right, I agree but it was my choice. I chose to listen but for once it wasn't your voice. From an infant I have grown by your side, but I now work alone. But times have changed and dad I want to come home.

Scott Wilson Year 10

DUNSBOROUGH

As the tide goes out

The boats that are now beached sit on their sides.

The sand slowly dries in the hot sun

And the pontoon sinks lower towards the sea bed

The sand becomes like a heater in between your toes

The water is like an ice block after the heat of the sand

The sun burns the skin unless protected by

cream or a shirt.

As the tide comes back in it brings the pontoon higher

The boats start to centre again and they float
higher and higher.

Sun goes down and the moon comes up Parties begin, a hard day comes to rest It will all be done again tomorrow.

Dougal Haslam Year 9

LIBRARY



After a busy 2008, Hale students and staff are looking forward to the opening of our new Senior School Library in February 2009.

Planning for this new learning area has been a feature of 2008. Students wanted: comfort, space, quiet, safety, diversity, vibrancy, collaboration, personal space, the ability to modify spaces to their needs, fun ,change...

"The Library should be like a Pizza....It can be changed to suit all types and tastes."

"The Library should be like a Resort....Everyone has their own room, but you meet at mealtimes with others staying there. It's both private and communal."

"The Library should be like an ants' nest... Everything and everyone is working together to promote learning, relaxation and life skills."

"The Library should be like a plane....It takes us to different places."

They will have it all. The 2009 school year will open with an exciting new library space, designed to support all kinds of learning. For readers, there will be couches hidden among the shelves, casual seating overlooking the courtyard, or quiet seats offering Perth glimpses. There will be class areas where students can work at a single table, move tables into groups, or discuss a problem on cushioned benches among the treetops.



A production area, group rooms, coffee table style areas, collaborative and individual computer areas, staff-student discussion areas, and the Library Retreat - each offer different experiences and meet different learning needs. Learning support staff – Teacher Librarians, Information Technology, Curriculum Support and Gifted and Talented specialists, will run programmes and offer support in Hale's new Learning Commons.

Hale School Library will also be the first RFID Library in Western Australia. Resources will be checked in immediately; boys may choose staff assistance or self check out; a hand held remote could be programmed to find that elusive item; and shelf checking will be simplified.

Thanks must go to the many parents, staff and boys who have provided invaluable support throughout the year – on the circulation desk; shelving, processing and covering resources; and with the RFID tagging and programming. Our 'thankyou' Parent luncheon in late November was a great afternoon, and student helpers enjoyed a number of pizza occasions throughout the year.

It was pleasing to have so many boys offer their services to the Library in 2008. Thanks to Year 10s Reagan Leung; Jesse Willison, Josh Morley, Samuel Friend, Harry Rick, Drew Thornton, Brandon Pallas and to Year 9 student Andree ter Kuile. Congratulations to Year 12s Tom Bartlett, Cameron Fitzgerald, Jarryd Yapp, and to Year 11s Vikeer Shah and Richard Wills, who were each awarded Symbols for service to the Library in 2008 and earlier years. Special thanks and congratulations must go to John Hodge who was awarded Colours.

From Year 11 and 12 readers' morning teas, to Year 8 picture book binding workshops, to Year 12 Physics seminars on referencing, to ever changing book displays- a full and active programme of activities was another feature of 2008.

Students enjoyed Author in Residence, Scot Gardner in Term 2 (See Scot's report) and 2008 also featured visits of three other popular authors to Hale School – Morris Gleitzmen, Robert Muchamore and Matthew Reilly.

Students participating in the Youth Literature Days run by Fremantle Children's Literature Centre also had the opportunity to talk writing with Australian authors Matt Ottley, Katy Watson-Kell, Catherine Bateson, Anthony Eaton and Kirsty Murray.

Mrs R Wake

AUTHOR IN RESIDENCE SCOT GARDNER

Excuse me while I gush. I visit a lot of schools. A lot. Some feel like prisons and I can't wait to get home. The irony of working at Hale has been that for the week of my residency I've been living in a prison (the old Fremantle Gaol) and Hale has felt like home!

I don't think it was an accidental fit – Mrs Wake, the lovely ladies in the library (I've been scolded by my publishers for that sort of alliteration!) and all the staff – from the big boss down – have made me feel like part of their dynamic team. I imagine they're welcoming like that with everybody, but it felt like they were well prepared for my visit.

And the boys ... oh man. They made me feel like I was in writer-in-residence heaven. Regaling me with their real-life stories—like the boy who ate his Gideon's Bible (that's what I call 'living by The Word!), the boy who shot Grandpa with his potato cannon (the cannon Grandpa made for him) and the boy who was caught doing graffiti (in his own backyard).

Their fiction ranged from the weird and silly to the considered and finely crafted. They dramatised my book Gravity with a surreal faithfulness to the story and the characters—one of the actors had to win his cross country event in order to make it to the performance in time. Dedication.

Now it's time to move on. That depresses me for a raft of reasons, the biggest being that Hale has moved the bar. It's not fair to compare, but I know I will.

Scot Gardner



PHILOSOPHY CLUB



PHILOSOPHY CLUB

Back Row: Middle Row: Front Row: W Chivers , D Valent, J Fatin, M Bestry, A Burton, S Chandra, J Wells D Laczko, D Xia, J Munt, D Ellis, V Shah, O Hermoso Clarke, A Kaushik

Ms L Owen, R Gillam, B Jayawardena, B Hurley, J Hodge, Z Girando, W Wong, Mr M Wills

This year the Philosophy Club went from strength to strength. A partnership between the Hale School Challenge Programme and the Department of Philosophy, Values and Religion, the club has attracted a significant membership. Under the Captaincy of Blair Hurley, the mentorship of Mr Wills and Ms Owen, the energetic support of the leadership group, the recruitment of members, selection of interesting and challenging topics, the invitation of guest speakers, and the organisation of the year's special events (the Philosophy Camp and this year's Hale School Philosothon), the club has thrived.

During the year, an exciting partnership was initiated between the Hale School Philosophy Club and the St Hilda's AGS Philosophers in Action. This allowed the Philosophy Club to expand its approach to Philosophy and explore the application of the concepts which they enjoy debating. The meeting of the two groups of extraordinary young leaders provided the opportunity for boys and girls to engage in philosophical communities of inquiry, to listen to guest speakers, to debate and have a huge amount of fun. The camp was run over a weekend at Ern Halliday Campsite, Hillarys, and was supported by a number of staff and academics who attended and participated, providing

challenging information, which was then discussed by the student groups. The camp also allowed the two schools the opportunity to come together and share ideas about how Philosophy could be explored in the clubs.

The other major event for the club this year, The Hale School Philosothon, has evolved from an initial nine schools and forty five students, ranging from Years 8-11, to this year's massive sixteen participating schools and three observing schools, with nearly 100 students involved. Again, the competition encouraged students to participate in 'Communities of Inquiry', investigating deep philosophical questions following their reading of background material and their own research. This year, the judges' observations seem to suggest that the standard of inquiry had improved. This competition was initially designed to encourage students across the state to practice the skills being taught in the new Curriculum Council Course of Philosophy, and to experience some sense of competition, in preparation for their involvement in upper school assessment tasks. The judges' report for this year's competition indicated that these objectives are being achieved.

The success of the competition was due

largely to the strength of the judging panel. It was gratifying to host such luminaries as Dr Felicity Haynes, Dr Alan Tapper, Ass. Prof. Stephan Millett, Dr Peta Bowden of Murdoch University, Dr Raymond Driehuis, Drs Miri Albahari, Nic Damnjanovic, Dr Richard Hamilton and Dr Joseph Naimo, as the judging panel. The facilitators, post-graduate students from the various Universities, also provided great depth and ensured objectivity in leading the discussions.

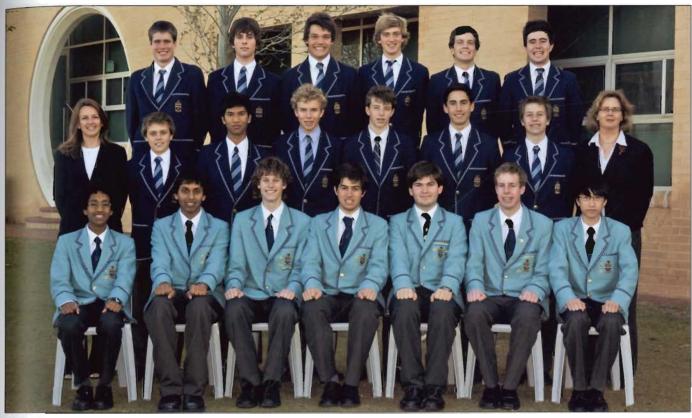
This year's winners, Christ Church Grammar School, provided real challenge to the Hale School team, which took 2nd place, with Perth College in 3rd place. It was good to see so many students recognized with individual medals. In particular, the Association for Philosophy in Schools, Felicity Haynes Award which recognized collaborative engagement, and the Curtin Centre for Applied Ethics and Philosophy Prize, which recognized excellence in logical argument.

We anticipate that next year's competition will be even more challenging and interesting.

Mr M Wills

Head of Philosophy, Values and Religion

MOCK TRIAL



MOCK TRIAL

Back Row: L Bennett-Menezes, J Hurley, G Cunningham, S Bignell, O Johnston, T Taylor Middle Second Row: Ms S Watson, J Payne, S Chandra, D Valent, G Kenny, A Burton, J Hirsh, Ms P Leiper Front Row: E De Silva, R Parameswaran, W McGeehan, B Hurley, L Owen, C Fitzgerald, J Chong Absent: L Freedman, M Heyns, A Kaushik, M Lim

Many new faces appeared to sign up for Mock Trial this year, attracted by the thought of becoming an arm waving, eccentric American lawyer akin to something we might see on Boston Legal, well... it's not quite like that. The old stalwarts knew this already, but were addicted to the adrenalin rush that comes from standing up in front of a real judge (played by a professional barrister) in the Central Law Courts in the city and having to respond to questions and objections and unexpected witness reactions.

For the uninitiated, Mock Trial is a little bit like Debating, only scarier. Instead of being given a topic and a side to take, we receive case details in the form of legal notes and statements of claim, and four witness statements. Each team is told whether they will take the role of the prosecution or the defence. We select two barristers, an instructing solicitor, two witnesses and a courtroom officer. Then we start preparing Our opening statements and questions, while the witnesses learn their statements off by heart, readying themselves to face the opposition barristers' cross examination (which never seems to be very friendly!). The cases themselves are quite interesting, such as the claim for damages from a travel

agent who booked our client's holiday in 'Ruritania', despite warning him that "the natives are revolting." Our client just thought the agent was being racist!

Several training sessions are needed to prepare for the trial night. This year we were assisted by our Mock Trial specialist, Natasja Pollemans, a post graduate law student from Notre Dame University. Natasja shared her expertise about the competition itself, having competed in Mock Trial when she was at school, and was able to explain some of the finer points of law to us laymen, such as the complexities of the hearsay objection (I think we started to get it by the end of the last trial...) and what we can call 'an accident' or 'reasonable care' as opposed to 'assault' or 'negligence'.

No amount of preparation can really ready one for the experience of the actual trial, so it is a case of diving in and hoping that your brain will spring to action when you're faced with a curly question or an unexpected legal argument. The boys became quite good at stalling for time: barristers resorted to asking the judge, "May I have a moment to consult with my colleague?" while he whispered "aaargh" in his 'learned' friend's ear.

It's amazing to watch a trial unfold as both teams argue passionately for their version of events within the constraints of courtroom processes. The boys were articulate, creative, supportive of one another, persistent, and a credit to the school. Despite some great performances we appear to have lost more often than we won, but I'm sure we could use our newfound skills and come up with a good list of reasons beyond our control for why that happened.

We saw some magnificent individual performances from our Year 12s: Ramananan Parameswaran's intelligent and dry performances as witness and barrister; Blair Hurley's clever and intelligent barrister peformances; and Will McGeehan's outstanding role as barrister in Round Three. Special mention must go to Cameron Fitzgerald's reliable and orderly courtroom presence as well as his assistance in creating our Portal page. Enura de Silva, Josh Chong and Luke Owen also performed very well in their roles, and their contributions during practice sessions were invaluable. All year 12s will be missed from the squad next year, but there was a lot of strength in the Year 10 and 11 participants, which augurs well for 2009.



DEBATING

Back Row: S Kelley, G Cunningham, D Chu, J Hurley, C Burch, G Fatin, S Bignell, J Reed

Fourth Row: Mr M Vaswani, J Wells, S Chandra, R Ferritto, G Kenny, R Chappell, T Taylor, O Johnston, A Eranki, P Oliver, O Backhouse,

H Tsaikos, V Shah

Third Row: Mrs B Spagnolo, M Yeoh, A Kaushik, J Munt, J Clarke, C Buitendag, J Hirsch, R Chab, E Teo, C Viska, P Sudlow, Ms E Billes

Ms G James

Second Row: Mrs B Korbosky, S Joseph, J Lindegard, B Hurley, R Parameswaran, N Virgo (Capt), L Owen, M Poh, A Young, N Jha,

Dr D Colclough

Front Row: L Coxall, B Doney, B Joseph, B Cheung, B Taylor, J Hills, A Murdoch, L O'Shea, M Turner, D Laczko

Absent: C Carson, M Lim, H Robinson, A Khuu, L Burton, R Tucker, E James, A Grant, J Halliwell, S Nair, A Sandover

Tremendous participation by boys across all age groups has been a credit to the culture of debating at Hale, as evidenced by the ongoing success of debating teams.

Sixty seven students embarked upon the journey known as the WADL competition. Hale showed off its pure might by having many competitors. However, this meant that Hale teams often came up against one another and would consequently eliminate one another from the competition. Nothing compares to the joy of scoring points over your fellow debaters who you know are as eager as you are to showcase their skills and get the win.

WADL

The WADL season ended with Hale having junior and senior division winners. The junior team of Shane Chandra, Daniel Chu and Sean Kelley were unfortunately eliminated in the octo-finals, after an unblemished run throughout the season. Our senior team of Nihar Jha, Simon Joseph and Ramanan Parameswaran did extremely well, making it into the semi-final against the well regarded Shenton College. In a debate that ultimately gave rise to the winners of the competition, Hale lost in a split decision by one point.

AHISA

After the great WADL season was done and dusted, the AHISA competition began. This competition saw many newcomers to debating. Without the year 12s in the competition we were still able to submit seven teams. We had division winners in year 9, with the team of Robin Chab, Andrew Murdoch and Robert Ferritto, and division winners in year 10 with the team of Shane Chandra, Daniel Chu and Sean Kelley. Congratulations must go to our senior division winners Chris Burton, Sean Kelley and Paul Oliver. Since competing from Year 8 they have finished their AHISA career unblemished, having won all of their twenty debates in this competition.

HOUSE DEBATING

The totally revised set of rules this year was set to change the whole dynamic of the competition. No longer could Houses rely on a single team comprising of seasoned debaters to lead them to victory, as the debating competition was split into year groups. The new change gave rise to a far greater participation rate, while the standard of debates never dropped. Congratulations to all junior students and particularly Year 8 students, many of whom debated for the first

time in front of large and lively audiences. At the conclusion of a closely contested House Debating season, Wilson was crowned the winners.

Regardless of a crushing defeat or a smooth sailing victory, debaters can always rely on the support of parents who provide a means for brainstorming ideas, offer transport to and from debating venues, and constantly show support for extracurricular activities.

It is safe to say that without the efforts of the coaches, debating at Hale would not be as enjoyable or as successful as it is. Thanks must go to Mrs Billies, Dr. Colclough, Ms James, Mrs Park, Mrs Spagnolo and Mr Vaswani, whose efforts are much appreciated by all boys. Mrs Korbosky, Head of Debating, also deserves full thanks from the boys. Despite new management at WADL this year Mrs Korbosky was able to ensure that the debating season progressed smoothly and with great success.

Another year has drawn to a close, and it is my hope that the levels of participation and success in Hale debating continues long into the future.

Niall Virgo Captain of Debating The United Nations Youth Association (WA) Hammarskjöld Trophy Competition is a Model United Nations Security Council Competition open to all students from Years 10 to 12. It attracts over 200 students around the state and is considered one of WA's most prestigious debating competitions. In teams of two, students represent a country on the U.N Security Council and discuss topical issues.

The teams are judged on the quality and structure of their speeches, negotiation skills and research. All boys received excellent feedback on their team's performance while Blair Hurley and Will McGeehan made it through to the finals. These were held at Parliament House and involved some of the best debaters and diplomats from 15 schools.

Year 10 students William Chivers, James Bradbury, Shane Chandra, Daniel Lim, Saagar Shah and James Payne attended a Human Rights Day Forum in March . Hale also attended a Day Forum on 'International Disarmament: Pathways to Peace and Security' where they again heard speakers and participated in educational workshops.

Mrs H Gray



UNYA

Back Row: W Chivers, S Bignell, J Bradbury, Hurley, A Eranki, S Shah

Middle Row: A Kaushik, J Blades, S Chandra, Mrs H Gray, O O'Neill, S Sharma, J Payne Front Row: J Chong, R Parameswaran, J Campbell, B Hurley, N Virgo, W McGeehan,

L Owen, Z Girando

Absent: R Pearce, S Nicholson, D Lim, L Williams

PUBLIC SPEAKING

2008 has seen a lot of Hale School involvement in Public Speaking competitions. At the start of the year, Lincoln Meeking (Year 12) did a fine job at the Lions Youth of the Year competition speaking on community spirit.

First term also saw Charles Viska (Year 8), Preston Sudlow (Year 9), Shane Chandra (Year 10), Arjun Kaushik (Year 11), Melvin Poh (Year 12) and Ramanan Parameswaran (Year 12) compete in the Rostrum Voice of Youth Competition.

In May, Jordan Hurley (Year 11), Niall Virgo (Year 12) and James Helliwell (Year 12), spoke on "Global Warming - Hype or Reality?" and "Environmental Challenges in Commonwealth Countries" as part of the Sir Francis Burt Speech and Leadership Contest.

Finally, James Payne (Year 10) reached the Semi Final of the Rotary "Four way Test" Speaking Competition. James spoke on sexism and how people are denied Opportunities as a result of their gender.

For his involvement in competitions over a number of years, Blair Hurley was awarded

the Public Speaking Prize.

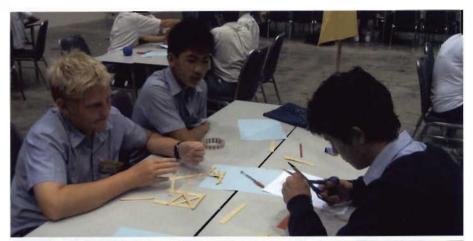


PUBLIC SPEAKING

Ms M Kirk, P Sudlow, J Hurley, S Chandra, C Viska Back Row: Front Row: J Payne, R Parmeswaran, N Virgo, M Poh, A Kaushik

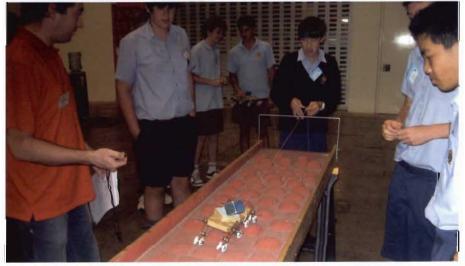
Absent: L Meeking

SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING









SCRAPHEAP CHALLENGE

Hale students have once again proven themselves in the science and engineering field, with 30 of our most talented year 9 minds competing in the National Science and Engineering competition, sponsored by Newcastle University. On the day, the students racked their brains in innovative and challenging tasks designed to further enhance their understanding of science and engineering, as well as to interest them in a possible career opportunity.

The challenges all encompassed the core essence of engineering and posed challenges to the students which are all relevant in today's changing world. These included half day and full day activities, each posing different challenges, and described as reallife scenarios. The half day activities varied from creating the most accurate Air Cannon using plumbing parts, to advanced Power Management Simulators and Optimal Propeller design. The full day activities included "Gold Fever", "Hover Frenzy" and "Mission to Mars", which involved students building a bridge from balsa wood, creating a hovercraft from simple household materials, and producing effective suspension using rubber bands.

Although the boys just missed out on first place and a medal on the day, everyone involved had a great time. The students thoroughly enjoyed the hands on activities and all had great fun. Thanks must go to Mr. Sansalone, all the volunteers who helped put the challenges together and, of course, everyone involved!



GEOGRAPHY

The Geography Department had a busy 2008 which included the National Geography Competition early in the year and field trips for Year 8, Year 11 and Year 12.

Hale was the highest performing school in WA for the third consecutive year in the National Geography Competition, demonstrating the excellent levels of spatial awareness of Years 8 to 12. We missed out on individual student honours - a key target for 2009!

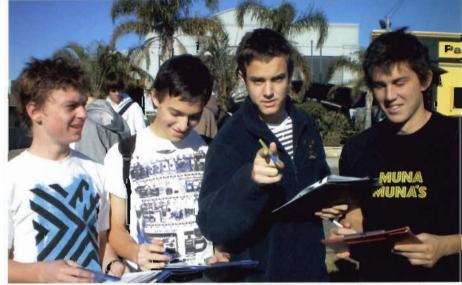
Year 8 students investigated cultural geography in Northbridge and observed how waves of migrants into Perth have changed the urban fabric and spatial patterns of the city. The day included a particular focus on the cultural precinct on James Street and boys asked key questions about its role and function in the city. Boys also integrated Google Earth and handheld GPS systems into their fieldwork for the first time in order to precisely locate various places in Perth. Also included was a practical examination of Americanised cuisine – otherwise known as lunch at McDonalds!

Year 11 students, following the current course for the final time, investigated coastal processes at Sorrento and Trigg - possibly one of the most beautiful areas for field work that could be imagined! Year 12 students undertook urban studies around the city and found time to visit the Alcoa mine at Huntley, where they were given a talk by company representatives into the operations – including restoration work - which occur at one of the largest bauxite mines in the world.

Mr M Crawshaw Head of Geography









FRENCH EXCHANGE

Twenty-three students were given the opportunity to travel to France in April this year for approximately three weeks, during which time they visited Paris, Dijon, Besançon, Lyon and Chamonix.

The six days spent in Paris gave them the time to explore the usual tourist spots; the Eiffel Tower, the Louvre Museum, the Arc de Triomphe, the Musée d'Orsay, Montmartre, Le Moulin Rouge (exterior only), Les Invalides, l'Opéra Garnier; and wander the Champs Elysées. An evening cruise on the Seine and a trip up the Canal Saint Martin were highlights.

From the capital the boys travelled by coach to Dijon where they were welcomed by their host families. Staff decided to take the boys into three other regions of France; the Jura, the Rhône-Alpes and the Alps. In Besançon, (Jura) boys visited the Citadelle, a fortified castle recently listed as a World Heritage Monument.

They also had the opportunity to visit its famous Deportation Museum. Lyon, the gastronomic capital of France, with its Roman amphitheatre, was next invaded by this intrepid group.

Finally, after a rather long coach trip, the boys took the cable car to Europe's highest mountain top, Mont Blanc, before descending into the ice house cut into the glacier, La Mer de Glace.

The experience was much appreciated by all, and some among the group plan to return to France with their family during the Summer break. We are all envious!

JAPANESE EXCHANGE

On Friday, April 11, our Japanese tour group departed Perth International Airport with great excitement and anticipation, although not until after the fastidious Mr Parish had insisted we check our passports every five minutes while we were at the airport.

Our 10-hour Qantas flight passed quickly and, upon arriving at Narita Airport, we headed to Shukutoku High School to anxiously await our host families who then took us to their homes.

On Sunday we had our first free day with our host families, which began our insight into the fascinating lives of Japanese people.

On some school days we attended Shukutoku with our host students, going to various Japanese-English classes, as well as a wide range of others. It was interesting to see Japanese students studying western literary texts such as Othello, particularly as the Japanese students were more knowledgeable than us! While at school, we were often subjected to friendly calls of "Gaijin!"(foreigner) and some of us were constantly surrounded by groups of Japanese girls.

During our 10-day stay we enjoyed experiencing both traditional and modern Japan, including many shrines and temples, modern shopping centres and an open air art museum.

Tokyo Disneyland was a special highlight – so much so that many of us didn't want to leave, causing Mrs Mulligan and Mr Parish (affectionately nicknamed Ninja and P-Diddy/Mum) to literally drag some of us out.

Although sad to be leaving, we enjoyed an emotional farewell party at Shukutoku on our final day. We will dearly miss our newfound Japanese friends and we all intend to keep in touch. On our way to the airport, we did a Tokyo City sightseeing tour and some last minute shopping, during which the fascinating and diverse fashion trends especially caught our attention.

Special thanks for their tremendous assistance throughout must go to Mrs Mulligan and Mr Parish. Our Japanese trip truly was an eyeopening, once in a lifetime experience!

Matthew Yeoh and Terence Xu

LANGUAGE WEEK

The theme for Language Week this year was film. Both cultures have a rich cinematic history and so students in Years 8 and 9 learnt a lot as they researched French and Japanese films, directors and actors.

They then presented their information in the form of posters which were beautifully displayed in the entrance to the Library.

Another highlight of the week was the viewing of a French film in the Music and Drama Centre as part of the very popular Film Club.

As well as the many cultural activities of Language Week, the popular annual soccer match between the Senior French and Japanese students was contested with spirit and won by Dr Dunham's 'French' team.

ALLIANCE FRANÇAISE

2008 was another very successful year for Hale students in the Alliance Française examinations, with a total of four 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 1000 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 11 students reaching this final stage. In the Year 10 category, Adam Wilkinson was placed 8th; in Year 11, Jack Farrell came 9th, and in Year 12, Jonathon Holborn was 7th. Michael Heyns won the 1st prize of a free trip to Paris. Heartiest congratulations to all our students on achieving such excellent results.

JAPANESE SPEECH CONTEST

The 2008 Japanese Language Speech Contest, organized by Edith Cowan University in association with the Japanese Language Teachers' Association of WA, was held at Edith Cowan University on Sunday 31 August.

This year, the sixth consecutive year in which Hale has participated in the contest, Allan Hon in Year 12 and Jay Therry-Lim and Matthew Yeoh in Year 11 represented Hale School and competed against students in Years 11 and 12 from other WA schools.

Each student prepared and memorized a speech in Japanese and delivered it to an audience of teachers, parents and other students, as well as three Japanese judges.

While the number of contestants was higher than last year, the ability level was equally high and all the contestants clearly demonstrated a very good level of competence in the language. Although the top three places went to students from other schools, it is wonderful that Allan Hon was awarded a special Commendation by the judges, which is the equivalent of 4th place.

Congratulations, Allan! Jay and Matthew are also to be commended for taking on this challenge and putting a great deal of effort into it. It is to be hoped that even more Hale students will be encouraged to participate in future contests.

LANGUAGES

FRENCH EXCHANGE PROGRAMME







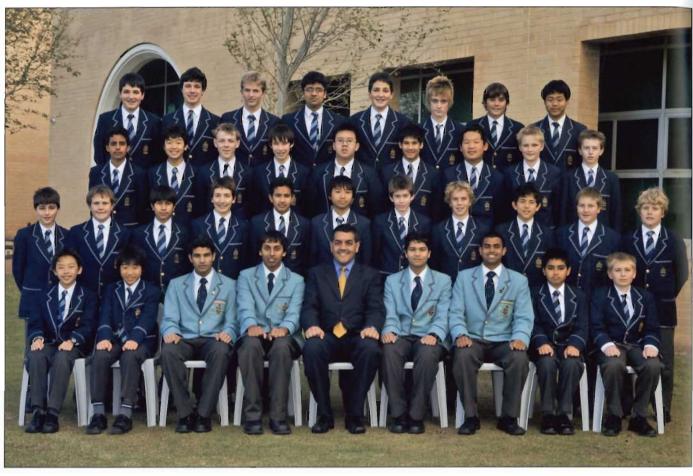
JAPANESE EXCHANGE PROGRAMME











MATHEMATICS

Back Row: J Pirone, R Ferrito, P Oliver, A Eranki, A Pirone, D O'Brien, C Viska, A Wang

Third Row: A Shah, M Yeoh, D Marshall, K Frearson, R Huynh, R Mehra, C Mei, M Vernon, S Ogden

Second Row: L Lilford, H Hales, T Ruhal, A Huxtable, B Joseph, B Cheung, S Bilessuris, L O'Shea, M Warton, S Maingard, E Graff Front Row: W Wong, W Cheung, S Joseph, R Parameswaran, Mr M Vaswani, N Jha, B Jayawardena, A Kapoor, C Linquist

This year the Mathematics Department welcomed Mrs Geetha James and Mr Stephen Lau as permanent additions to the teaching team, while we bade farewell to Mr Robin Shaw. The year began with the acknowledgement of the excellent achievement of Bharath Iyer who secured not only a Subject Exhibition in Calculus but Subject Distinctions in both Calculus and Applicable Mathematics. Kudos also went to Darryn Sherry who received a Subject Distinction in Discrete Mathematics. Worthy of note is the final scaled mean score for the Calculus cohort of 11% above the state mean.

The International General Cambridge Secondary Education (IGCSE) Additional Mathematics course continued this year for the most able Year 10 students. The 2007 cohort sat the external examination in June of this year and the results were outstanding – three 'A-stars' and 12 A-grades within the cohort! One Year 9 Mathematics Enrichment class ran again in Semester 1 with one Year

10 Advanced Mathematics class being run in the second semester.

The Maths Plus and Maths Prime clubs continued their activities and many students were involved in extra-curricular programs and competitions. The Year 8 boys were involved in a Mathematics camp with St Mary's at Araluen and had a great time undertaking various mathematical activities and games.

NATIONAL ASSESSMENT PLAN LITERACY AND NUMERACY (NAPLAN)

Hale School's results in this year's NAPLAN testing for the Year 9 cohort indicated that 65% our students ranked within the top 20% nationwide in Numeracy. This is a staggering result given the overall ranking of WA students when compared to their counterparts in the eastern states.

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 students actively involved.

HAVE SUM-FUN COMPETITIONS

A number of students achieved success in these fun problem solving competitions which took place at St Hilda's. In continuing Hale's fine tradition of excellence in this competition, the senior team came in third overall and the junior team comprising Adam Wilkinson, Darren Tan (Year 10), Ben Joseph, Ryan Huynh (Year 9), Alan Wang and Jaryl Goh (Year 8) emerged in overall second position in their competition.

AUSTRALIAN MATHEMATICS COMPETITION FOR THE WESTPAC AWARDS

This year, Hale School students performed extremely well in the "Westpac Maths Competition" once again. Daniel Bell in Year 8 earned a medal and a prudence award for his outstanding performance. A medal is

MATHEMATICS

awarded to the top student in a year group within a region, so Daniel was the top Year 8 student in Western Australia! The following boys obtained a major prize (top 2%): Darren Tan, Reagan Leung and Matthew McDonald in Year 10; Brendon Doney and Adam Tynas in Year 9; Daniel Bell, Jaryl Goh and Alan Wang in Year 8. Special mention must also go to the Year 11 cohort as 83% of them achieved a Distinction or higher!

UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTH WALES MATHEMATICS COMPETITION

This year, all Year 8 students entered this national competition. Hale School achieved 7 High Distinctions (top 1% of state entrants). Congratulations to Daniel Bell, Jex Fatin, Jaryl Goh, Emrik Graff, Andrew Lawrenson, Alan Wang and Michael Warton.

WEST AUSTRALIAN JUNIOR MATHEMATICS OLYMPIAD

This year, Hale school was represented by three teams. The team comprising Ben Joseph, Ryan Huynh, Adam Tynas and Nathan Stanley emerged as the overall champions, claiming their stake in the team event! Adam Tynas also achieved a merit award for an outstanding personal performance on the day. It is pleasing to see

that Hale School continues to perform well in this annual Olympiad.

DA VINCI DECATHLON – STATE AND NATIONAL

In the State da Vinci Decathlon held in June this year, the Hale team emerged as tops in both Mathematics and Engineering, second in Art & Poetry and third in General Knowledge. Overall, the team secured second position and were later invited to attend the National da Vinci Decathlon at Knox Grammar School in Sydney. Jack Wells, Jex Fatin, Harry Hales, Oscar Hermoso-Clarke, Michael Warton, Charlie Viska, Steven Bilessuris, Andrew Lawrenson, James Pirone and Leighton Lilford worked extremely well in both competitions to represent Hale School with disctinction.

SCIENCE & ENGINEERING CHALLENGE

This year, 32 of our most able Mathematics students in Year 9 participated in the Science & Engineering Challenge. Led by Mr Sansalone and Mr Audino (Head of Physics), this is the third successive year of participation by Hale School. This contest, run by Engineers Australia, saw teams of students competing against other schools to

build bridges, design air balloons and erect air cannons amongst many other activities. Congratulations to the Hale team who emerged in 2nd place by only a handful of points. The students had a fantastic day of lateral thinking and working as a team.

NATIONAL MATHEMATICS SUMMER SCHOOL

Paul Oliver and Sam Khor are two of the six brightest Year 11 mathematicians from Western Australia attending the Summer School in January 2009. Paul Oliver achieved the added accolade of the Larry Blakers Award, being the award for the highest achieving Year 11 student in the group. We wish them well and congratulate them on this outstanding achievement as they keep the Hale flag flying high at this prestigious Summer School.

Congratulations to all the boys who took part, and fared very well, in the various competitions and thank you to all the dedicated Mathematics teachers who helped in preparing and inspiring the students. 2008 has been another year of continued success for Mathematics at Hale and we look forward to 2009 with much anticipation.

Mr M Vaswani Head of Mathematics 2008



HALE DA VINCI TEAM

Back Row: J Wells, O Hermoso-Clarke, A Lawrenson Front Row: C Viska, M Warton, H Hales, J Fatin

COMMERCE



WINNING SHAREMARKET SYNDICATE

L to R: W Udayana, Mr K Moir, C Sheth



CURTIN UNIVERSITY ACCOUNTING EXPERIENCE PROGRAMME

J Barnsley, S Sherring, C Stevens Back Row

Front Row: Mrs S Pearce, N Curry, A Tull, G Moriarty, L Ellis,

Mr A Panarese



MEET THE LEADER SUBI OVAL WITH OLD BOYS

Mr M Ashton, D Pascoe, S Marsh, E Mitchell, C Dodgson, Dann Sokol, M Evans, L Wood, T Wright,

Mr M McKenna



BUSINESS MANAGEMENT CLASS

T Mackie, K Bailey, S Shipway, J McGee, H Marsh, Back Row:

S Sherring, G Begg

Front Row: T Jarratt, E Mumme

Year 9 Justice, Money and Markets and Year 10 Commerce students were kept busy in a dynamic learning environment this year. Commercial issues relating to banking, the sharemarket and government were taught in a period of dramatic change. Year 9 excursions included a visit to Parliament House Question Time during the gas crisis and a trip to the Central Law Courts to observe case law in action and extend students' knowledge of the justice system. The Year 10 Sharemarket Game experienced difficult trading in a bear market. The winning Hale syndicate of Wibi Udayana and Chirag Sheth held onto their \$50,000 and made a \$624 profit, the only syndicate not to lose money. An admirable achievement.

Our Year 11 Accounting students thoroughly enjoyed lunch at Subiaco Oval in May to meet and talk with leaders from business about their career in a relaxed and friendly environment. The Meet The Leader forum, sponsored by the Institute of Chartered Accountants and CPA Australia, aims to highlight the broad range of opportunities and career paths available to members of the professional accounting associations. Members involved included stockbrokers. taxation consultants, forensic accountants and chief financial officers of publicly listed companies.

It was a busy year for Year 12 Commerce Students. Six Year 12 Accounting Students were invited to attend the Curtin University Accounting Experience Programme in 2008. The Programme allows Year 12 students to complete the first year university Accounting 100 unit as an extension to their school studies. Selected students from this programme were also offered the opportunity to attend the Price Waterhouse Coopers (PWC) traineeship interviews. Three of the boys invited to attend these interviews, Grant Moriarty, Stephen Sherring and Lindsay Ellis were successful this year, and will start working for PWC while studying part time in 2009. Nathaniel Currie was also offered a traineeship with KPMG, a fantastic achievement. Craig Stevens was presented with a cheque for \$100 as the Institute of Chartered Accountants Most Promising Accounting Student winner for receiving the highest score on the programme.

In July, our top four Economics students were invited to attend the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of WA's Student Economics Forum. Binu Jayawardena, Ramanan Parameswaran, John Barnsley, and Sid Jain worked with students from other schools to address contemporary economic issues that impact society, government and business.

Our Year 12 Business Management and Enterprise boys were actively engaged creating a small business called 'DVD Unlimited'. The business produced a 2008 Leaver's DVD for Year 12 students and parents. The DVD included video and still footage of the Year 12 cohort over the last 5 years. The class raised \$1,600 for Ride Aid, an amazing achievement, and will give the 'Class of 2008' memories for many years to come.

We farewell a much loved member of the department this year, with Mr Alex Panarese set to retire in 2009. I would like to thank him for his dedication, professionalism and passion in Accounting and Finance over the

Mrs S Pearce Head of Accounting

CHEMISTRY



This year has been a terrific year for the Chemistry Department. Out of the six staff in the department, four of us were new to Hale School and so with no preconceived thoughts, we set about forming strong collegial ties where ideas, resources and teaching strategies were shared, just like a covalent bond. Our department consisted of the 'oldies', Mr Mike Giles (oldies is no pun here) who has been the oracle of all knowledge for us. He will be greatly missed as he embarks on exciting challenges in Albany such as negotiating his way around the ocean in his little tinnie, catching very big fish and, oh yes, taking on the role as Deputy Principal at Great Southern Grammar. The only other 'oldie' is Mr Andrew Dean, who has been so open with his resources and ideas, and a particular help to our newest staff member, Ms Katie Feutrill. Thank vou to Andrew for all the extra work he puts into our department outside of the classroom.

To the 'newies' Ms Katie Feutrill, a brand new teacher who is still under warranty and going along beautifully. Katie is a reflective teacher and she often discusses her experiences with us, and making every effort to improve each day. We have been very impressed with her delivery of the Chemistry curriculum and her excellent commitment to Hale's co-curricular programme. Mr Joe Zlnay was recruited whilst teaching in Ireland and his honest approach and somewhat dry sense of humour have been greatly appreciated. Joe is a big fan of all sports and enjoys his time spent with the boys on the playing fields. Mrs Jean Frost joined us from PLC and has done a wonderful job making cups of tea and of course doing a stellar job as our lab technician.

The Chemistry Department works hard to develop cross curricular links. The Biology Department is currently (and this must have been going on for some time) undertaking a breeding/cloning programme with our safety

glasses. Led by Mr Mark Coombes, they have done an excellent job, as the safety glasses have reached plague proportions. Well done, Biology Department, but you can stop now. We have also developed strong links with the Physics Department. They have been very appreciative of our loud explosions with no prior warning, and as a result we often find them throwing projectiles off the top floor, directly at us. They claim it is simply "experiments based on gravitational force."

The Year 12 students had an excursion to the new University of Western Australia's Chemistry facility. We were invited to sit in on a first year organic chemistry lecture that coincided with the boy's study of organic chemistry. We are keen to continue this link with U.W.A. and I would like to thank Dr Matthew Piggott for his assistance in establishing this connection between the University and Hale Chemistry. Our department hosted Alexandra Moreton for her teaching practicum. Alexandra had been awarded a Hale teaching scholarship, awarded to a student enrolled in a Diploma of Education at U.W.A. She had a great time at Hale and the boys responded very well

As a department we have been very pleased with the way all year groups have embraced the teaching programmes and we are very pleased with numbers of students choosing chemistry in Years 10, 11 and 12 for 2009. This year our department has enjoyed some excellent results. In the middle of the year all Year 10, 11 and 12 Chemistry students participated in the National Australian Chemistry Quiz. In previous years selected students have completed this test, and this is the same for most other schools. We decided this year that all would participate. The results were very encouraging. Remembering we did not merit select our candidates, the Year 10s performed 6% better that the state average, the Year 11s performed 8% better than the state average and the Year 12s smashed their counterparts by a whopping 16% on average. Amongst the Year 12s we had four plaque winners. This puts them in the top

2% of students competing nationwide. Congratulations to Michael Liu (equal top score in the state), Lee Fitzmaurice, Matthew Plumb and Christopher Wilson. Hale put forward nine students for the Chemistry Olympiad Qualifying Examination. All nine achieved a distinction or better! Sam Khor, Nicholas Holgate, Tim Young, Brent Evans and Jackson Farrell all achieved distinctions in this very demanding exam. Joshua Reed, Paul Oliver, Jeremy Huynh and Shrey Sharma all achieved high distinctions. To put this achievement into perspective, these four boys have finished in the top 10% of the best 3-4% of Chemistry students nationwide. an outstanding performance. Finally, I would like to congratulate Michael Liu (Year 12) for being awarded the Chemistry prize for 2008. Michael achieved a school based average of 96% and it was a privilege to have him in

These performances are helped by the efforts of my staff outside of the normal teaching time. All have helped with extra tuition sessions on Monday at lunchtime and Wednesday after school with the Chemistry Calculations Club. Also well done to Andrew Todd, who was named the inaugural Chemistry Calculations Club Captain for 2008.

In 2009 we are looking forward to implementing the 2A/2B Chemistry Course of Study with the Year 11 cohort. We wish Mike Giles every success and happiness as he moves to Albany to take up his post at Great Southern Grammar. Having never managed a department before, Mike has been a significant help to me. At times I have felt like a trapeze artist (not a very talented one) and Mike has been the safety net. The Chemistry Department is indebted to Mike and his cool, knowledgeable manner will be missed. I would like to thank all the Chemistry staff for making our department a friendly, collegial and, at times, a professional working environment.

Mr J Forbes Head of Chemistry





During my time in Hale Music, I have never experienced a year so hectic and busy as 2008. In celebration of the 150th year of Hale School, the number of concerts was increased, often accompanied by an increase in the number of students performing and audience size! The Foundation Concert was held in Perth Concert Hall and drew an enormous crowd of over 1,500 people. Every kind of musical group imaginable performed at the concert, including Symphony Orchestras, Concert Bands, Choirs, Jazz Bands, groups from the Junior School and also combinations of these groups. The result was a highly eclectic and enjoyable concert which will stand out as a highlight in Hale's 150th celebrations.

Also performing at the Foundation Concert were the Sydney Brass Quintet, which made up part of Hale's increasingly successful Visiting Artists' Programme. This also included the world-renowned improvisatory pianist, Dr Justin Bischof. It is always wonderful for students to be able to learn from such talented and respected musicians. There have been many highlights throughout the year: Music under the Stars, Jazz @ Hale,

and even a full scale musical production of Lionel Bart's "Oliver!". However, the memories that many senior students will treasure most will have been created during the Concert Band and Orchestra Tour to Singapore and Malaysia, which was once again a success. This was my second Hale Music Tour and the concerts were definitely bigger, longer and better, with performances from no fewer than three groups.

The Garland Music Competition was once again a fantastic showcase of Hale's individual talented musicians. Congratulations to all who participated, especially those who won their sections, and in particular to Alex Vickery who took out the overall Garland Music Prize.

The Music Department at Hale has been a special home inside the School for the musicians (especially the Year 12's). It is a most relaxing place to study, it is usually quiet and private and Candy, our esteemed Music Librarian, is always quick to open up her lolly jar! I would like to thank all the people who make the department such a friendly and welcoming community and

who work tirelessly to make sure the musical groups are ready for performance. Thank you to Andrew Bushell's Personal Assistant Mrs Maria Waltham, who is always upbeat and cheerful, Candy Harper in the Music Library for her phenomenal organisational prowess and, of course, all the teachers: Mrs Sims, Mrs Chong, Ms Chong, Mr Venables, Mr Kerr and Mrs Ellison. Finally I'd like to thank Mr Bushell, the Director of Music who brings all these elements together into a coherent team.

Good luck to the younger students and especially the new Year 8's; remember to spend time on your music, it will give you great enjoyment in the future! Finally, I would like to thank my fellow Music Captains, Alex Vickery and Lucien Fischer, for all their help throughout the year. I look forward to keeping in touch with all that Hale Music does in the future and wish the Year 11's luck as they assume the mantle of leadership for next year.

Jonathon Holborn Captain Of Music

MUSIC

HALE ST MARY'S CAMERATA

K Chin, M Heyns, L Fischer, Back Row:

A Vickery, A Hon

Middle Row: C Jia, G Zhang, M Gorecki, J Bradbury, C Burch, L Lee,

A Wang

∫ Yapp, K-W Sun, J Huynh, Front Row:

T Takashima, Mrs M Sims

N Virgo, J Wu, D Price Absent:



HALE ST MARY'S CONCERTANTE

Back Row: E Weeda, A Burch, F Hall,

R Tonkin,

L Ntoumenopoulos, R Nicholson, J Perring,

G Chapple

Middle Row: Ms E Chong, E Lamberto,

R Trehan, S Nair, R Huynh, D Laczko, J Leckie, S Perring,

E Robinson, Miss J Skinner

Front Row: A Kapoor, J La, M Fan,

N Harrison, C Sandhu,

T Carruthers, E Wu, P Keong,

A Sandover

Absent: J Beh, J Havlat, H Fulham



HALE ST MARY'S SINFONIA

Back Row: R Lee, M Smith, D Liang,

> W McKelvie, D Werndly, C Ninkov, T Meade,

O Hermoso Clark

Middle Row: Miss J Skinner, N Eastwell,

E Gelavis, K Bennett,

S Robb, M Young, L Fleury,

L Taylor, R Cant

Front Row: M Bowen, N Hayward,

R Gillam, A Khuu, A Pramoko, K Parker, T Vijayakumar, A Davis





HALE ST MARY'S CONCERT BAND 1

Back Row: R Ashwin, J Weir, B Caley,

G Fatin, M Askew

Third Row: C Armstrong, M Ng,

R Chapple, M Lam, B Moody, G Bannan, G Eastwood,

L Huxtable

Second Row: S Embry, C Adler, M Read,

O O'Neill, N Bowes,

J Gardner, L Han, K Frearson,

Mr P Venables

Front Row: D (vanov, L Fitzmaurice,

T Smith, J Holborn, T Bartlett,

A Ball, B Hurley,

N Anandan, S Davies

Absent: A Hall, P Whitfield, N Bean,

E Walker, O Williamson



HALE ST MARY'S CONCERT BAND 2

Back Row: M Yeoh, T Horton, B Pallas,

S McCormack, L Saare, A Bell

Third Row: L O'Shea, J Prince,

P Anderson, N Stanley, J Fischer, D Riddell,

D van der Post

Second Row: T Ruhal, J Lane, A Lim,

L Stüben, A Ferrier,

Mr M Taylor

Front Row: R Stephenson, S Berryman,

I Tyson, G Cunningham, A Vieraitis, A Lewin,

A Birman

Absent: G Dunlap, D Fawkes,

M Heyns, C Russell, S Shah,

E Nie, J Peos, R Yeoh



HALE JAZZ ORCHESTRA

Back Row: C Beecroft-Stewart, B Moody,

J Weir, B Caley,

G Fatin, R Ashwin, C Adler

Middle Row: Mr P Venables, R Dawson,

J Holborn, A Ball, S Davies, L Fitzmaurice,

D Ivanov, Mr G Kerr Front Row: O'Neill, G Eastwood, M Lam,

O Johnston, J Therry-Lim

Absent: E De Silva, P Mazzulla

HALE ST MARY'S CONCERT BAND 3

H Giles, T Rossiter, Back Row:

R Pallas, M Koelemij, J Price, A Caley, B Davis,

C Law, J Whitby

Third Row: A Ho, A Khuu, V Askew,

A Mann, C Tull, C Askew, N Low, L Do, B Weiss,

R Thorne, T Oswald, C Schoenjahn

Second Row: M Wang, K O'Brien,

S Forward, C Panos, L Maclaurin, E Turner, J Wong, M Durand,

M Vernon, L Vickery,

S Bathe

Front Row: S Towler, A Comninos,

J Liu, S Abbott, Mr J Moore, C Ferrier,

M Taba, A Davies, A Whitehead



HALE ST MARY'S CONCERT BAND 4

Back Row: C Savage, H Salter,

D Simmons, B Penny,

N Sawyer, J Hoad, D Ettridge,

R Vieraitis, E Stribling

Middle Row: Mr J Luebbers, K Clarke,

L Ward, H Chiang,

M Jamieson, M Beeson,

A Varcoe, E Chenu, V Kwok,

Mr P Venables

E O'Grady, R Hayward, Front Row:

J Maher, M Salter, S Bilessuris,

S Lee, L Thornton, S Patel,

A Malde



HALE STAGE BAND

Back Row: Mr G Kerr, J Gardner,

P Anderson, A Vieraitis, L Saare, A Bell, Mr P Venables

Middle Row: L Vickery, N Cordy-Hedge,

J Rickett, S Marnewick,

L Stüben, A Lim

Front Row: J Tan, B Pallas, T Bartlett,

N Bowes, S Chandra

Absent: J Havlat, S Khor, J Peos,

R Stephenson





MUSIC CAPTAINS L to R: A Vickery (Vice-captain Instrumental), J Holborn (Captain of Music), L Fischer (Vice-captain Choral)



INHALE L to R: B Joseph, G Fatin, L Fitzmaurice, Mrs S-L Chong, R Chapple



HALE PERCUSSION ENSEMBLE L to R: M Ng, A Ferrier, Mr C Mills, S Bathe, J Fischer Absent: L Ashton, J Gherbaz, E Walker



HALE SAXOPHONE ENSEMBLE L to R: R Ashwin, C Adler, Mr M Collinson, A Vieraitis, A Ball



HALE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

Miss S Ellison, A Wang, G Zhang, J Bradbury, Back Row:

L Lee, J Havlat, Ms E Chong

Middle Row: K-W Sun, J Huynh, C Jia, R Huynh, L O'Shea,

T Takashima

Front Row: J Yapp, A Hon, L Fischer, A Vickery, K Chin

J Wu, D Price Absent:



COMBINED SENIOR CHAMBER MUSIC GROUPS

R Huynh, A Wang, G Zhang, C Burch, L Lee, J Havlat, Back Row:

L Han

R Gillam, M Yeoh, Ms E Chong, C Jia, J Wu, T Takashima Front Row: Absent:

D Price, Miss K O'Hagan, Mr D Russell, Mr A Smith



HALE WOODWIND ENSEMBLE

L to R: M Askew, R Chapple, C Armstrong, L O'Shea, A Birman Absent: N Bean, T Ruhal, Mr A Roberts



HALE STONES

L to R: R Ashwin, J Havlat, Mrs M Sims, J Therry-Lim

Absent: R Tonkin, J Wu



HALE BRASS QUARTET

L to R: D Ivanov, Mr P Venables, L Fitzmaurice, J Holborn, N Anandan



FOURCE

L to R: A Hon, Mrs M Sims, K Chin, J Huynh, A Vickery



HALE COMBINED GUITAR ENSEMBLES

Standing: E McInnes, E Reed, J Hirsch, J Reed, J Abbott, J Feakes,

Mr M Roberts, E James

Seated: J Hanna, A Wilkinson, E Teo, M Kailis, S McCormack,

Y Kailis

Absent: J Dean, R Moynihan, R Pallas, K Shahril



FUNK BAND

L to R: C Beecroft-Stewart, O O'Neill, J Tan, J Holborn,

A Ball, Mr M Collinson, C Adler, R Chapple,

G Fatin

Absent: Mr G Lee



16-IN-A-BAR

Back Row: J Havlat, B Moody, N Bowes

Middle Row: L Vickery, W Udayana, G Bannan, B Cheung,

M Salter

Front Row: J Yapp, A Hon, L Fischer, A Vickery, K Chin

Absent: G Ashforth, N Bean, M Smith



HALE JAZZ ENSEMBLE

Back Row: M Vernon, J Feakes, L Rosher, D Ettridge, L O'Shea

Front Row: Mr G Kerr, A Caley, N Stanley, J Willet,

Mr P Venables

Absent: B Davis, J Ecker, H Giles, C Law, S MacDonald,

T Rossiter, D Simmons, R Yeoh



HALE HARMONY

Back Row: A Wang, G Zhang, L Fitzmaurice, B Hurley, L Fischer, J Yapp, M Smith, J Havlat

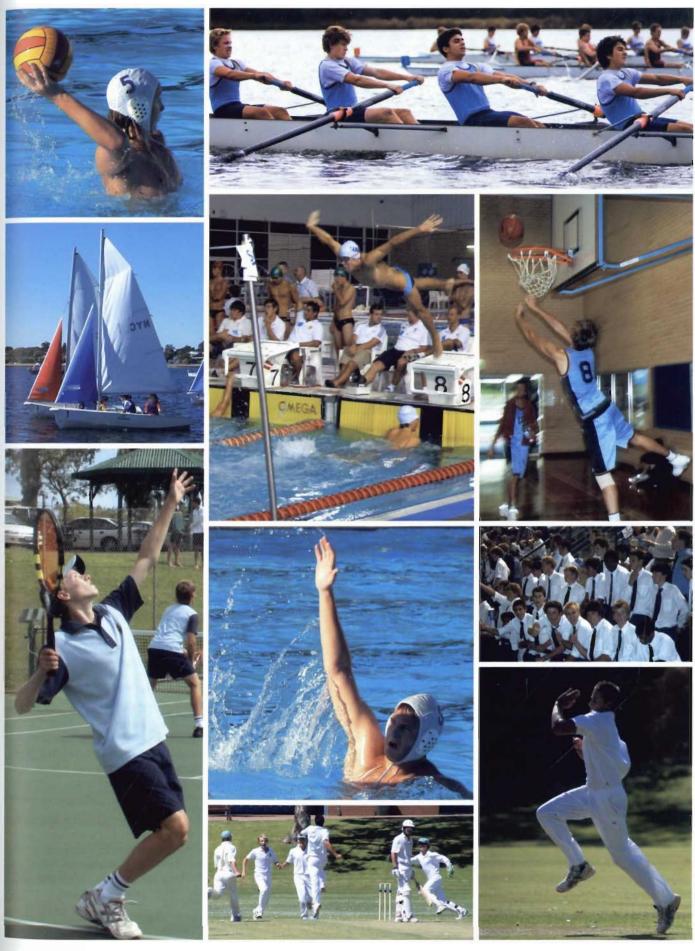
Third Row: T Takashima, B Cheung, B Joseph, J Huynh, M Vernon, M Yeoh, D Laczko, P Keong, J La

Second Row: A Kapoor, L O'Shea, C Scott, L Han, J Munt, R Huynh, C Viska, C Jia, K-W Sun, M Salter, R Gillam Front Row: Mrs S-L Chong, F Hall, D Tan, R Chapple, R Ashwin, J Therry-Lim, W Udayana, L Lee, Mrs M Sims

Absent: E De Silva, B Jayawardena, J Hurley, J Wu, G Fatin, G Bannan, L Frewer, J Murray, D Price, M Smith, R Tonkin, W Cheung,

J Fatin, A Kelly, A Khuu, C Meyer, W Wong

PSA SUMMER SPORT





1ST V BASKETBALL

Back Row: Mr E Cecins, R O'Sullivan, L Thomas, T Sawyer, L Ashby, D Henderson Front Row: S Joseph, J Therry-Lim, J McGee, M Graus, X Davidson, J Gan

Following an undefeated campaign in Term 4 of 2007 there were high expectations that this team could win back the Blackwood Cup for the first time in 13 years. There was an atmosphere of quiet confidence that, provided we played to our full potential, we were capable of defeating all of our opponents, including our greatest rivals in Trinity.

The season began well with a coinfortable 23 point win over Guildford. The final score was 72 to 49 with Ryan O'Sullivan (27 points) and Mark Graus (14 points) leading the way. The game against Aquinas also resulted in a 23 point margin in favour of Hale. This was highly satisfying because it marked our fourth win in a row against Aquinas after suffering big losses to them over an extended period of time prior to Term 4 of 2006. The score was 74 to 51 with four players - Ryan O'Sullivan, Lewis Thomas, Dale Henderson and Mark Graus all scoring in double figures.

The next fixture was against Wesley and this proved to be our most productive game in offence. The margin was also the largest we would enjoy for the season – 43 points. Dale Henderson (20 points) and Mark Graus (22 points) top scored in the 90 to 47 win.

Christ Church was next. Despite Hale getting ahead by 19 points at the midpoint of the second half, Christ Church kept up the pressure and whittled away at our lead. Disciplined play by Hale saw us home by 8 points with the score 77 to 69. Ryan O'Sullivan was dominant with 30 points and was well supported by Mark Graus (15 points) and Xavier Davidson (13 points).

The penultimate game was against Scotch. It proved to be an excellent contest, with Scotch dominating much of the first half. To the credit of Hale, we continued to follow our game plan and eventually the tide began to turn in our favour. After trailing by 3 points at half time we took control in the second stanza and ran out 83 to 63 winners. Lewis Thomas (17 points), Mark Graus (23 points) and Ryan O'Sullivan (18 points) were our leading scorers.

The last game was essentially a grand final against Trinity. Whoever won would secure the Blackwood Cup. A two point lead to Hale at half time was very satisfying because we knew we had the ability to finish the game strongly and maybe get the better of Trinity. Within 3 minutes of the restart Hale pushed the lead out to 7 points thanks to inspirational play by Mark Graus and

fine passing by Xavier Davidson. As the game progressed, Hale became increasingly confident, and pushed the margin out to 20 points before a fightback by Trinity reduced it to 11 points. This signalled the end of the game and Hale, after a very long wait, had finally won back the Blackwood Cup.

At our trophy presentations the following awards were made:

Most Valuable Player - Ryan O'Sullivan

Most Improved - Mark Graus

Coach's Award - Simon Joseph

For the Year 12 group – Ryan O'Sullivan, Mark Graus, Justin Gan, Josh McGee and Simon Joseph – thank you for your unreserved commitment to the team, and congratulations on completing your final season at Hale in such a memorable manner.

To the Year 11 boys – Xavier Davidson, Dale Henderson, Jai Therry-Lim, Lewis Thomas, Tristan Sawyer, Leigh Ashby and Michael Lam – congratulations and thank you for your efforts. You have a wonderful opportunity to perhaps win another title in 2009.

Mr E Cecins

The players in the 2nd V were a select group showing wonderful skills and great commitment. They trained with focus and determination in the early part of the summer season, even in furnace like temperatures. With our great sense of team spirit, the boys executed the established plays learnt in training and came to understand their individual roles as part of a larger team structure.

Wonderful shooting from Michael Lim (Most Valuable Player) made an enormous difference to us throughout the season, ably supported by Riley Pearce (Most Improved) and Tom Smith (Coaches Award)

The work of the entire team has placed us in a solid position for the resumption of Basketball in Term 4. Notable players who will still be with us at this time are Dan Pascoe and Lewis Wood.

As coach, I was immensely proud of the boys and their efforts. It was a pleasure to work with this team. I must also give a special tribute to Mr Cecins (1st Coach) who was a wonderful help throughout the season.

Mr R Clarke

It was a tough season for the 3rds basketball team, but the boys played well to end up near the top of the table with four wins and two losses. We started the majority of our games in a positive manner, but failed to maintain the tempo and pressure against Scotch and Aquinas.

Special mentions go to the Year 12s in the side, particularly Jordan Furner, Lucien Fischer, Lee Chapman, Tim Ho and Chris Hardy. They led the way by attending all of the training sessions and did a great job throughout the season in stamping their authority on the game and assisting the Year 11's through their initiation into Senior PSA Basketball.

A special thanks to all the parents who attended the games to support the boys and particularly for dropping the boys off at 7:30am for our away games. Your time and efforts were appreciated.

Mr P Sansalone



2ND V BASKETBALL

Back Row: T Xu, M Lam, T Sawyer, M Stevens, L Bennett-Menezes, R Pearce Front Row: B Jayawardena, T Smith, Mr R Clarke, L Wood, D Pascoe



3RD V BASKETBALL

Back Row: L Chapman, C Hardie, Jo Furner, L Fischer, T Ho, Mr P Sansalone

Front Row: N Shaw, C Gherbaz, E Li, J Wu, J Reed



4TH V BASKETBALL

Back Row: L Huxtable, S Khor, Mr N Freind, L D'Cruz, D Vijayakumar

Front Row: E Panos, E Cameron, D Tabeart, Y Huang, V Shah

The season kicked off like it always does, with Mr. Sansalone's rigorous 'back to basketball' fitness regime, because allegedly we had been eating hamburgers all holidays. The Fourths were handled by Mr. Sansalone, who covered the fitness aspects, and Mr. Friend, or as we called him, "Friendi". In the first semester, we had the year 12's playing with us. This gave us a good height advantage. We won almost all of our first season games, thanks to Friendi's good coaching, and good on court performances from all the fourths. Overall, it was a successful first half of the season.

The second half of the season, a warm up for next year, started off rather badly. Our illustrious coach, Friendi, didn't show up for our first game. The fourth's crumbled under the lack of leadership. However, the following week we managed to get some of our dignity back. We finished off the year strongly, with wins against Scotch and Christchurch.

Overall, the Fourth's season was a good one, and we are looking forward to 2009.

Mr N Friend



10A BASKETBALL

Back Row: L Davey, L Geidans, L Shipway, J Rivers

Front Row: D Rohde, S Wilson, S Fong, R Bedford, L Falconer

Absent: M Taggart, Mr M Giles

The 10A basketball team had a fine season and made terrific progress on skill development this year.

Our first game was against Guildford and we beat them soundly. Apart from excellent performances from Matthew Taggart and Luke Falconer, Rhys Bedford had a good game, as did first time player Drew Rhode. Lucas Geidans was able to drive well for points and Wen Seng Foong rebounded well.

The next game was a convincing win against Aquinas. James Rivers stepped up and showed us the high level of skill of which he is capable.

Unfortunately, we lost to Wesley, 41 - 60. The score does not do justice to a very closely fought game. Luke Shipway had an excellent game and dominated the rebound boards.

In the game against Scotch, Hale was beaten by a three point shot on the buzzer. Scott Wilson and Lachlan Davey showed excellent scrapping skills and won us many possessions from disputed balls.

It was a real joy coaching this team and witnessing their progress throughout the season.

Mr M Giles

The 10Bs Basketball had an even 2008, finishing 3-3 at the close of the season. Every player contributed enormously to the team.

Our backcourt consisted of Zachary Paul, who had been developing his dribbling, passing and jump shot to great effect and Peter Anderson, who had a flawless inside post game, creating mismatches and drawing fouls.

David Grierson had some tenacious defence and quick hands leading to steals and easy lay-ups. Fraser Simcock had the best in-game jump shot in the team and Harrison, who joined later, added incredible versatility with the height to be a forward and the dribbling ability to be a guard.

For our frontcourt, there was Darren Tan, who possessed a decent drive and probably drew the most fouls for easy free throw points. Michael Kurniawan seemed to create something out of nothing on offence, while Stephen Locke hit incredible shots that had no fundamentals behind them whatsoever. To round it off, myself and Andrew Vieraitis crashed the boards on both ends of the courts and everyone had a great season.

Mr M Wills

The boys of 10C had a great season finishing undefeated.

Special comments need to be made regarding Adam Wilkinson and Clayton Whitsed, who were outstanding all season, both in their attitude and effort during each training session and game.

All the boys listened and applied well the coaching tips given during the season. The boys should be proud of their efforts. Well done.

Mr B Butler



10B BASKETBALL

Back Row: H Schaus, A Vieraitis, Mr M Wills, D Chu, D Tan Front Row: Z Paul, P Anderson, S Locke, M Kurniawan, F Simcock



10C BASKETBALL

Back Row: M Clarke, C Whitsed, A Wilkinson, M Heyns, Mr B Butler Front Row: F Klimaitis, D Hislop, W Charlwood, J Dean, D van der Post



9A BASKETBALL

Back Row: J Prince, J Schoonens, D Crisp, B Pascoe, T Ryan, J Simkovic

Front Row: K Nair, J Hanna, Mr B Hantke, H Bradley, B Joseph

The 9A basketball side had a challenging season. With many new players coming in to the side and a lack of height in the team, the boys had to play an open style of game and rely on their shooting and their transition game to score points.

Throughout the season the side showed a good improvement in skill development. The highlight of the season was the exciting one point win against Christ Church. This was by far our best game of the season, exemplifying tight defence and a patient offense. The last minute heroics of Ben Pascoe to hit two free throws and a "buzzer beater" exemplified his season. Daniel Crisp toiled manfully in the centre position, ably backed up by Jacob Schoonens, James Prince and Jaxon Simcovic as forwards. Keshav Nair and Hayden Bradley were two of our better defenders during the season and Ben Joseph, Joseph Hanna and Trent Ryan tried hard all season.

The boys were a pleasure to coach and I wish them every success in the future.

Mr B Hantke



9B BASKETBALL

Back Row: C Lickfold, N Francis, T Head, M McGellin, D Haslam, M Longbottom

Front Row: J Hills, T Bevan, Mrs P Standen-Burrows, O Callisto, C O'Brien

The 9B basketball team began the season with a spectacular win against Guildford Grammar, giving the team great confidence at the outset. While the rest of the season proved not to be successful, the boys played every game with enthusiasm and courage, making other teams work hard for their wins.

Training sessions were shared with the 9A and 9C teams, with thanks to Mr O'Brien and Mr Hantke for their expertise and fun training games. All players worked on their skills over the season with the most improved being Oliva Callisto, playing his best game in the final fixture against Trinity. All boys in the team also put in a great effort every week, and Cameron O'Brien deserves a mention for showing the most consistency and quiet perseverance for the season. Matt McGellin, Dougal Haslam and Mark Longbottom generously shared their skills and efforts when players were needed in the 9C team, and in return Alex Flett contributed well in his first game with the 9B team.

Mrs P Standen-Burrows

The 9C basketball team improved as the season progressed and can consider themselves unlucky in several of their fixtures.

Several students moved up to the 9Bs after outstanding games in the 9Cs. Particular mention to Matt McGellin and Alex Flett, who consistently performed at a high level and ended the season with the 9Bs. Michael Ogden and Billy Hofmann were sensational as the guards for the team, causing all round chaos for the opposition. They were assisted by Emmit Papadimitriou, who ended the season as the "King of Bump," whilst Brock Fowler continued to play despite injuring himself, demonstrating the level of commitment that epitomises this team.

The team was fortunate to have several players volunteer to play for the 9Cs throughout the season. Mark Longbottom, Dougal Haslam, Josh Price and Thomas Head all made valuable contributions, with Dougal scoring 18 points to lead the team against Wesley.

It was a pleasure to coach and be a part of this team. The positive attitude demonstrated all season is a credit to the players.

Mr J O'Brien

The 8A basketball team made significant improvement during the term but were unable to win a game. They proved to be very competitive in most games and played their best basketball against the undefeated Trinity in the final match.

Ross Sciarrone was easily our most influential player during the season. He had to work hard at both ends of the court as our only key tall.

The sportsmanship displayed in all games was most pleasing, as was the commitment and interest during training. All boys are to be commended on trying to improve their skills and knowledge of the game, and for always giving their best, even when the score line was not always in our favour.

Mr M Walsh



9C BASKETBALL

L to R: E Papadimitriou, A Flett, M Ogden, J Price, W Hofmann, B Fowler, Mr J O'Brien



8A BASKETBALL

Back Row: Mr M Walsh, H loppolo, T Rowlands, R Sciarrone, C Parker, L Wills Front Row: Z Cox, Jn McGee, J Macmillan, L Vickery, J Farrer, J Bardsley



8B BASKETBALL

Back Row: D Bleakley, D Ettridge, N Gan, Mr A O'Garr, S Hodge, B Davis, J Ecker Front Row: C Scott, T Haerewa, T French, K O'Brien, MDavidson, J Hasleby

The Year 8B Basketball team this year have been a very fine group of players who gained from the experiences earned on the court each week. They built on their successes and went on to win 5 games out of 6 in Term 1.

The team worked with up to 12 players for some of the games and they were able to see the benefit gained by a having a large group to draw experience and skills from.

I have thoroughly enjoyed working with these fine young men and encourage them all to continue with this sport into the future. The experience gained against other teams was invaluable and should help all team members in the future.

I am delighted to be associated with such a fine group of young Haleans and I look forward to hearing of their continued success in years to come.

Mr A O'Garr



8C BASKETBALL

Back Row: R Maddock, J Tuckey, D Hipworth, D Simmons, M Ford, E Pirone Front Row: N Hayward, S Thornton, Mr A O'Garr, L Thornton, W Wong

Absent: Mr TJ Steenekamp

The Year 8C Basketball team were a very energetic group of players who tried hard on the court each week.

They learned from their mistakes and built on their successes going on to win four games out of five in Term 1. The experience gained in the games against other teams was invaluable, and should make a big difference to all team members when they next take to the court.

This team will be one to watch in the future, as their good attitude and polished range of basic skills should give them a sound advantage for the remainder of the competition in Term 4.

I was proud to be associated with this group of young Haleans and I look forward to hearing of their continued success in years to come.

Mr A O'Garr





1ST XI CRICKET

Back Row: E Walker, C Murdoch, J Aitken, Mr S Henderson, S Young, S Marsh, A Hall

Front Row: J Bradshaw, T Jenkins, D Mitchell, N Jones, J Payne, N Crosby

Absent: | Wood

The 1st XI commenced the 2008 Darlot Cup season with a reasonably stable line-up, following some sound performances in Term 4 and also in the tour to Sydney in January. Hale won two games in the fourth term, drew its other three matches, and won all three contests in Sydney.

DARLOT CUP

Round 1: Guildford

Hale 216 Wood 77, Mitchell 41 and 3/112 Mitchell 45, Crosby 36 def Guildford 152 Mitchell 5/47, Young 2/16, Payne 2/38.

Sent into bat on a rain-affected wicket, scoring was initially difficult for the Hale openers, although Wood and Crosby both played soundly to take the score to 55 before Cosby lost his wicket.

Round 2: Aquinas

Hale 188 Marsh 67, Walker 29, Jenkins 27 and 9/119 Mitchell 49no def Aquinas 155 Young 4/42, Jones 2/22, Mitchell 2/48.

Hale won the toss, batted first, and was in early trouble at 2/17. A patient innings from Crosby, together with a solid contribution from Jenkins, rescued the situation a little. Then, after a middle-order collapse which had the side 6/84 at one stage, it was left to Marsh and Walker to stabilise the innings.

Round 3: Wesley

Hale 85 Young 23, Walker 21 and 9/125 Jones 36, Wood 28 lost to Wesley 256 Mitchell 3/40, Young 2/42.

An extremely powerful Wesley combination proved that it was by far the best side in the competition with a resounding victory over Hale. Tight bowling from Young, Aitken, Jones, Payne, and Mitchell, who claimed three wickets in one over, meant that scoring wasn't easy for the batsmen.

Round 4: Christ Church

Hale 157 Jenkins 28, Aitken 28 lost to Christ Church 195 Young 3/52, Mitchell 2/32 and 7/90 Young 3/25, Marsh 3/11.

Christ Church won the toss and batted, and its batsmen were in early trouble at 4/40. Young was again in superb form with three of the first four wickets to fall. Hale's batting line-up then failed to deliver for the second week in row.

Round 5: Scotch

Hale 216 Jones 98, Wood 43 and 3/38 def Scotch 148 Payne 6/45, Aitken 2/14, Young 2/33.

Hale won the toss and elected to bat, only to struggle early against some tight Scotch bowling. After being \$450 at one stage, it

took a solid partnership between Wood and Jones to rectify the situation. The leg-spin bowling of Payne was outstanding with 6/45 from 32 6vers.

Round 6: Trinity

Match abandoned on the Saturday morning due to rain. Trinity 9/160 Young 3/25, Jones 3/37.

Congratulations to all players for their superb efforts throughout the season. Sincere thanks are offered to Mr. Giles White for his terrific contribution as specialist coach throughout the season, and also to Mr. Simon Young for coordinating the tour to Sydney. Special mention must also be made of the wonderful ongoing support from parents, in particular with such off-field tasks as the afternoon teas.

Final Points:

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Wesley Colicge	97.05
Hale School	64.()6
Aquinas College	60.99
Christchurch Grammar	54.68
Trinity College	51.62
Guildford Grammar	41.36
Scotch College	38.58

Mr S Henderson

The Hale Second XI had a very successful and enjoyable season, winning 4 of the 5 games played. The season opened with a strong win against Guildford: Hale posted an imposing 5/296, with Anton Hamp and Sam Marsh scoring half centuries. Hale bowled Guildford out for 107, with Sid Jain taking 3/14.

In an absorbing contest against Aquinas, Hale made 8/227, including a memorable 114 not out score by Anton Hamp. In the following match, Wesley ran into superb bowling from Hein Van der Merwe (3/5), with Brent Evans and Tim Young taking two wickets each. Ben Giles made 37 after the openers Jack Bradshaw (24) and Simon Ouenby (20) had set up an easy victory.

Hale ventured to Scotch and fought their way out of some tight spots. Hale compiled 7/234, bolstered by contributions from Todd Lewis (38), Simon Quenby (66) and a pugnacious 52 from Ben Giles when it was needed.

Rex Fleay did an admirable job as captain. Anton Hamp won the Players Award and Hein Van der Merwe was awarded the Coaches Award.

Mr M Campbell

The Hale 3rd XI began the season strongly, eager to maintain their unbeaten record from previous years. They were not to be disappointed, finishing the 2008 season undefeated, and preserving their reputation as the 'Mighty Thirds'.

The 3rd XI squad is to be congratulated on their commitment to training and exemplary behaviour throughout the season. Superbly coached by Michael Farmer, the boys worked hard to retain their position in the squad as they were constantly pushed by players from the 4th XI squad.

Grant Moriarty led by example and received strong support from Vice-captain Paul Nunn. Their maturity and leadership skills were very much appreciated by the coaching staff.

The Player's Award was won by Wynand Breytenbach for his outstanding performance with both bat and ball, and Nick Wilson thoroughly deserved the Coach's Award.

Mr B Will



2ND XI CRICKET

Back Row: A Ninkov, H Van der Merwe, R Fleay, Mr M Campbell, S Quenby,

W Breytenbach, T Lewis

Front Row: S Jain, B Evans, P Vrankovich, B Giles, A Hamp, T Young, T Dawson,

J Cockcroft



3RD XI CRICKET

Back Row: P Broad, D Smith, C Fulwood, Mr M Farmer, N Wilson, M Chapman,

G Langridge

Front Row: J Cockcroft, J Farrell, J Blades, G Moriarty, P Nunn, T Wright, M Sadka,

T Dawson

Absent: S Howieson



4TH XI CRICKET

Back Row: J Campbell, G Eastwood, C Hurley, D Gault, J Helliwell, B Jameson,

R Sutherland, Mr B Will

Front Row: S Khimasia, E De Silva, L Vrankovich, D Counsel, N Jha, M Rosher,

N Anandan

Absent: B Pike, P Burke, M Askew, D MacLeod

The cricket season for the 4th XI began with an internal 20/20 match and losses to Aquinas and Wesley in the next two matches. Despite some very positive bowling and fielding performances, the slow start can be attributed to failure to compile defendable batting totals.

The boys worked hard at training to improve their batting performance. As a result, the team recorded comfortable wins in their last two matches against Christ Church and Scotch. It was unfortunate that the last game of the season was called off due to inclement weather.

The Player's Award was convincingly won by the Captain, Davis Counsel, and James Helliwell thoroughly deserved the Coach's Award for his tireless efforts at training and the vital leadership role he assumed every Saturday.

Mr B Will



10A CRICKET

Back Row: R Palframan, N Vernon, D Marshall, K Bush, T Lewis, D Ingram,

Mr R Piggott

Front Row: S Hooper, N Griffies, S Shah, D Wood, D Vaswani, S Turner, H Mugford

At the beginning of the season I was asked how I thought the new 10A team would go. I felt that there was depth and strength in the batting line up but that they might have difficulties bowling sides out. I couldn't have been more wrong. With the dangerous combination of pace and a double pronged spin attack, sides rarely put up big scores.

Declan Wood captained and set a fine example with his enthusiasm and team spirit. Sam Hooper and Kevin Bush opened the batting for the majority of the season, followed by Declan and Nathan Vernon at four. The middle order of Ross Palframan, Saagar Shah, Deven Vaswani, Tim Lewis and David Marshall contributed important runs at different stages during the season. The lower order of Sam Turner, Hugh Mugford, David Ingram and Nic Griffies were often called on for vital late runs.

The boys should be proud of their season, not only because of their successes on the field, but in the mature and dedicated manner in which they approached their cricket.

Mr R Piggott

The 10B squad of 15 talented players distinguished themselves this season with three wins from five games.

Our leading wicket taker was Steven Kunej finished with 8 wickets. Team captain Lucas Ntoumenopoulos was successful with 6 wickets and Michael Salmon notched up 5. Jesse Willison, James Payne and Shaun Garlick also featured among the wicket takers.

Our batsmen were led by Scott McCormack, with 95 runs and Scott Embry with 82 runs. Opener Riley Hodgson made 68 runs, and earned Riley the Player's Player award for the season. Valuable contributions were made by Lucas Ntoumenopoulos, Samuel Friend, Callen Williamson and Sheldon Smith and some excellent fielding performances by Declan Hewton, James Payne and Morgan Read.

The 10B squad proved to be a team of talented cricketers who displayed good sportsmanship throughout the season. A mention must be made to Chris Russell for his commitment to the team. The 10B's played hard, trained keenly and their record is one of which to be proud.

Mr A Dean

It was clear early on that the 9A team for 2008 were going to be successful as they were a very talented bunch of young enthusiastic cricketers.

Overall, the 9As defeated Aquinas, Guildford and Christ Church, drew with Wesley and Trinity and lost only to Scotch. Batting highlights were Blake Hammersley's 74 not out v CCGS and selection in the 1st XI and Ashley Blake's 54 v CCGS. Other top order contributor's were Zak Fleisher, Andrew Rule and Ben Taylor. With the ball, Mitchell Smith led the attack taking 10 wickets for the year, closely followed by Louis Mitchell, Jack Quenby, Alex Grant, Patrick Wilson and Ross Haylett-Petty. Sebastian Ashford, Clayton Wood, Scott Anderson and Scott Howieson were late inclusions in this team.

Looking ahead, this team has the makings of a strong 1st XI in the Darlot season in 2011. One only needs to look at the quality of boys who played in the 9B team this season who, in any other year, would probably have been selected to play in the A team.

Mr S Young



10B CRICKET

Back Row: C Russell, J Willison, C Williamson, Mr A Dean, D Hewton, S Smith,

M Salmon

Front Row: S Kunej, S Freind, S McCormack, L Ntoumenopoulos, S Embry, M Read,

R Hodgson, J Payne

Absent: S Garlick



9A CRICKET

Back Row: Mr S Young, M Smith, A Grant, A Blake, P Wilson, R Haylett-Petty Front Row: J Quenby, Z Fleisher, A Rule, B Hammersley, L Mitchell, B Taylor



9B CRICKET

Back Row: S Rudd, J McAuliffe, L Michel, Mr J Bausor, J Van Helsdingen, C Wood,

S Anderson

Front Row: C Angelkov, A Jardine, T Elliott, J Metcalfe, A Khimasia

The cricket season was highly disrupted for the 9B team, and over the two terms of play only three full games were completed.

We secured convincing wins against Aquinas and Trinity but were defeated by a strong Scotch side. We also had a convincing win against Guildford in a 20-20 game.

Some of the highlights included Clayton Wood's 5 for 13 against Wesley and Scott Anderson's strong batting throughout the season.

Brendon Lim played well for this team in Term 4, making a quickfire 44 in the game against Guildford and taking 3 wickets against Scotch.

The team played well in all their games, showing great spirit and the capacity to fight hard when under pressure.

Mr A Dean and Mr J Bausor



9C CRICKET

Back Row: N Sawyer, G Bannan, Mr J Zlnay, B Cocking, M Siemer Front Row: T Ruhal, E Nie, J Fischer, R Bothe, D Mincherton

Absent: R Gillam, M Harwood-Nash

The mighty 9C cricket team was made up of a collection of likeable characters that had mixed success this year but always played with enthusiasm. Team consistency was difficult with player movement and also due to the fact that some schools did not field 'C' teams. This sometimes meant the boys had modified games and opponents and indeed played the 'B' side from one school on one occasion.

After a loss to a strong Trinity and a narrow loss to Aquinas, the boys rallied for a great win over Wesley and an honourable loss to Scotch in a riveting game. Highlights of the season included batting performances from Jake Metcalfe, James Mcauliffe, Tanuj Ruhal and Andrew Murdoch. Good bowling performances were turned in by Greg Bannan, Hadi Sharil and Adil Khimasia. Robert Gillan deserves praise for his calculator-enhanced scoring and run-rate calculations.

The boys played with the spirit of the game in mind. Hopefully they will try this fine sport again in the future and remember the fun they had in the MJGHTY 9Cs!

Mr J Zlnay

Term 4 cricket for the Year 8A's was frustrating vet still highly rewarding. Unfortunately poor weather forced washouts of the second day of games against Wesley and Christ Church. The upside of one of those weeks was the boys taking a visit to Revolution Sports in Shenton Park to play indoor cricket with the Year 9A's, which they thoroughly enjoyed. Three out of four games were played at Hale with two of those being played on Craig Oval, which was an awesome experience and one which was enormously appreciated.

Through all this the entire teams' conduct and the attitude which they displayed was outstanding, which made the experience of coaching extremely enjoyable. The boys approached all games and sessions with a great level of enthusiasm, which contributed to positive learning and development of their cricket, both individually and as a team.

Finally, I would like to thank Simon Young for his great support and guidance through out the period, and for giving me the opportunity to coach. I look forward to seeing the progress of Hale cricket.

Mr D Barnes



8A CRICKET

Back Row: Mr A Malcolm, K Cameron, Q Lee-Jones, S Neaves, J McPhee, A Kelly Front Row: L Ashton, A Bell, R Walker, R Williamson, M Turner, H McCracken

Absent. A Shah

During Term 1 the 8B side was extremely successful. They played two games and convincingly won them both. They played their first game against Aquinas, Bowling Aquinas out for a score of only 74, thanks to some great bowling by Matthew Craig and Michael Smith. Then, the B's easily made the score in only 34 overs due to some fantastic batting by Robert Ingram and also a good performance by Jake Brody.

Their second game, against Trinity, was also very successful. They ended up batting first, although they desperately wanted to bowl. The B's delivered a huge score of 156 due to a brilliant innings by Tom Barrass, who made a very well deserved 57. Matthew Craig was extremely unlucky to fall 1 run short of 50, but he too batted very well. Trinity only managed to bat for 39 overs and were bowled out for only 109. This was thanks to a solid bowling performance by Aadarsh Shah, Chris Ninkov, Will Roe and Joel Ebert.

Overall the B's had a very successful Term 1. They deserved every bit of their success.

Jake Brody



8B CRICKET

L Meers, T Barrass, W Roe, Mr V Uphill, M Smith, R Ingram, J Kalamaras Back Row:

Front Row: M Craig, M Blades, C Ninkov, L Rosher, J Brody, R Halai



The 8C team had the most frustrating of seasons this year. As a result of either inclement weather or the failure of other schools to field teams, only three matches were contested. Two wins against Trinity and Scotch Colleges respectively, and a narrow loss to Aquinas, provided limited opportunity for many of the boys to establish a form worthy of promotion into the 8B ranks.

Despite the lack of competition, every individual has further developed their skills, contributed to a positive team spirit and, hopefully, reinforced their love for the game.

Mr J Audino

8C CRICKET

Back Row: Mr S Lane, B Egan, C Buitendag, N Forrester, C Dawson, C O'Connor

Front Row: S Maingard, J Ebert, S Marchese, T Murphy, J Lefroy, B Olma

Absent: S Towns



8D CRICKET

Back Row: J Edmeades, J Pervan, T Longbottom, N Bonaccorso, C Loersch, J Armstrong,

A Hewett, B Rowe

Middle Row: K Mistry, M Carey, M Witt, Mr S Lane, R Percy, J Bando, J Kelly

Front Row: J Menchetti, R Hayward, L Prout, L Williamson, P Shah, T Vijayakumar

Absent: Mr G Williams















1ST VIII TENNIS

Back Row: L Le Cornu, S Bignell, L Meeking

Front Row: R Ferritto, T Smith, Mr I Tredget, T Taylor, C McFarlane

Absent: J Winterton, T Jackson

This season promised to be full of surprises, but no one expected it to unfold quite as unpredictably as it did. The return of Tristan Jackson to our line-up provided us with an obvious boost, but the likes of Rob Ferritto, Lincoln Meeking, Stephen Bignell and Lloyd Le Cornu were still very much unknown quantities at First VIII level.

Chris McFarlane, Josh Winterton, Tom Taylor and our captain, Taylor Smith had more Corr Cup experience and were ready to lead our charge into the first fixture against Guildford. We encountered little difficulty and only dropped one set before leaving with a 23 sets to 1 victory.

A bye the following weekend proved very convenient: it gave us additional preparation time for the tougher fixtures, and Aquinas loomed large on the horizon. Unfortunately, hopes were already fading by the time Ms Kruger arrived to fire up the kettle. Not even one of her magnificent morning teas could help overcome the 4–8 deficit we faced at the half-way mark.

Another bye gave us a chance to regroup, but it also gave time for Rob Ferritto to sustain an injury that unfortunately brought an end to his Corr Cup season. However, the team had to bounce back against the crucial Wesley fixture. Tristan Jackson made short work of his match at No 1 and his impressive victory set the tone for a very successful morning. Stephen Bignell made his debut and performed superbly on the hard courts. A strong performance in the doubles with Lincoln Meeking was followed up by an equally good effort in the singles to claim another two sets. Our 18–6 victory was a genuine team effort.

Next we had Christ Church in our sights. Our win against Wesley had set up a season defining fixture that was greatly anticipated by all. Unfortunately, sportsmanship took a back seat as our opposition saw fit to manipulate their playing order and effectively eliminate true competition at the No 1 and 2 positions. Nevertheless, our boys put up a good fight and our opposition's tactics were not able to undermine the whole fixture. There were many close matches, none closer than Tom Taylor's, who steadily chipped away at a large 2nd set deficit to eventually claim the tie-breaker.

Hale remained in the running for second place, so there was still a lot to play for when we met Scotch on their grass courts. Scotch stormed home to a 13–11 victory and put an

end to our aspirations of a top three finish.

We trained hard and prepared for a pride restoring comeback against Trinity. Unfortunately, a torrential downpour wiped out all PSA tennis fixtures on the final Saturday.

The twists and turns of this competition saw us eventually finish in joint 5th position. Right throughout the season Mark Leuba was always on hand to pass on his coaching expertise, and the boys continued to benefit enormously from his advice and encouragement.

The sheer number of boys on the courts and the quality of our teams across all age groups confirm that Hale Tennis remains very strong.

Congratulations to all boys on a very successful and enjoyable season,

Mr I Tredget

The 2nd VIII Tennis team competed in a successful 2008 campaign, finishing with only one loss for the season. The team comprised of a core of team members, supplemented with many new players promoted from the third squad. Regular squad members Denis Dwiputra, Marcel Bridge, Lindsay Ellis, Dmitry Ivanov, Joel Howard, Alex Carson, Matt Camerer, Andrew Xydas and Arjun Kaushik must be thanked for their regular contribution to the success of the team.

Often a fiercely competitive fixture in every season, the Scotch match proved once again to be a highlight of the boys' season. The contest appeared quite arduous, with our opponents sitting at the top of the ladder and previously undefeated. The team produced numerous personal best efforts to create an upset win.

All boys involved in the 2nd VIII Tennis squad this year have represented their school with a high standard of sportsmanship. I wish them all the best for their tennis endeavors next year and beyond.

Mr T Trewin



2ND VIII TENNIS

Back Row: M Camerer, Mr T Trewin, A Carson

Front Row: A Kaushik, L Ellis, D Ivanov, M Bridge, J Howard

Absent: D Dwiputra

The 3rd VIII tennis team had a very successful season, winning its first four matches before losing to eventual winners Scotch.

The first match against Guildford resulted in a big win, with 12 sets being won 6-0. After such an easy fixture, the boys had to play some determined tennis to overcome the strong Aquinas team, winning 13 sets to 11 in a wonderfully entertaining morning of tennis. The following two matches, against Wesley and Christ Church, resulted in hard fought 15-9 sets wins. Ben Boekeman played some inspiring tennis, which was followed up by comfortable wins to Dane Johns, Keegan Bignoux and Josh Hirsch in their singles matches. The big match against Scotch was played at their hardcourts. On a day when little went right for the Hale team, the Scotch boys won 19 sets to 5 sets.

Special mention must be made of Ben Boekman, who won the overall best aggregate in singles, with Andrew Xydas winning the doubles aggregate. All 17 boys displayed consistently good tennis with wonderful spirit and excellent sportsmanship.

Mr A Panarese



3RD VIII TENNIS

Back Row: M Graham, L Roberts, N Camerer, B Boekeman, J Rickett, Mr A Panarese

Front Row: J Hirsch, D Johns, A Xydas, K Bignoux, M Yeoh



10A TENNIS

Back Row: B Doig, D Hemphill, M Bass, A Parker, Mr D Alderson Front Row: A Ferrier, P Mazzulla, E Leonard, K Sun, E Butler

Absent: L Lowe

The 2008 season turned out to be one of the longest on record and it was great to see so many B players constantly trying to break into the 10A team. Kai-Wen Sun was our number one player all season until he was injured at the end. Ed Butler fought valiantly in the number two spot. Lewis Lowe and Alistair Parker completed our top four. Palle Mazzulla, Alex Ferrier, Ben Doig, Michael Bass and Drew Hemphill made up the rest of the team, with Connor Lowry and Evan Leonard making an appearance.

Our first fixture was against Guildford, winning 16-8 sets, followed by Wesley where we came away with a 13-11 Set victory. Aquinas was always going to be strong, and we came away with a 10-14 loss. Christ Church and Scotch proved too strong for us, and we lost 6-18 and 5-19 respectively.

Thanks to Mr Alderson for his encouragement and we hope that he is able to at least mix it on court with some of the lower seeds next year.



10B TENNIS

Back Row: P Newnan, C Lourey, Ms M Gilchrist, M Shield, D Riddell Front Row: E Leonard, Y Abu Shamleh, F Hall, M Croker, D Patel

Absent: H Lowe, B Clemens

The 10B tennis squad is to be congratulated for their hard work this year. The team was awash with new players and the competition was tough for a spot in the squad.

The team started their season with a comfortable win against Guildford, 23-1 set. Unfortunately that was to be the end of the winning for the 10Bs. The next 4 fixtures all proved to be tough encounters, and while the boys performed admirably, there were no winning results. The final week of fixtures was washed out due to rain.

I would like to thank the boys for their diligent performance throughout the season, and congratulate them for getting up so early for Monday morning trainings. There were several highlights throughout the season. Drew Hemphill is to be congratulated for ending the season in the A team, and a mention must also be made to Yousef Abu Shamieh, who came from the C team to ultimately become a permanent member of the 10B team.

Overall the boys are to be congratulated on a great season.

Ms M Gilchrist

The 10C tennis team completed a very successful season this year, with three wins from the four rounds played.

Round One against Aquinas was a tightly contested affair. The boys played a tough match, but we got there in the end, winning the round. Round Two against Wesley, and Hale won well on games, 112 to 96. Round Three at Floreat Park against Christ Church was a bit of a white-wash, with our team winning with ease. Round Four against Scotch brought us back down to earth a little. Despite our best efforts Scotch came away with a convincing victory. So, we were really keen to finish off the season with a win against Trinity, but it wasn't to be: the weather put a stop to our ambitions.

Well done to our group of core players: Jon, Anthony, Harry, Alex, Matthew, Veer, Dimitri, David, Petros, Harry, Paul, Chirag, and to the enigmatic Wibi, who appeared at training from time to time.

Ms P Leiper



10C TENNIS

L to R: A Vacca, P Alexiou, W Udayana, J Beh, D Laczko, V Shah, Ms P Leiper

The 9A team managed to end the season unbeaten in both term one and term four. On several occasions Hale players managed to double the score of games achieved by the opposition.

Early morning 6.30 a.m. training sessions paid dividends despite the problems with day light saving and training in virtual darkness for the first thirty minutes. During the season the boys played in a variety of positions in the order and with different partners in their doubles matches. They responded well to the challenge and put up some very gutsy performances.

Several of the team have played for the First VIII in term four and this bodes well for the future of tennis at Hale.

Mr M Coombes



9A TENNIS

Back Row: B Doney, R Tonkin, T Begley, C Carson, M McAlpine, J Murray Front Row: T Bigwood, A Tynas, K Frearson, L Frewer, B McAlpine, N County



9B TENNIS

Back Row: L Camerer, S Savage, Mr M Bonnin, F Effendi, M Smith

Front Row: H Shahril, Z Wang, P Sudlow, A Lim, R Yeoh Absent: K Do, S Ashford, R Hindle, S Howieson, B Dillon With the considerable depth in the Hale School junior tennis ranks, this was a very strong B team. The team won all games easily, with the exception of Aquinas, with whom we drew.

There was quite a deal of movement at the lower end between the B and C teams. Despite not having a regular coach, all players took their sport seriously, and their attitude to training and improving their game was excellent, and highly commendable.

Regular players included Brandon Doney, Luke Frewer, Seb Ashford, Matthew Smith, Rory Hindle, Khang Do, Preston Sudlow, Scott Howieson, Rob Yeoh, and Hadi Sharil. There were several other players who played occasionally.

Congratulations on a wonderful season.

Mr M Bonnin



9C TENNIS

Back Row: R Huynh, F Effendi, Mr M Bonnin, N Mozley, R Mehra Front Row: A Shah, Z Wang, L Camerer, A Lim, B Bignoux Absent: L Trouchet, S Ogden, J Burton, S Marshall Hale has considerable depth in tennis at Year 9 level, and the 9C team was very strong as a result. In fact, most players could have played in B teams, so there was quite a deal of rotation.

The 9C team comfortably beat every opposing team, with only Aquinas getting close. All players worked very hard at improving their game, and their attitude was excellent – a real credit to them.

Regular players included Frederick Effendi, Rohan Mehra, Ashay Shah, Simon Ogden, Nicholas Mozely, Aiken Lim, Zeren Wang, and Joel Burton. Several other members of the squad played occasionally.

Congratulations on an outstanding season.

Mr M Bonnin

The Year 8A Tennis Team completed a successful 2008 season, winning 4 out of their 6 fixtures.

A squad of 12 boys shared singles and doubles duties during the competition, training enthusiastically on Monday afternoons and Wednesday mornings where the boys made many improvements in their levels of skill, consistency and understanding of the competitive aspects of the game. Special mention to our outside coach, Jason, for his contributions to the combined training sessions with the Year 9A team on Wednesday mornings.

There were outstanding performances from all our top four players; Alex Lenartowicz, Hamish Robinson, Lasse Stuben and Timm House, who fought hard against tough competition every week. These top four players were ably supported by the remaining eight members of the team, whose results often made the difference to us winning and losing fixtures.

Andrew Huxtable, Joseph Delich and Jack Mussared were all strong improvers throughout the term.

Ms N Ragus

The 8B tennis team displayed great enthusiasm throughout the season. All team members are to be commended on their positive approach to each training session, with commitment and effort being a high priority.

When matches were lost, the team was most positive on their return to training the following week, and they carefully analysed where improvements could be made. This healthy approach to their sport, and to each other, is to be commended.

There was much competitive jostling for position ranking during the season, with many training sessions being extended as players struggled to achieve a result. Team behaviour and manners during the Friday matches, and at all training sessions, was also exemplary.

It has been a pleasure to coach such a cordial and enthusiastic tennis team, and I believe this positive attitude will be evident when they return to the sport at year nine level.

Mr R Watford



8A TENNIS

Back Row: T Anderson, H Robinson, L Stüben, Ms N. Ragus, T Hallam, A Huxtable,

N Sarros

Front Row: J Hasel, T House, J Delich, A Lenartowicz, H Slarke, J Mussared



8B TENNIS

Back Row: J La, M Sie, Mr R Watford, R Baxter, B Young Front Row: M Wang, T Takashima, S Bilessuris, J Maher, L Lilford

Absent: M Allan



next grade, players enthusiastically requested challenges with B team players at training sessions every week. A high standard of sportsmanship developed within the team and all players improved their tennis game throughout the season.

Showing their keenness to advance to the

The 8Cs competed well throughout the season. After a crushing loss against the team of strong Aquinas players in their first match, the team bounced back on court to convincingly win 3 out of the next 4

All players worked hard to be in the team, and most importantly they enjoyed the season of tennis. Well done to all boys in the team!

Ms K Feutrill

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8C TENNIS

Back Row: H Brown, J Wells, C Meyer, Ms K Feutrill, A Wang, C Viska, C Jia Front Row: S Vindin, J Wong, P Allnutt, R Lee, C Schumacher, M Warton, S Patel



The secret of a strong tennis side is in the depth of talent that runs right through the divisions, creating an imperative for those boys who want to compete in the Junior PSA games to train hard and play their very best.

Our Friday afternoon training sessions were gruelling for the C reserves and what I like to call the "D-velopment" squad, as boys pushed themselves to their physical limits in a range of activities designed to improve their tennis skills.

We saw several boys win their way into the hard fought places in the C squad while the rest of us worked on our fitness and technique. Sure, it was tough playing tennis with friends amongst the gum trees (and low flying cockatoos), but we persevered. Someone has to do it!

Ms S Watson

8/9D TENNIS

Back Row: R Shrubsall, D Bell, E McInnes, C McKiever, W McKelvie, M Koelemij,

R Chab, J Clarke

Middle Row: D Gilbey, A Murdoch, D Marshall, Ms S Watson, R Gismondi,

A Abu Shamleh, J Tie

J Goh, I Damant, R Dennis, J Lane, A Kapoor Front Row:

SQUASH

A keen and enthusiastic group of squash players enjoyed improving their skills over the course of second and third terms. As the only PSA school with courts, Hale is fortunate to be able to offer this sport as an option. Our Captain for 2008 was Luke Owen, and his incredible organisational skills resulted in many new players, especially from the boarding houses, trying their hand at squash for the first time.

Unfortunately there was no real interschool competition this year. We did travel to the Cambridge Squash centre for three weeks and played games against Aranmore College and Newman College. The School Squash Championships were held at the end of Term 3 and once again the numbers of junior players participating was impressive. All four games in the quarter finals were decided by narrow margins, indicating the evenness of the competition. The Junior final was between Oliver Pearce and Brendon McAlpine. With their entire English class watching, the two had a tight tussle, with Oliver emerging the victor.

The Senior final was a hard fought affair between Keshav Nair and Vikeer Shah. Keshav is a Year 9 student who could have entered the junior competition, but Mr Alderson would not let him!! Vikeer is in Year 11, so perhaps the same combatants will face each other next year. The 2007 final was characterised by high quality squash from both players. Tight long rallies, mingled with some spectacular drop shots and nicks, were the order of the day. The first two games were won by Vikeer, then Keshav fought back, winning the third. An epic fourth game was won by Vikeer, so he retains the Dean Williams trophy for a second consecutive year.

Symbols were awarded to Luke Owen for his excellent organisation, and encouragement of all players in the squad. Symbols were also awarded to Vikeer Shah for being an enthusiastic member of the squad and being the top player in the school for the second year in a row.

With two such talented young players in Vikeer and Keshav, Mr Alderson will need to be on his toes to remain competitive on court over the next few years.

Mr D Alderson



SENIOR SQUASH

L to R: V Shah, S Shah, Mr D Alderson, L Owen (Captain), A Malde

Absent: K Nair



JUNIOR SQUASH

L to R: A Shah, S Savage, Mr D Alderson, R Haylett-Petty, R Yeoh

Absent: R Mehra



1ST VI VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: R Harvey, R Simmonds, Mr N Peisker, D Archondakis, B Wilson

Front Row: N Gardiner, D Marshall, C de Beer, A Au

This year we started preparing a little earlier than usual. We organised a Volleyball camp at Hale School a week before the start of Term 1.

This was a great experience for all involved, and we will continue with this system next year as well. Morning sessions were aimed at improving individual skills and physical abilities. After lunch we had a rest and undertook some video analysis of games. In the afternoon we had a game or practiced some tactical ideas.

The Trinity College boys came twice to have a game with us, which gave us some valuable match practice. Overall the camp was a fantastic opportunity for building team spirit, and boys really did benefit from this experience.

It was quite obvious that Rhodri Simmonds was improving very quickly as a player. In just one year, Rhodri improved from being the best Hale Volleyballer to one of the best players in WA. Ultimately he was selected to play in the Junior State team and later even in the National Junior team. He also represented Australia in a Junior Volleyball tournament in Europe. It was easy to predict that the boys would vote for him to be Captain of the first team.

Rhodri proved to be a fantastic captain this year. It was great to watch him build strong relationships between the boys.

Younger players close to the first team had the opportunity to experience different training methods. They were impressed with Rhodri and others in the first team, and will hopefully become more and more involved in the game of Volleyball.

Lunch time Volleyball was another innovation for 2008. Every day in term 1 the First team spent half an hour playing Volleyball. During the term, younger players noticed what was happening and decided to join in. This provided a wonderful opportunity for youngsters to have some fun and share a laugh with senior players.

I felt that this First team was stronger than last year, so my expectations were a little bit higher. We finished last year in fourth place, so the plan for this year was to move a little bit higher. We knew that Aquinas was still the best team in the competition, but we were very close this year. That was a signal to me that we could actually finish second on the ladder. We needed to win: at heast 4 games, and we did. We finally finished equal second, after narrowly losing a game to Trinity College.

Thanks to a fantastic group of young people who played for the First team this year, including Rob Harvey, the second best player, and Brock Wilson, a much improved player this year.

Daniel Archondakis and Joash Ng are also big improvers who really played well. Nathaniel Gardiner received The Sportsmanship award, and other excellent players included our Lybero (the best defensive player) Au Avery, and David Marshall (our only setter).

Many thanks to my Expert assistant coach Brad Roogers, who was highly respected by the boys. Finally, I would like to thank Rhodri, who proved to be an exemplary Captain and leader. He is a young man who loves the game but also thinks unselfishly about helping others. I am not surprised that he is the first boy in the history of Hale School Volleyball to achieve Hongurs in this sport. Well done, Rhodri, and thank you.

Mr N Peisker

A final position of third in the PSA standings was probably a true reflection of the season. However, the First and Second placed teams were taken to the wire by some of the best volleyball that this team played over the summer. Hale School accounted easily for Guildford Grammar in the opening fixture, beating them 3-0.

Good volleyball saw Hale put up a strong fight against Aquinas, going down 3-0 in some closely contested sets. Consecutive wins over both Wesley and then Christ Church saw Hale well placed on the ladder. Scotch should have been an easy fixture but Hale made heavy weather of defeating them 3-0. The final game arrived with both Trinity and Hale having only lost to Aquinas. The boys blew the opposition away early on and managed to hold out, but after losing the second set were just not able to pull back.

This team can be proud of their achievements and I thank each one of them for what they taught me about this wonderful game.



2ND VOLLEYBALL

L to R: Mr A Woods, O O'Neill, P Campbell, R Parameswaran, B Caley, L Exel, J Ng,

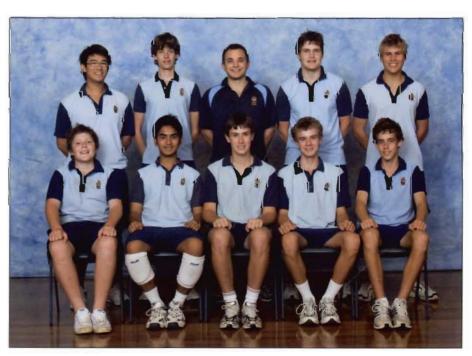
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Absent: C Stevens, T Harper

The first term season had a positive vibe from the first training session with the boys showing great enthusiasm and a firm commitment to the team. The team's resolve was always to give their very best from the moment the boys stepped onto the court until the final ball had been played.

The start to the Term 1 season was mixed. After securing victory in the first match against Guildford, the boys experienced defeat against the traditionally strong Aquinas team. This was to be their only defeat for the season. Teamwork and sportsmanship became the greatest strengths of the Thirds team. The final fixture against Scotch was a nail biter. All team members stepped up to the pressure, led by Captain David Kiel and Michael Ridley whose offensive plays targeted holes in the Scotch defence.

Fraser Beattie and Tom Rolley-Good's powerful serving earned us many quick but crucial points. All team members made every ball count, securing a well deserved 3-0 victory to end the Term One season with a well deserved second place position in the table



3RD VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: J Lam, F Beattie, Mr T Pearse, M Ridley, R Wills

Front Row: W Parkes, A Udayana, D Kiel, J Donnelly, T Rolley-Good



10A VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: S Winter, T Marsh, A MacNiven, T Bennett-Menezes, M Kailis Front Row: D Lim, A Marjoram, S Chandra, M Forsyth, P Chilton

Absent: M Kabir, D Cashmore, Mr M Vaswani

The season began with a game against Trinity which Hale lost 2 sets to 1. Following this close loss, the team trained harder only to be faced with the strong contingent from Aquinas the following week.

Determined not be undone, the team rose to the occasion against Wesley next, defeating them 2 sets to 1. It was a much needed victory, which was followed by another win over Christ Church Grammar. Scotch was up next and it came down to the third set in a very close tie – Hale lost 2 sets to 1.

The final game of the season was against Trinity and after winning the first set the Hale team gave away the second set and was beaten in the third.

It was a season of growth for the team, with team captain Michael Kailis at the helm. Alex MacNiven had the best spike of the season against Trinity,

Peau Chilton grew into the best serve receiver in the team and Adam Marjoram showed the most growth as a player.

Mr M Vaswani



8/9A VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: O Pearce, S Fu Wen, Mr J Ashby, R Herbert-Taylor, G O'Neill

Front Row: J Whitby, B Sprlyan, E Reed, S Tate, D O'Brien

Absent: L Lee

Aquinas continue to be the standard setters of the competition, but the Hale boys did produce some good passages of play against quality opposition. In the following matches Hale continued to improve, winning most except for a tight draw against Christ Church.

In the final match against Trinity the result gave a good indication as to which school was the second strongest in the competition. In the first two sets the Hale boys produced their best volleyball of the season and this resulted in a very strong and well deserved 2-1 victory. The rapidly developing skill level and teamwork have been very rewarding to watch from the sidelines. Well done to all boys.

Mr J Ashby

Under the coaching of Joe Sawyer, the players in this team were able to improve their skills and team work quite markedly.

The team performances overall were very good. Aquinas are always tough and, although Hale lost 0-3, the boys never stopped trying.

In the remainder of the season Hale defeated all other schools except for a hard fought draw with Christchurch and a close 1-2 loss to Trinity.

Many of the boys in this team should be pushing on for a place in the A team during the Term 4 competition. A good effort by all boys.

Mr J Sawyer



8/9B VOLLEYBALL

Back Row: D Liang, M Bestry, C Mei, Mr J Sawyer

Front Row: A Pramoko, A Orr, J Havlat, A ter Kuile, D Shah

Although most of the 8/9 Cs had not played volleyball in the past, consistent training sessions saw a gradual progression in the level of both skills and confidence amongst the team.

From early sessions of under-arm serves that did not make the net, most of the boys were able to serve winners by the end of the season. Of particular note was the marked improvement of Quillan Pritchard, who became a veritable powerhouse in the last few games of the season, consistently winning three or four points off each of his serves. Similarly Daniel Gladwin found his stride mid-season and achieved outstanding court coverage, diving for the ball at every opportunity and demonstrating an admirable level of commitment to the game.

On behalf of all the players and coaches, we would like to thank Brad Rogers for his ongoing contributions to the development of volleyball at Hale. We are all looking forward to continuing our coaching with this enthusiastic squad of boys.

Ms E Billies



8/9C VOLLEYBALL

L to R: C Gismondi, Q Pritchard, Ms Ee Billes, N Shave Absent: D Gladwin, D Werndly, W Cheung, M Anstie



1ST VII WATER POLO

Back Row: M Wansbrough, P Salter, M Pollastri, L Valentine, J Weir, A Todd, B Enright

Front Row: S Fong, H Garland, A Krzus, Mr C Liggins, T Ashford, H Jockel

Absent: G Begg

The 2008 season was always going to be a difficult one, with the competition draw being a staggered affair and every game a 'must win' if the team were going to achieve their goals.

A strong 14-2 win in the opening round against Guildford was a good way to start the season. The team had to work hard for each goal. James Weir looked in control in the goals and made it difficult for Guildford to score.

Round 2 proved to be a season defining game. After being run down by Aquinas in Term Four's competition the previous year, Hale was looking for revenge on our opponents. A mammoth team effort ensured that "the dish, best served cold" was on Aquinas' table, ready to be eaten by the end of the game: 9-7, a truly satisfying Hale win.

The Dickinson Shield had started to pack its bags and bid farewell to its familiar surroundings out at Canning.

The next game, against Christ Church, didn't follow the script we had rehearsed. Hale started very sluggishly. At half time the score was 4-1 and the momentum was with Christ Church. A true 'Captain's Goal'

from Alex Krusz put us back in contention for the Dickinson Shield, leaving us only 1 goal down, with one and half minutes to go in the final quarter.

Hale managed to defend Christ Church's attack, and a timeout was called to give the team a breather and allow instructions for a set play. Lachlan Valentine, Alex Krsuz and Andrew Todd were solid under pressure, and the ball was passed to Phil Salter who was open on the right hand side. His shot was true and this ensured the equalising goal. With thirty two seconds left on the clock there was still one more chance for Christ Church to score. They didn't, Hale defended doggedly and the game ended in a draw.

Fortunately, in round six Aquinas beat Christ Church and Hale beat Scotch, leaving Hale one point clear on the premiership table. One game remained - against Trinity – and it was a game that Hale won comprehensively.

The Dickinson Shield was back on its way to Wembley Downs for 2008.

A special mention goes to Alex Krusz for being awarded the Fairest and Best Trophy in a Dickinson Shield winning team and Sam Fong being awarded the most promising Year 10. All players played a vital role in the Hale Water Polo team and its achievement.

Upon reflection of the successful water polo season I came to the conclusion that many factors are involved in winning. The dedication of the team to train consistently hard and remain focused, working toward the same goal, learning from prior experience, realising that you can prepare as much as you can and sometimes it takes an extra effort to get the result you want. Lastly, a little bit of luck always helps and it should contribute to your humble celebrations of success.

To the 1st VII squad, you should be very satisfied with your performance this season. Cherish your victory, as they do not come around all that often, and look forward to catching up with your team mates in the future to celebrate your win. You will look back on this year and feel pride.

I would like to thank Mr Rob Watt for his assistance with training the senior water polo squad and coaching of the 2nd VII.

Thanks, also, to all the parents who came to support their sons each Saturday.

Mr C Liggins

WATER POLO

A season of missed opportunities and inconsistent offensive play proved the difference between a very successful season and an acceptable season. Many of the players in the second team started to comprehend the fundamental rules and set plays of water polo; I would like to think that they will be pushing for selection in the first team in the 2009 season. There was a physical and psychological improvement from the squad throughout the Term 1 competition, and strong team cohesion was on display in their final game against Trinity, where the ball repeatedly passed through many hands before being put away for a goal.

Congratulations to Sam Fong who was the most valuable player for the team and improved in all areas, particularly ball skills, and James Levian who was the most consistent player for the team.

Credit must go to Mr Rob Watt for his expertise in physical conditioning and willingness to experiment with coaching styles and set plays, and finally thank you to the parents for their continual support at games as they continue to create a 'cauldron like' atmosphere at the Trinity Pool on game day.

Mr C Liggins

There were 37 boys who chose to play water polo at School and their commitment to training and playing matches was fantastic. Most weeks there were three matches on a Friday afternoon, which gave everyone in the squad a good game to play in.

Our Year 8 and 9 teams played 15 matches during Term 1, winning 14 and losing only 1. They scored a total of 226 goals and had just 51 goals scored against them. More importantly, boys developed their skills and ability to play the game well, and they enjoyed the training necessary to achieve this.

Hopefully most of these players will continue to play water polo at School, and for their clubs, so that the wave of success we are experiencing at Hale will continue for some time into the future.

Mr R Brown



2ND VII WATER POLO

Back Row: S Fong, J Carter, G Neugebauer, J Ashley, N Jeffrey, Mr R Watt Front Row: G Papathanassiou, A Fourie, B Enright, D Valent, J Levien

Absent: N Levien, C Hoon



8/9 A WATER POLO

Back Row: R Pallas, N Chapman, J Webster, R Tucker, Mr R Brown, H Scott, A Birman,

B Tapley, A Pirone

Front Row: N Hughes, L Burton, J Pirone, C Law, T Enright, L Hughes, S Forward,

M Jockel

Absent: J Fatin, A Lucchesi

WATER POLO





8/9 B WATER POLO

Back Row: A Caley, E James, N Stanley, J Zuvelek, I Tyson, A Wilkins, S O'Connor
Middle Row: L Jones, M Weir, S Bester, Mr J Wallman, R Atkinson, B Cheung, J Munt
Front Row: Y Kailis, P Papathanassiou, C McKeon, S Bathe
Absent: M Hughes, B Lim











SURFING/SAILING

The annual PSA Surfing and Body Boarding Team Championships were held at Scarborough in August 2008 under the guidance of Mr. Charlie Liggins, Mr. Brett Will and team captain, James Dorrington. Oliva Calista surfed to first place in 3rd division, Scott Rudd secured second place in Division 2, and body boarder Jake Metcalfe won first division comfortably. These three boys must be congratulated on giving Hale the best possible start in the competition.

Other memorable performances included Scott Henderson surfing in the senior body boarding, resulting in him being awarded the Simon Hunn Trophy for the best Hale Body Boarder. James Dorrington, led the team well and is to be congratulated on being awarded the Cordingly Cup for the best Hale surfer of the meet.

Luke Burton secured second place in the final heat of the day for what was a very successful day for the Hale team, finishing second overall. Finally, thanks must go to the dedicated and enthusiastic group of parents who came down and supported the PSA Hale Surfing Team.

Mr C Liggins

The 2008 Teams Racing Championships were again a resounding success and Yachting Western Australia in conjunction with host yacht club South of Perth, ran an excellent regatta. A total of eighteen schools competed in the 3 day round robin event which saw some exciting tactical racing and a record number of races sailed.

For the first time a theory component was introduced to the competition. The objective of the questions set, was to challenge and stimulate discussion on team racing rules to improve the skills of the sailors. Congratulations to our team who, with the guidance of their coach Steven Thomas (old boy 2005), took out the honours by winning the inaugural Teams Racing Theory Trophy.

The team consisted of helms Tom Lovelady (Captain- Yr 12), Mats Koelemij and Tim Rossiter (Yr 9), crews Paddy Anderson-Loake, Sam Jameson, Jasper Dean (Yr 10), and Jarrod Edmeades (Yr 8). The team's preparation this year consisted of some on-water boat handling skills and tactical theory sessions, both at Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club and Royal Perth Yacht Club.

Mrs J Thomas



SURFING

Back Row: Mr C Liggins, S Hodge, Mr B Will Front Row: S Rudd, O Callisto, L Burton, J Metcalfe

Absent: J Dorrington, S Kelly, S Henderson, L O'Shea, A Price, J McGee, N Levien





1ST VIII ROWING

Bow: R Sandover, J Clarke, T Bartlett, K Ward, J Merrey, G Cunningham, A Olsen, Stroke: N Bremner, Cox: T Zaunmayr Coach: Mr D Vernon

Getting up at around 4.30 in the morning on a school day, jumping in a boat on a freezing cold river, knowing you will inevitably get wet, rowing many kilometres and still staying awake at school, all takes commitment. Going home and doing all your homework while you are dead tired takes commitment. The only way Hale school rowing, or any rowing club, can function, is if everyone is willing to invest 100% effort - from boys, coaches, and parents.

Term 4 saw the start of the season, with the first challenge being the Christ Church long distance regatta. In fact, the major challenge was Mother Nature. The water was rough and crews had to row from Matilda Bay to the Canning River and up to the start line at Shelly Beach. With a very strong cross wind the decision to row saw every crew sink, with nobody making it to the start line!

Next was the Guilford long distance race, with 1st VIII and 2nd VIII rowing a 6km race, while the 3rd VIII, Senior quads and year 10 crews rowed a 3km race. This was the Hale School crews' first chance to gauge how the other schools were performing.

Term 4 holiday was a break from school, but not for the dedicated boys who gave up their sleep-ins to go training. Rowing camp for Year 9s to 12s consisted of up to 3 sessions a day, while for Year 10 and Senior crews the camp was residential, so boys stayed at the boarding house.

The first regatta for 2008 was the Wesley indoor regatta, completed on ergometers, where every boy was going for a personal best on their 2000m time. While rowing an ergometer is different from rowing a boat, Hale placed fourth on the day, with the Year 10 crew showing great promise.

Each regatta saw an improvement in the performance of many Hale crews. This year's 1st VIII, coached by Mr Daniel Vernon, consisted of four Year 12s; Tom Zaunmayr, Adam Olsen, Tom Bartlett and James Clarke,as well as five Year 11s; Nick Bremner, George Cunningham, Jackson Merry, Kayne Ward and Rob Sandover.

The beginning of the racing season saw Hale and Guilford battling out for sixth and seventh, but as the season progressed our 1st VIII improved, placing themselves within the middle of the field and eventually placing a credible 4th place at the Head of the River, only 0.8 of a second away from second place.

The 2nd VIII, coached by Father Dougal

Ethell, had an inconsistent season. After a win in the 500 metre sprint at the Scotch College regatta, their efforts over 2000m found them towards the back of the field. To their credit they kept training with enthusiasm, and their 5th place at the Head of the River was a sound result in what was a strong 2nd VIII field.

The 3rd VIII saw most of their racing in the middle of the pack, made possible by coaches Mr James Stewart, Mr Karim Johnson and Mr Stefan Testi. The 3rd VIII, while not a physically strong crew, showed great determination. This determination saw the crew place 4th at the Head of the River.

The Senior Quads were made up of rowers from the Year 10 (1st Quad) and Year 9 (2nd Quad) year groups. These younger boys showed great resolve to row in races that were longer than they had been accustomed to.

The 10A VIII was Hale School's most successful crew throughout the season. Their training consisted of a large volume of work being completed on ergometers to improve strength and fitness. This training programme, overseen by Mr Mike Higgins, paid off, seeing them placed first in many races. An unfortunate injury a few weeks out

from Head of the River saw the boys share second with Christ Church on the day.

The 10B VIII did not share the same results as the 10A's, but they trained just as hard. Coached by Mr Perrin Franks, the boys placed 6th at the Head of the river. The Year 10 Quad, coached by Mr Sandy Burt, enjoyed pleasing results for their efforts in lead-up regattas. Their fitness improved significantly during the season, with them placing 4th at the Head of the river.

The Year 9 crews benefitted from the experienced coaching of Mr David Bean, Mr Keith Reynolds and their team of coaches. At the Head of the River the 9A, 9B, 9C, 9D and 9E quads placed 5th, 7th, 2nd, 4th and 4th respectively. I urge all Year 9 boys to continue with their rowing, irrespective of the crew they were in, as many 1st VIII rowers started their racing in lower crews in Year 9.

A special mention needs to be made to the Boatshed Manager, Mr Sandy Burt, who maintained the boats for us throughout the season. On behalf of the students who rowed for Hale School in 2008, I wish to thank the coaches for their time and effort. Also many thanks go to the Parent Support Group co-ordinators and parents who helped throughout the season, getting their sons to rowing training every morning.

I wish all boys in Years 8 to 11 good water and great racing for next season, and I look forward to seeing Hale crews go from strength to strength in 2009.

Adam Olsen Captain of Boats





2ND VIII ROWING

Bow: R Bracken, T Lovelady, A Diamond, L Burges, A Wood-Collier, M Plumb, K Gilleran

Stroke: S Parker, Cox: M Callaghan

Coach: Father D Ethell



3RD VIII ROWING

Bow: M Melanko, H Baxter-Green, P Barber, D Dixon, T Culbert, A Newman,

W McGeehan, Stroke: N Tejchman, Cox: M McManus

Coach: Mr J Stewart and Mr S Testi



1ST SENIOR QUAD Bow: B Briers, L Glanch, B Hayward **Stroke**: T Horton

Cox: T Fowler Coach: Mr K Johnson



2ND SENIOR QUAD Bow: T Bhatia, B Peet, D Bishop

Stroke: S Fitzpatrick Cox: S Turnbull Coach: Mr C Hassall



YEAR 10 QUAD Bow: S Jameson, L Chapman, C Strickland

Stroke: N Tower Cox: M Zaunmayr Coach: Mr S Burt

10A VIII Bow: J Abbott L Jones, N Cook, A Lyche, J Bradbury, J Armenti, J Reddrop Stroke: J.Harvey

Cox: K.Meers Coach: Mr M Higgins



10B VIII

Bow: M Walker, S Sawyer, H Turnbull, C Bignault, M Home, C LeFanu, B Pallas

Stroke: R Cain Cox: M Lawrenson Coach: Mr P Franks



9A QUAD Bow: Z Montague, H Giles, S Robinson-Arrow

Stroke: R Moynihan Cox: J Gherbaz

Coach: Mr K Reynolds and Mr T Platts





9B QUAD Bow: N Kenner, L Lee, S Neilson Stroke: T Maddison

Cox: R Lewis

Coach: Mr D Bean and Mr St J Kennedy



9C QUAD Bow: J Peos, C Morley, J Willett Stroke: J Young Cox: D Murphy Coach: Mr M Chapman



9D QUAD

Bow: L O'Shea, D Hermans, S MacDonald

Stroke: I Lee Cox: T Mumme Coach: Mr W Brockwell

9E QUAD Bow: B Penny, R Nicholson, C Tyncherov Stroke: J Hogan Cox: T McLeod Coach: Mr J Gibbons











SWIM SQUAD 2008

A Todd, T Taylor, J Zuvelek, B Mills, T Smith, N Virgo, M Pollastri, G Cunningham, J Aitkin, J Weir, A Wilkinson, Sixth Row:

P Salter, H Garland, H Jockel, L Schrum, L Roberts, K Bailey

C Davies, R Tucker, B Enright, D Tan, P Anderson-Loake, J Abbott, A Vickery, B Tan, A Au, B Boekeman, A Kruz, D Marshall, Fifth Row.

D Lissiman, J Carter, M Koelemij, M Rosher, L Hands, J Levien, S Henderson, M Shield

Fourth Row: O Backhouse, J Hill, J Young, A Blake, D Crisp, A Caley, B Tapley, A Lewin, J Webster, A Birman, S Robinson-Arrow, N Stanley,

J Blades, R Pallas, N Chapman, J Murray, R Tonkin, T Rowlands, S Hodge

C McGlashan, D Laczko, J Munt, T Enright, S O'Connor, C Law, B Jones, E James, A Wilkins, N Bonaccorso, J Pirone, Third Row:

G Papathanassiou, A Pirone, S Bester, J Delich, C Parker, A Tsaknis, M Weir, J Beh,

Second Row: A Kapoor, R Ingram, N Cordy-Hedge, S Forward, A Tsaknis, Mr K Moir, Mrs S Pearce, P Whitfield (Capt), T Ashford (V Capt),

Mr S Hunt (MIC), Mr H McGlashan, E Leonard, D Werndly, B Cheung, L Hughes, L Burton, L Lee

First Row: P Papathanassiou, C McKeon, M Sie, T Anderson, Y Kailis, J Hanna, N Hughes, R lee, M Jockel, I Damant, J La, D Hermans,

L O'Shea, W Cheung

Swimming season began in Term 4, with many swimmers getting their toes wet for the first time in 6 months. Nearly 30 boys on average trained strongly up to the last Friday before Christmas - it was a great sign of the season to come.

After a short break, swimmers were back in the pool on the 6th of January, followed by the Swim Camp which was held two weeks prior to School going back in January. We were very happy to have 55 boys give up their holidays to clear out the cobwebs and join in on this special start to the year. Not even the 39 degree temperatures, and scary Year 12's, kept six new Year 8's from cutting their holidays short to join in on the fun.

A highlight of the camp was the hour long coaching session and training tips from two well known WA Olympians – Eamon Sullivan (the new World Record holder over 50m Freestyle and Beijing Olympian) and Jim Piper.

The next morning after a solid training session, we set off for the Darling Scarp to

participate in Team Building and Adventure activities with Teamworks on their property just south of Byford. The hot humid temperatures made the day challenging in itself, however the boys soon cooled down as they raced down the 400m Flying Fox getting at least some breeze through their hair... not to mention a few flies in their mouth as the screams echoed through the valley. Meanwhile, others leapt for the safety of a trapeze at the top of a 15m 'Pamper Pole'. It was fantastic to see 100% participation over the activity - although some thought that this wasn't challenging enough, so they decided to do it blind folded.

The following morning after another long training session we had a talk on motivation from Olympic Swimmer Adam Lucas. Adam gave us all an insight on 'How to keep MOTIVATED in Swimming' - it was a camp highlight for all and a talk I know many will remember!

Next up was the tightly contested Swim Camp Triathlon, results below:

Year 8 Winner - Ryan Pallas Runner Up - Luke Rosher

Year 9 Winner - Brendon Lim Runner Up - Liam Hughes

Year 10 Winner - Paddy Anderson Loake Runner Up – Andrew Lewin

Year 11 Winner – James Levien Runner Up - Nathan Levien

Year 12 Winner - Tristan Ashford Runner Up – Taylor Smith

The season officially kicked off on the second day of Term 1 and it was a good feeling to get going. This whole squad training and BBQ saw 110 boys, consisting of 40 year Eight swimmers, turn the swimming pool into a bubble bath – it was certainly a sight to see!

Our first official event was the CBC Meet, followed by the Swim-a-thon. The boys swam as many laps as they could in an hour to raise money for the Swim Team. They raised a total of \$3,628. A fantastic effort from all involved, and thank you to all the sponsors.

SWIMMING

SWIM-A-THON - Most laps swum:

Under 13 – Ayush Kapoor, 72 laps Under 14 – Liam Hughes, 87 laps Under 15 – Ben Enright, 87 laps Under 16 – Harry Garland, 95 laps Open – Niall Virgo, 76 laps

Fronted with the challenge of the second year of daylight saving, we gathered in the dark, swimmers and parents alike, for a morning of beach running and swimming at the Annual TROGS Ironman competition at City Beach. The wind and swell was kind to us and a great morning was had by all. The winners of each year group were as follows:

Year 8 Winner – Ryan Pallas Runners Up – Michael Weir and Nathan Bonaccorso

Year 9 Winner – Brendon Lim Runners Up – Liam Hughes and Nicholas Chapman

Year 10 Winner - Sam Fong Runner Up - Ben Enright

Year 11 Winners – Harry Williams and James Weir

Runner Up - Harry Garland

Year 12 Winner – Michael Pollastri Runner Up – Tristan Ashford

Next on the calendar was the School Championships – a very important meet for all members of the swim team and an evening where many personal best (PB's) are sought. It was great to see that nearly all competitors recorded PB's on the night. The aim of the meet is to get maximum participation and to recognise swimming excellence across all strokes. Always a great 'swimming family' event, the Parent Support Group ran a hamburger and drinks stall , raising \$700 for the team. Another successful fundraiser and appreciated by all involved. The following boys were recognized as winners on the night by Mr. Meade:

Under 13 Winner – Tom Enright Runner Up – Ryan Pallas

Under 14 Winner - Nick Chapman Runner Up - Brendan Lim

Under 15 Winner – Ben Enright Runner Up – Duncan Lissiman

Under 16 – Harry Garland Runner Up – Phillip Salter

Open Winner – Andrew Todd Runner Up – Niall Virgo

It was Hale's turn to host the 20th Annual Quads Carnival in 2008. We came a very close second behind Aquinas and had many swimmers break PB's. We managed to break

4 out of 6 records on the night. Below are some of the great results from the event:

U/15 50m FREE: Ben Enright - recorded 26.24 seconds which beat the 1992 record.

U/14 50m FLY: Sam Forward - recorded 29.26 seconds which beat the 1991 record.

U/14 50m MEDLEY RELAY: FOR THE SECOND YEAR IN A ROW - Brendan Lim (Backstroke), Ben Tapley (Breaststroke), Sam Forward (Butterfly), and Liam Hughes (Freestyle) - recorded 2:09.55 which beat the 1996 record

U/14 50m FREESTYLE RELAY: Adam Birman, Jack Zuvelek, Daniel Crisp, Nick Chapman - recorded 1:57.38 which beat the 1996 record

Overall, the Under 14's ruled the night!!

At the annual Pasta Night prior to the PSA Inters Carnival, the 'Most-Improved Swimmer' in each year group for 2008 was awarded a trophy.

Under 14 Winner – Brendan Lim

Under 15 Winner - Martin Shield

Under 16 Winner - Nick Cordy-Hedge

Open Winner - Andrew Todd

The 2008 PSA Inter School Swimming Carnival was a night of fierce competition and PB's. The boys' performance on the night was outstanding. No swimmer or relay team was disqualified. A highlight was Harry Garland's first place in the Open 200m freestyle. We managed to make it to the podium in 3rd Place. With considerable strength coming from the lower years our team keeps gaining ground, and Hale is once again a serious threat to other schools in the competition.

After 3 years as Head Coach, Tjad Dorrington has decided to hang up the goggles. Tjad has been an inspirational member of the Hale Swim Team and has worked tirelessly to get our swimmers to the level at which they are now competing. Many thanks for all his hard work and guidance over the years - he will be missed.

Thanks must go to the committed coaching staff, including Mel Tantrum, who we are lucky to have as our new specialist Coach. Mention must also be made of the fantastic job done by the Parent Support Group, under the fearful leadership of Moira Lewin. They ensure the smooth running of numerous events throughout the season.

I congratulate all swimmers for a fantastic

effort this season, and we look forward to a record-smashing 2009!

Old Haleians Cup (Open Champion) Andrew Todd

Claris D'Alton Trophy (U/16 Champion) Harry Garland

Chad Miller Trophy (Most Improved) Philip Salter

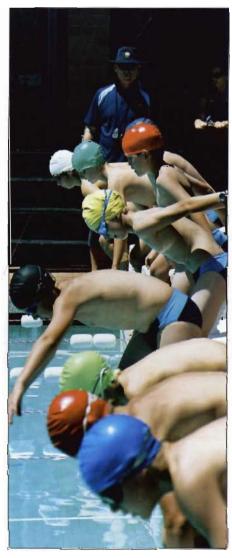
Symbols awarded to: U/15: James Abbott, Paddy Anderson Loake, Joel Carter, Christopher Davies, Benjamin Enright, Sam Fong, Douglas Hermans, Christopher Hoon, Benjamin Jones, Andrew Lewin, Duncan Lissiman, Lewis Lowe, Geordie Papathanassiou, Martin Shield, Darren Tan, Adam Wilkinson

U/16: Scott Henderson, David Marshall

Open: Kyle Bailey, Lloyd Roberts, Logan Schrum

Colours awarded to: Harry Garland

Mr S Hunt Head of Swimming



BADMINTON AND GOLF



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Back Row: Ms J Richardson, B Jayawardena, L Chapman, J Ho, G Tan, J Chong,

Mr T Parish,

Front Row: M Wang, E Nie, M Yeoh, E Teo, A Au, A Kaushik, M Stickland, S Lee

Absent: D Foo, T Xu

The students who assembled to join the teams this year were already keen to live up to the reputation of the previous two years which saw Hale at the top of the tables. To their great credit the team quickly proved that they were a formidable force and, with the welcome addition of Josh Ho (Captain) and Shaun Lee (Year 8), the team rapidly established an enviable position.

Further boosted by the considerable talents of Matthew Yeoh, Geoffrey Tan, Josh Chong, Lee Chapman, Binu Jayawardena and Edwin Nie, the team bettered last year's performance to finish First overall, without losing a single match. The Brother Redmond Cup has remained at Hale and the future continues to look bright.

Several players improved over the season, benefitting from the coaching of Louis Lee, and will be welcome additions to the 1st team next year. While the players in the 2nd Team varied over the season, I make particular mention of Matthew Wang, Terence Xu, Matt Stickland, Douglas Foo, Mahtab Kabir and Nick Bean, who remained committed players.



PSA GOLF CUP

This year's event had five PSA schools competing, with Wesley only entering a senior team and Trinity failing to enter a team.

The senior team consisted of Nils Stuben (Captain), James Donnelly, Andrew Fitzgerald and Jake Andrews, with Lukas Michel, Andrew Kelly, Jack Maher and Drew Murphy making up the juniors.

The difficult conditions made for slow play, with some teams finishing on sunset. The event was won by Christ Church, with an aggregate score of 535 five shots, ahead of Hale with 540.

Notable performances included Nils Stuben shooting the best gross score of the day for Hale of 80, Lukas Michel 81, and James Donnelly 82.

With most of our seniors in year 11 and a good group of juniors coming through, we have a chance to regain the trophy next year.

Mr K Moir

PSA WINTER SPORT



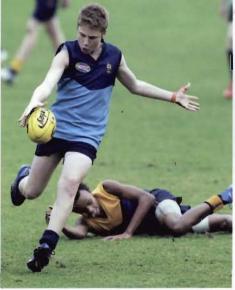














ATHLETICS



After a tough season of winter sport, it is always a daunting prospect to find the energy necessary to complete a successful athletics program. The members of the Hale School athletics squad rose to the occasion, and the feeling amongst the boys, both seasoned and newcomers alike, was one of quiet optimism. The 2008 season was to mark an ending of the Inters being held at Perry Lakes stadium; the end of an era. This year Hale hosted the Tri-meet against Aquinas and Trinity. The event was run at Hale School on a Saturday morning rather than the night event at Coker Park in Cannington.

The team prepared well throughout the short but hectic season, and we were blessed with generally fine weather both at training sessions and the meets held over the program – with the possible exception of the actual Inters event. Mr Wallman again took on the responsibility of Master-in-Charge of Athletics and he was well supported by a team of dedicated and professional coaches. Mention must also be made of the assistance of the Hale School Sports Master Mr Young, whose input was greatly appreciated.

A large number of students were entertained by the annual Hale Gift handicap race run over 100 metres at lunchtime. This year the event was won by Brendon Lim (Year 9) in a closely contested race. At the Tri-meet, there were no Stows awarded in the track events as a result of the very heavy track. However, in the high jump pit there were three Stows awarded on the day. These went to Sheldon Smith (Under 16), Rob Harvey (Open) and Rhodri Simmonds (Open).

The day of the Inters carnival finally arrived. The weather forecast looked threatening, but this was all put aside by the athletes and coaches as we headed to Perry Lakes for the final time. Despite some intermittent showers and rather blustery conditions, the Hale School athletes acquitted themselves very well on the day with a number of notable performances. The following boys were winners of First Division events; Robert Ferritto in the Under 15 100 metres and 100 metres Hurdles, Nathaniel Gardiner in the Under 17 110 metres Hurdles, Andrew Diamond in the Under 17 Long jump, Kevin

Bush in the Under 16 Shot put, Yasuhito Nakajima in the Open 110 metres Hurdles and Open 100 and 200 metres, Robert Harvey in the Open High jump and Lukas Michel in the Under 15 Discus. Not only did Sam McEntee win a First Division event (Under 17 1500 metres), but he also broke a PSA record which had stood since 1979 – a superb performance.

At the closure of the meet we were feeling confident in a third position. However, this was not to be the case and we had to settle for fifth overall on the day. This was not the end of the matter, though, as it was revealed on Monday following the Inters that there had in fact been a "glitch" in the computer scoring system. After several re-calculations of the final score, it came to light that Hale had finished a very commendable third behind Aquinas and Trinity respectively.

A most satisfying outcome after the initial disappointment of coming fifth.



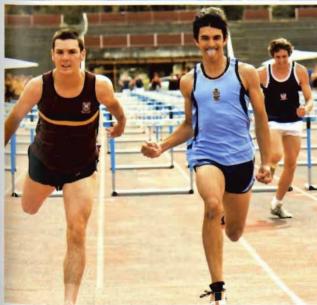
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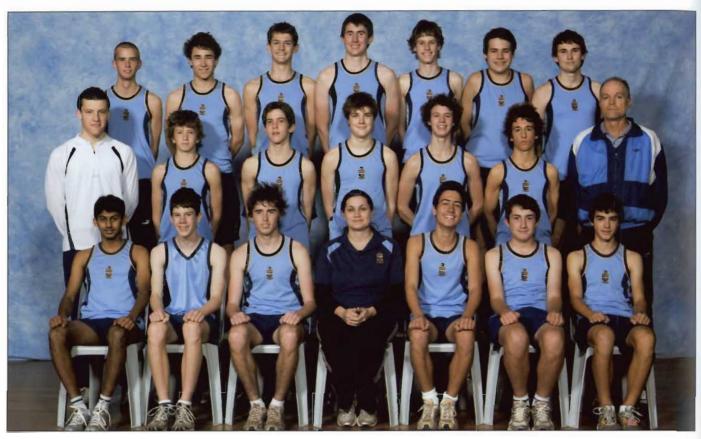








CROSS COUNTRY



SENIOR CROSS COUNTRY

T Harper, N Jones, J Harvey, T Bartlett, W McGeehan, H Turnbull, C de Beer Back Row: Middle Row: Mr B Riley, B Courtis, A Parker, J Reddrop, A Vickery, P Newnan, Mr J Ashby

V Shah, D Thornton, M Bridge (Captain), Mrs M O'Brien, J Blades, W Chivers, F Hall Front Row:

Mr S Cox, Mr G Ogden, M Lawrenson Absent:



JUNIOR CROSS COUNTRY

Mr B Riley, D Werndly, N Francis, J Hogan, T Ryan, T McLeod, Mr J Ashby Back Row: Front Row: R Lewis, S Ogden, L Mitchell, Mrs M O'Brien, A Shah, R Gillam, D Gilbey

Absent: Mr S Cox, Mr G Ogden The Hale 2008 Cross Country season culminated with a wonderful team dinner attended by all runners and their families at the Nedlands Golf Club. The invited speaker on the night was legendary Australian runner Jim Langford who shared a number of world class experiences from his cross country career. There were two other excellent speeches presented on the night, one from Marcel Bridge (Cross Country captain 2008) and the second from Ben Riley (assistant coach and Hale Old Boy). This year's Cygnet report is largely based on their speeches and they are to be thanked for their respective contributions.

Cross country is hard work. It always was, and it always will be. Such is the nature of running a long way. Those who choose cross country recognise the challenges they are undertaking and relish this opportunity. It would be easy to take up a less strenuous sport or not do any sport at all. But such choices are characteristic of a certain lifestyle. Theodore Roosevelt who, like Hale School, was born in 1858, believed that "the highest form of success comes, not to the man who

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desires mere easy peace, but to the man who does not shrink from danger, from hardship, or from bitter toil, and who out of these wins the splendid ultimate triumph".

Hale had a bye on the first Saturday of the season and it was decided to hold a run in King's Park dedicated to Mr Arkle. The run was followed by a barbecue cooked by Ms O'Brien and the parents in the Western Power playground. As well as recognizing Mr Arkle's great contribution to Hale cross country, this first run also tested our fitness for the season and was a great way to begin some team bonding.

At the completion of the Junior home and away races Hale had finished in 4th place overall with two wins and three losses. The team's best performance was against Christ Church. Simon Ogden was Hale's best performed junior runner throughout the season but the rapid improvement shown by Nat Francis, Louis Mitchell and James Hogan augers well for the future. Young developing runners Ashay Shah and Robert (DJ) Gillam are to be congratulated for the level of determination they displayed in all aspects of their running this season.

In the Senior home and away races Hale raced very competitively to achieve a final overall 5th place with two wins and four losses. Hale was successful in defeating Guildford Grammar and Christ Church. Season highlights included a strong outright 1st place to Justin Blades against Christ Church at McGillivray, where Hale filled the first eight places. Keeping things in the family, a special mention should be made of Marcus Blades, who finished 21st out of 54 runners as a Year 8 student running in the seniors against Aquinas College.

Hale's top ranked runner at the end of the season was Nic Jones, closely followed by Marcel Bridge and Justin Blades. These boys trained and raced hard, leading to many excellent results. A special thank you must go to the juniors who ran in senior races during the season - Simon Ogden (8 races), Nat Francis (6 races), Louis Mitchell (3 races), Marcus Blades, James Hogan and Daniel Werndly (all 2 races) and Tim McLeod (1 race). Your efforts were impressive and greatly appreciated.

Highlights of the All Schools races began with the 3km event at Scotch. Hale had three teams of five runners competing. There were several boys missing due to a conflict with the Hale Founders Day Service at St George's Cathedral. We still put up a good fight and ended up coming 5th with Nic Jones easily setting the fastest Hale time.

The last race of the season and the final race for all Year 12s was the Ray Brown 8km run at Aquinas College. Hale had many Year 10s on camp, resulting in a weakened team. However the boys appreciated the last minute support from Richard Wills, Joash Ng and Binu Jayawardena, making up our minimum team numbers. Richard's rugby background served him well, but Joash the 100m specialist and Binu the badminton exponent found the fitness demands a little different over the 8km journey. Hale finished 6th on the day.

Special mention must be made of Marcel Bridge, Will McGeehan, Chris de Beer, Louis Mitchell, James Hogan, Ryan Lewis and Ashay Shah for running in every race this season. This is an excellent achievement by these boys.

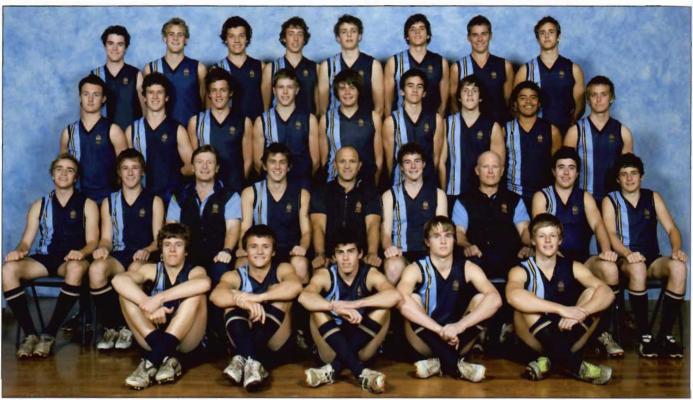
This report would not be complete without a special thank you to Ms Maureen O'Brien, who has been an inspiration and strong supporter of Cross Country at Hale School. Her role as coach unfortunately came to an end earlier than planned due to the birth of her new baby, Benjamin. The team wishes Maureen, her husband and Benjamin all the best for the future. Thank you to Mr Ashby, Shaphan Cox, and Mr Gary Ogden for their contrasting but professional coaching styles. Without the fantastic interest and support of the coaches, Hale runners would not be able to enjoy this great sport. Finally, the tireless efforts of Ben Riley should be applauded. Saturday home course setting, coaching, record keeping, newsletters, dinner speeches, and black market socks were all in Ben's portfolio this season and, with the early departure of Ms O'Brien, Ben was the vital link that kept the cross country season on track for Hale.

Hale School has never won the Peter Moyes Cup for the overall champion school in cross country. The fact that this great school has never been cross country champion provides an opportunity in the future to go where no Hale boys have gone before. This should motivate current students to the very core.

Remember boys, be proud, be honest and always remember your school days.

Marcel Bridge (Captain) Mr B Riley (Assistant Coach) Mr J Ashby (Coach)





1ST FOOTBALL

Back Row: S Parker, C Murdoch, G Cunningham, A Hamp, A Carson, G Begg, J Aitken, S Sherring
Third Row: J Bradshaw, E Walker, H Garland, T Murray, J McGee, S McEntee, H Williams, K Yu, C Hurley

Second Row: P Broad, L Hands, Mr B Clarkson, T Smith (Captain), Mr P Peos, R Fleay (Vice-Captain), Mr M Cook, T Taylor, M Evans

Front Row: L Meeking, P Nunn, K McCracken, N Bremner, A Diamond

The 2008 Hale First XVIII Alcock campaign preparation began early in Term 4, 2007 with a comprehensive strength and conditioning programme. The motto for the season was "Raising the Bar" and the majority of the squad keenly embraced the conditioning schedule along with morning beach running sessions in March 2008, including a challenging Trigg to City Beach soft sand run leading up to a successful pre-season Melbourne tour.

With three well performed games in Melbourne and Possibles vs Probables game with the Hale bye in Week 1, the group was bursting for some PSA competition – with Guilford the unlucky first up opposition. Seven goals in the first quarter and 22 for the day, an excellent start to the forthcoming season.

Back at Craig Oval for a massive battle with Aquinas, we charged out of the blocks to play an inspired first half of football to lead by 5 goals. A quality Aquinas outfit fought their way back into the game in the second half to trail by 2 goals at the last change. With 9 shots to 2 in the last quarter a gallant Hale held on for a memorable draw.

The next two weeks produced solid wins against a slightly undermanned Wesley at Hale and Christ Church away. The top of the table was becoming congested as we prepared for Trinity.

Our worst quarter of football for the season, saw us held scoreless and by quarter time – 5 goals in arrears. The group battled manfully to get back into the contest with an even second quarter and to reign in the margin in the third quarter to be 3 goals behind. With a promising last quarter start the pressure could not be sustained and we fell away for our first loss for the season.

The playing group bounced back to score 24 goals against Scotch and Aquinas beat Trinity in the same round to keep things interesting. The next week was a Hale bye leading into the holiday break and an unlikely win by Christ Church over Trinity reinvigorated Hale's season.

Hale accounted for a competitive Guilford in the first week back, which set up a tantalizing rematch with Aquinas and an opportunity to gain equal first on the ladder positions.

We again started slow. Whilst having seven shots at goal with the aid of a strong breeze,

we found ourselves behind an accurate opponent. Aquinas controlled the game through the next two quarters. A stunning last quarter comeback set the contest alight and whilst an opportunity existed to snatch an unlikely victory, the team fell short by the small margin of 9 points.

The following week away against Wesley was a danger game after a big build up the week prior, and we lacked impetus to take control of the game early in the second half to eventually suffer our third defeat for the season.

The last game, home against Christ Church, produced our finest scoring tally with 25 goals, an impressive and fitting end to the season.

A season finishing 3rd with a 6:3:1 record probably was not an accurate reflection of a well prepared, super competitive and committed team. Whilst there were some outstanding individual efforts during the season, all involved in the long 2008 Alcock Cup campaign certainly "raised the bar" and left the future of Hale football a first class legacy.

Mr P Peos

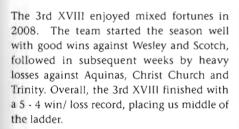
The 2nd XVIII football team had an inspired season characterised by courageous "come from behind" victories and high scoring games. The season was dominated by three teams this season; Hale, Trinity and Aquinas.

In the game against Trinity, Hale was behind with just fifteen minutes to play. In a masterful coaching display, Marcus Bin Omar was moved to full forward in the last quarter, producing 3 goals. Captain Jeremy Woods kicked the winning goal to win the game in the final minutes. The celebrations at the end of the game, led by assistant coach Richard Goater, was a highlight of the season.

Games against Guildford, Wesley, Christ Church and Scotch were won by an average of 15 goals.

All players in the team are to be congratulated on an outstanding season. Special mention must go to captain Jeremy Wood who kicked 51 goals for the season and was awarded Fairest and Best, and Paul Broad who was awarded the JW Holmes Trophy for Best Team Man.

Mr G Lowe



Congratulations to Declan Tabeart (Yr 11) for being awarded the Fairest and Best Award for the 3rd XVIII. Shaun Markovic (Yr 12) was named Best Team Man this year.

A 4th XVIII side was constructed during the winter season to provide all of the boys an opportunity to play. While this side did struggle during the season, it was terrific to see a core bunch of boys who were totally committed and wanted to participate. Thanks to Mr. Ian Tredget and Mr. Glen Williams for their efforts in coaching the team on game mornings.

Finally, my thanks to all the parents who regularly came to watch the boys play and offered their help on match day.

Mr S Lane



2ND FOOTBALL

Back Row: S Marsh, D Gault, L Bennett-Menezes, L Ashby, N Benjamin, C Fulwood,

T Murray, M Bin Omar

Third Row: Mr R Goater, L Wood, M Wansbrough, L Roberts, S Dawson, D Marshall,

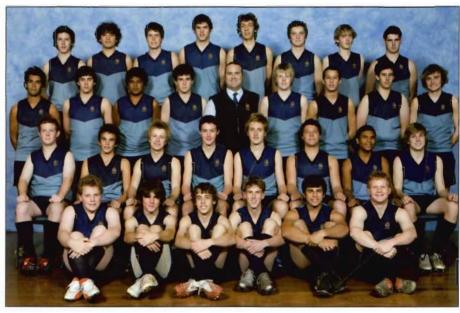
A Hall, O Johnston, A Diamond, Mr G Lowe

Second Row: J Humphries, P Broad, N Bremner, G Begg, J Wood(Captain), S Parker,

T Wright, I Levien, I Clarke

Front Row: T Dawson, T Rivers, A Rice, P Barber, N Crosby, B Evans, K Dann

Absent: S Shipway, J Dorrington



3RD FOOTBALL

Back Row: R Pearce, N Camerer, L Bennett-Menezes, T Sawyer,

N Benjamin, D Gault, S Bignell, K Bailey

Third Row: J Humphries, M Rosher, K Dann, D Mcleod, Mr S Lane, R Dawson, L D'cruz,

K Campbell, H Brockman

Second Row: J Campbell, S Henderson, D Pascoe, B Wilson, J Payne, Dane Johns, T Rivers,

D Counsel

Front Row: J Farrell, D Tabeart, T Rolley-Good, T Young, L Vrankovich, T Dawson

Absent: S Jain, E Mumme



10A FOOTBALL

Back Row: R Bedford, J Carter, M Clarke, L Shipway, M Clark, L Davey, C Cousins,

S Smith, J Rivers

Third Row: D Grierson, C Lourey, S Turner, L Falconer, M Winnon, T Kobayashi,

D Oude, Mr B Hantke

Second Row: A Gorter, R Waters, S Wilson, S Fong, S Berryman, D Wood, J Foakes

Front Row: R Hodgson, C Le Fanu, F Simcock, S Hooper

The 10A football side had a very enjoyable and successful season. Throughout the season the boys acquired much improved skills by hand and foot as well as a development of their game knowledge which will hold them in good stead for their future years of football.

Over the course of the season we won 5 of the 6 games prior to camp and split the camp games 2-2. There were a number of outstanding team performances over the season with none better than the win against Trinity where the boys held on against a fast finishing opponent.

Over the year we had many stand out performers in games. Scott Wilson, with Sam Fong and Sam Hooper were consistently high level performers throughout the year. The talents of Luke Shipway and Stuart Berryman were exciting to watch and the sheer determination of Declan Wood, Taizo Kobayashi and Lewis Lowe provided great individual highlights throughout the year.

I would also like to thank all the parents for their outstanding support of the boys.

Mr B Hantke



10B FOOTBALL

Back Row: S Locke, M McDonald, J Catto, A Vieraitis, J Armenti, J Willison,

M Zaunmayr, D Vaswani

Middle Row: L Burton, H Lowe, Ns Towler, D Hislop, M Towns, B Tuckey, B Clemens,

Z Paul, S Garlick, Mr J O'Brien

Front Row: C Russell, E Cameron, N Ruhil, H Nayler (Captain), J Abbott, S Freind,

K Edwards, H Mugford

Absent: M Bass, L Geidans, H Schaus, M Home

Despite winning only 2 games, the 10B Football team remained competitive throughout the season and were always a chance for victory in every game they played.

Captain Harrison Nayler was awarded the Best and Fairest and was assisted by Kurt Edwards, Jayden Catto and Dean Hislop. Stephen Locke was awarded the Best Team Man, and Michael Home's efforts all over the ground demonstrated a selfless commitment to the team. Sam Friend, Bryne Tuckey and Dev Vaswani provided targets in the forward line for the midfielders; James Abbott, Mitchell Towns, Zac Paul, Shaun Garlick, Brandon Clemens and Harry Lowe. Lyle Burton gave the team a much needed "goal sneak," and Matt Zaunmayr, Michael Bass and Josh Armenti provided physical presence that intimidated the opposition on the field. Conor Lourey, Riley Hodgson, Andrew Veraitis and Charles Cousins all played with skill, finishing the season as regulars with the A's.

Thank you to the parents who assisted throughout the season, whether it was running the water, goal umpiring or even making up the numbers for the opposition.

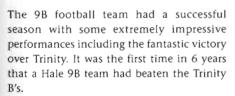
Mr J O'Brien

The season commenced with the Year 9 Football tour to Tasmania in April. The trip was a great success with the team winning all 3 tour matches, including an exciting 4 point win against The Hutchins School in Hobart.

More than 30 boys played one game or more during the season, winning matches against all other schools except Trinity. Brendan Lim was voted Best and Fairest after an outstanding season, with Captain Adam Birman named runner-up. Christopher Carson, Hayden Scott and Mitchell Smith all played consistently during the season. Con Angelkov was selected as the Best Team Man for 2008. Brendan Lim was also leading goalkicker with 20 goals for the season.

Overall the team finished with 7 wins and 3 losses. It was a slightly disappointing end to the season, with losses to Aquinas and Wesley, but a few injuries and tired legs from an STS Cup game in Williams played a part. All boys are to be commended on maintaining high standards at training and playing all games in good spirit.

Mr M Walsh



The side was capably led by Scott Rudd, whose strong attack on the ball set a great example for the other players. James Prince marshalled the backline along with Clayton Wood, Robin Chab, Matt McAlpine, Shane Tate and Lukas Michel, forming a strong, rebounding defence. Billy Hofmann, Cameron O'Brien and Ben Peet ran all day to provide the forward line with numerous opportunities.

First use of the ball was often provided by the excellent ruck work of Matt McGellin and Jacob Schoonens. The forward line was particularly dangerous due to the combination of Ashley Blake, Daniel Campbell, Jake Metcalfe, Mark Longbottom and Daniel Crisp. The flexibility of players such as Scott Howieson, Preston Sudlow and Michael Ogden gave the side much needed balance as they were able to fill a number of positions on the ground each week.

Mr R Piggot



9A FOOTBALL

Absent.

Back Row: B Pascoe, B Lim, J Zuvelek, P Wilson, Z Montague, H Scott,

Middle Row: B Doney, N Mozley, B Dillon, S Robinson-Arrow, Mr M Walsh, M Smith,

A Rule, J Peos, B Taylor

Front Row: C Angelkov, A Murdoch, S Forward, A Birman, C Carson, S Anderson,

T Bigwood Z Fleisher



9B FOOTBALL

Back Row: S Tate, M Longbottom, L Michel, Z Montague, M Mcalpine, A Blake, D Crisp,

M Siemer

Middle Row: D Campbell, M Ogden, R Chab, J Prince, M Mcgellin, J Schoonens,

J Simkovic, B Peet, Mr R Piggot

Front Row: J Metcalfe, B Hefmenn, C Wood, S Rudd, P Sudlow, S Marshall, C Lickfold,

N Hughes

Absent: C O'Brien



8A FOOTBALL

Back Row: L Rosher, J Hoad, S Neaves, W Roe, C Loersch, J McPhee, T Meade, D O'Brien

Middle Row: S Marchese, R Williamson, T Barrass, D Hipworth, T House, M Ford,

R Walker, L Wills

Front Row: L Thornton, J Bando, J Ebert, Mr C Liggins, M Turner, H McCracken,

R Hayward

Absent: M Smith

The 8A football team started the season with a close two-point win over Guilford. This gave the 8A's confidence heading into the showdown with football powerhouse Aquinas. Hale thought that they had a good chance to win the game, but were defeated by over 10 goals. This loss damaged the side's confidence a bit but they recovered with convincing wins over Wesley and Christ Church.

The next game against Trinity was always going to be a tough one. Numerous injuries brought many new faces to the side, some cementing their spot in the team. Unfortunately Trinity got over the line and gave the Hale side their first loss on Craig oval for the season.

The team hit the training track hard that week and it showed as they ran out convincing winners over Scotch.

After the break the side convincingly defeated Guilford and Wesley and then finished the season strongly by just getting over the line against Christ Church. Special thanks to Mr Liggins for all his effort, help and commitment to the side.

Mitchell Turner and Timm House

The 8B football team was very successful this year, winning 7 out of the 10 games played. There were enough numbers for an 8C team and there was always a large and enthusiastic group at training. Many of the 8B's played at least one game in the 8A's, and many 8B players had come up from the 8C's, which showed that this was a very skilful squad.

The season ended with the Fairest and Best award going to Lachlan Wills, with runner up Hamish Loppolo and third place Jonathan Farrer. All the Hale Year 8 football squad worked hard this season and we look forward to Year 9 football at Hale.

Quillan Pritchard



8 B/C FOOTBALL

Back Row: H Brown, IHill, A Lenartowicz, N Forrester.

Dlmberlong, C Ninkov, T Longbottom, D Ettridge, Q Pritchard

Third Row: M Craig, K O'Brien, T French, H Joppolo, J Mussared, J Macmillan, J Farrer,

R Percy, J Ecker, S Towns

Second Row: M Davidson, L Coxall, A Lucchesi, C Scott, Mr V Uphill, A Huxtable,

J Lefroy, M Blades, J Bardsley

Front Row: T Vijayakumar, J Kelly, N Hayward, M Carey, LWilliamson, J Hasleby

This year's Smarter than Smoking Cup team consisted of eight year 8s and sixteen year 9s. Seven of the year 9s played in last year's Grand Final loss to Trinity, and so were keen to make amends. We cruised past the opening rounds with little difficulty although the wet and wild game against Newman was just a little taste of what the weather was going to bring us when we travelled to Williams to take on St Josephs. It was pouring and there was no grass on the oval, only mud. That game will certainly be remembered.

We progressed on to the Grand Final to have a rematch against Trinity College in the curtain raiser for the West Coast vs Hawthorn game. All through the week, we prepared ourselves for one of the biggest games of the year. Game day came and we thought we were ready. Unfortunately, we were not the better team on the day, and Trinity thrashed us, ending what was a great season for the Year 8/9 Smarter than Smoking Cup team.



SMARTER THAN SMOKING

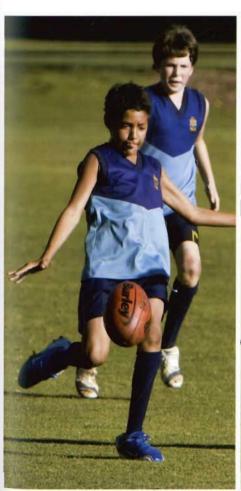
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Middle Row: A Murdoch, B Doney, B Taylor, L Rosher, J McPhee, S Robinson-Arrow,

B Dillon, N Mozley, J Peos, T House, S Forward

Front Row: T Bigwood, M Turner, S Anderson, T Barrass, A Birman, C Carson, R Walker,

C Angelkov, H McCracken







1ST XI HOCKEY

Back Row: R Sutherland, M Camerer, C Stevens, C Fitzgerald, D Smith Middle Row: N Griffies, C Gherbaz, P Oliver, C Armstrong, M Lim, S Embry

Front Row: Mr C Bausor (Assistant Coach), R Feakes, T Smith, B Jameson (Captain), Mr R Barron (Coach)

The 2008 season started with running sessions late in Term 1 to increase fitness levels in preparation for our tour and PSA season. With a strong aerobic base, 18 players and 3 staff went off to Melbourne for eight days to hone our skills, tactics and player roster for the season. The squad played five games, winning one, drawing one and losing three against tough opponents including Melbourne Grammar (two games), Scotch College, Camberwell Grammar and Xavier College. Off the field the tour was also a tremendous success with the nightly dinner ritual in central restaurants, especially Lygon Street (being popular with all tourists). Other highlights included tours of MCG, Australian Sports Museum and a time trial on "The Tan" with our Headmaster Mr Meade running with the boys to provide some extra incentive to gain fast times.

The last part of our preparation was playing and billeting St John's College from South Africa in the last weekend before the PSA season kicked off. The visitors were glowing in their praise of our facilities and families' hospitality.

The first game of the season started at Guildford, which was a tough first encounter and Hale came away with a 2-0 win. The

next fixture was against Aquinas College where we were outgunned, going down 7-0. The next four games were frustrating as we were ahead in each game apart from bad 5-10 minute periods which proved costly with losses to Wesley (2-5), Christ Church (2-6), Trinity (2-4) and Scotch (0-2).

After the holidays we hosted Guildford at Hale and recorded a strong 3-0 victory. The return game against Aquinas away was always going to be a tough assignment. The team lifted and were 2-1 up in the second half until a bad 5 minute period proved costly again, with us going down 1-4 in a credible performance.

The final game of the year was against Christ Church at home. The younger team members wanted to lift in order to send their Year 12 team-mates off on a high. The team played their best hockey of the year, defeating a strong "Church" outfit 4-3 in a tight, hard fought victory.

Hale finished the season in 6th position, which was unflattering as we were competitive in 9 of our 10 PSA games. The season was characterised by a positive, enthusiastic flavour and many of the players improved greatly. Although 6th place was

disappointing the whole squad should be proud of their season.

The season also included the traditional friendlies, including:

- Como Senior High School, the specialist hockey school, with the Hale team going down 1-3.
- The annual 'Hostpurs' game was again a successful, providing the school with an opportunity to play against current and ex State and National players in a competitive situation. The 'Hotspurs' always do enough to win the game, this year being no different, winning 6-4.
- The old boys' fielded strong teams on the bye weekend, falling over the line 3-2 in a close encounter.

Year 11 player Matt Lim was selected in the Western Australian U/16 School Boys' team, continuing the school's representation in higher honour teams.

The season ended with 110 players, parents and staff celebrating at Lake Karrinyup Country Club.

Mr R Barron

Once again the 2nd XI provided all who were in attendance at the matches with many displays of deft, well constructed, aggressive hockey that saw us achieve, on paper, a very impressive set of statistics.

However, our unfortunate lowly rung upon the PSA ladder suggested otherwise, and it was true that when we all thought and communicated the same way we were superb – but on other occasions it looked like we had only one thought, and it was communicating by hand signals!

All the boys displayed the highest levels of sportsmanship and respect, even in the face of some disappointing outcomes, and we could not be more proud.

The continuing rotating nature of the availability of players made selection and management all the more challenging; fortunately with Mrs Brigid Honiball once again managing, we were in good hands.

To the boys and parents, thank you for your effort, support and good humour.

Award recipients included: Leading Goal Scorer - Fraser Beattie, Coaches Award -Lyndsay Ellis, and Harry Jockel - Fairest and Best.

Nicholas Gill

The 2008 season was successful for the senior 3rd XI team who won five out of a total of nine games played. The level of sportsmanship was very high, as was the great team spirit at each game. The team lived up to the saying "it doesn't matter who scores the goal, as long as the team is successful" by cheering each other on and celebrating every member's success.

A number of boys were successful in scoring goals, with an outstanding achievement by Alex Roberts as the top goal scorer, firing off a total of seven goals, six of them in a single match. A couple of dramatic injuries kept some players off the field for several weeks, but despite this the boys worked steadily throughout the season to improve their skills. All players can be proud of their efforts this year with everyone contributing to a very satisfactory year.

Best and Fairest - Aaron Young Best Team Man - John Hodge Most Improved - Declan Bishop

Mrs P Standen-Burrows



2ND XI HOCKEY

Back Row: M Heyns, B Boekeman, A Roberts, F Beattie, H Jockel, D Dixon Middle Row: Mr N Gill (Coach), M Graham, S Abbott, L Ellis, J Donnelly, Mrs B Honiball

Front Row: J Gardner, M McManus, A Eranki, A Newman, J Ovens



3RD XI HOCKEY

Back Row: J Hodge, C Dodgson, D Bishop, S Wilson, L Fischer, R Dougherty, J Bamford,

Mrs P Standen-Burrows (Coach)

Front Row: E de Silva, R Chickonoski, S Bath, M Askew, A Young, A Moltoni, J Plumley



10A HOCKEY

Back Row: M Salmon, A Lewin, B Pallas, C Whitsed, L Chapman, S McCormack,

M Read, Mr A Robertson

Front Row: T Horton, J Payne, L Saare, S Winter, A Marjoram, J Beh, K Meers

Absent: B Briers

The 10A hockey side completed a hard fought season where outcomes of matches didn't quite reflect the intensity and desire the boys displayed. It was a season with many close results that didn't quite go our way. We easily accounted for Guildford but against every other PSA team went down. The great strength of the team was the commitment of all the boys to improve their skills at training and remain positive when our backs were to the wall.

What was pleasing was they continued to play attacking hockey even if they were several goals down. The attitude 'if you are going to go down lets go down trying to put the ball in the opposition's net' meant at some stages the floodgates opened at both ends. A highlight of the season was holding the highly rated Aquinas and Wesley sides to draws for most of each match. Unfortunately the boys would like to forget the other 15 minutes of each match!

Should they be able to maintain their positive team spirit and good work ethic they will improve their consistency and will enjoy their hockey for years to come.

Mr A Robertson



10B HOCKEY

Back Row: E Butler, D Fawkes, C Whitsed, L Smith, J Schumacher, Miss M Kirk

Front Row: D Cashmore, B Briers, T Marsh, D Laczko, V Shah

Absent: D Chu

The 10B Hockey team was without players for part of the season, and this affected the number of recorded wins. That said, the commitment from a number of boys was greatly appreciated. David Laczko is to be commended for playing with a bandaged arm for the final game of the season.

Officially, the team won one game for the season, where Clayton Whitsed was the primary goal scorer. It was pleasing to see the leading efforts of Ed Butler, Daniel Chu and David Cashmore in guiding the team to make a solid run of play. Lee Smith had a strong hit which at times proved critical. Veer Shah and Dylan Fawkes knew their positions well, and this too made a difference. Ben Briers also played for the team on a few occasions and his knowledge of the game allowed him to advise players as to how to improve their game plan. Goal keeper Jack Schumacher learnt new skills and bravely faced many hockey balls.

Many thanks to Dan Vernon who assisted in coaching the team.

Miss M Kirk

Although the 9A hockey team only won 2 games this season, they fought hard against all their opponents and were a competitive team. The best performance was probably the 2-3 defeat by Scotch in which we nearly caused an upset.

The inclusion of boarders Lachlan Camerer and Brendan McAlpine was a real asset to the team. There were strong performances from Ryan Huynh and Jack Young, who combined well with other players to develop our passing game. Rourke Moynihan was also a good contributor, playing at the back and occasionally in the centre half position where his strength and speed were impressive. Dougal Haslam enjoyed his move into the forward line and he looked dangerous at times on the right wing. The other forwards Ryan Bothe, Byron Bignoux and Simon Fitzpatrick all made good contributions. Defensive players Brett Penny, Ryan Dennis and Daniel Marshall all played well at times and helped us keep the scorelines respectable.

Overall, although the results were disappointing, the effort was good and the players played in the right spirit.

Mr J Bausor

The boys in this team had extremely positive attitudes all season which was great to work with. They responded well to advice and were always enthusiastic and ready to take on anyone. Many of them took turns at being captain for a game, which included leading the team onto the field, giving 3 cheers for the opposition, and deciding which direction to play.

Our best game was against Wesley, scoring the first goal of the game which was by Aiden. They levelled the score at half time, with the boys keen to do well in the second half. Emmitt's hunger to score a goal almost paid off, only to be stopped by their goalie. The score at the end was a 2-1 loss, but the boys should be very proud of their efforts. Many boys have improved a great deal during the season, some playing their first ever. Others performed consistently well and were valued members.

Special mention goes to Tayt, who despite being the smallest member of the team, was the most tenacious and one of the most enthusiastic players each game, and also to Elliot, who played very well as goalie and made many great saves. Thanks for all being great sports, and I wish you all the best for next year.

Mr B Butler



9A HOCKEY

Back Row: S Fitzpatrick, R Huynh (Goal Keeper), J Young, Mr J Bausor (Coach),

D Haslam, B Penny, L Camerer

Middle Row: B Bignoux, R Bothe, R Moynihan, D Marshall, B McAlpine, R Dennis



9B HOCKEY

Back Row: A Orr, D Marsh, E James, F Effendi, T Rossiter

Middle Row: R Mehra, R Nicholson, M Koelemij, W McKelvie, O Pearce, E Papadimitriou

Front Row: T Mumme, M Price, Mr B Butler, D Murphy, D Mincherton



8A HOCKEY

Back Row: L Meers, J White, A Hewett, Mr C Ashton, H Slarke, R Baxter, T Anderson

Front Row: L Ashton, W Cheung, M Jockel, K Parker, B Rowe, A Kelly

Absent: H Robinson

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. During the year they certainly came a long way in developing their skills and understanding their positions. Some of the players who stood out were Jacob White in goals who pulled off many brilliant saves, Toby Anderson, Ben Rowe, Andrew Kelly, Lachlan Ashton who regularly controlled the midfield, and Lachlan Meers who was our most penetrating attacking forward. Marcus Jockel had an outstanding season at full back, doing more to keep us in the game than any other player. Determined play at the back also came from Hamish Robinson, Reece Baxter and Kane Parker. Alex Hewitt, Harry Slarke and Wilfred Cheung provided excellent avenues to attack.

I congratulate the boys on working hard against very strong opposition and showing what they are capable of by improving to such an extent that they had some very narrow losses to the top two teams.

Mr C Ashton



8B HOCKEY

Back Row: R Lee, M Allan, N Bonaccorso, B Patrick, J Munt, C Jia

Middle Row: W Robson, A Khuu, P Allnutt, D Prince, D Tyncherov, B Young, P Shah

Front Row: S Patel, A Pramoko, Mr T Trewin, J Edmeades, S Ross

At first glance, the results sheet of the 8B Hockey team may not look very impressive, yet upon further reflection many successes were gained throughout the PSA hockey season of 2008. A recurring theme for the team became apparent early on in the season that lasted through to the very last game – general field of play dominance, stronger skills than their opponents, more penalty corners and forward pressure, yet an inability to convert and produce scoreboard pressure.

The competitiveness of the team was exemplified with a strong three goal win against Wesley late in the season. This impressive performance was coupled with two draws and three close one goal losses against the top placed teams.

Special mention must be given to Alvin Khuu, Nathan Bonaccorso and Blair Young for their consistent efforts throughout the season and ability to maintain exceptionally high standards of sportsmanship and enthusiasm. With many boys new to the game of hockey, the skills and experience gained from this season will give all of the boys an opportunity for a rewarding season in 2009.

Mr T Trewin







1ST RUGBY

Rack Row-G Moriarty, G Neugebauer, B Whitham, E Mitchell, J Weir, H Van der Merwe, A Todd, R Sandover Middle Row: T Ho, L Burges, R Blignaut, R Wills, R O'Sullivan, L Valentine, J Barnsley, R Palframan, J Smith

Front Row: Mr S McFarland, T Lewis, B Mills, T Ashford (Captain), D Mitchell (Vice-Captain), M Pollastri, Mr R Barugh

With only a few regulars returning from the all conquering 2007 team, this year was always going to be a challenge. In the end, the boys were tenacious, determined and workmanlike in all they did, both on game day and on the training field. They rounded off a successful year by retaining the Brother Redmond Cup for the 6th year in a row and for a record 17th time.

The season began with a tough yet rewarding tour of New Zealand, where we visited Auckland, Wanganui, Wellington & Christchurch. We played 3 matches, losing 2 narrowly and drawing a third against some strong opponents. This gave us ideal preparation for the domestic season, though for many of the boys the highlight was no doubt facing the Haka at Wanganui.

We faced some challenging games early on in the season. After accounting for Guildford & Aquinas with solid performances we were to face some stern opposition, particularly against Wesley, who had swept all before them, and Scotch. In these games we showed great composure and defeated both teams (Wesley 27-5 and Scotch 13-0) to set up a 'final' showdown against Wesley in August. Unfortunately we lost this game 10-12, our first PSA loss since 2004 and only our second since 2002. Nevertheless, we were still to FINAL RESULTS share the trophy with Wesley.

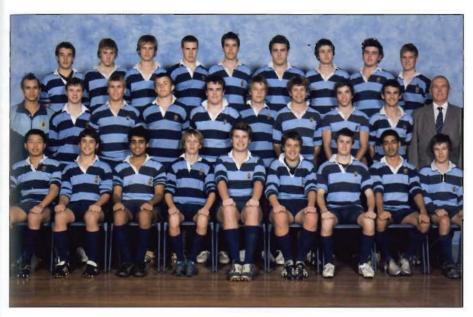
When focused, the team played some promising rugby. They were good in the set piece most days and in the line outs met few teams who could match their dominance. At scrum time we improved in the latter half of the season, but generally lacked concentration in this area.

At the break down we were often exceptional at retaining our own possession and scavenging some turnover ball, while on other days we were 'too eager', incurring the wrath of the referee too many times.

The backs were a slick unit when they executed well and ran the correct lines. There was some good finishing and deft footwork shown by these boys on occasion. However, it is probably for its courageous attitude in defence that the 2008 team will be remembered. Who can forget the pressure we endured from a fired up Scotch late in the game, before breaking out ourselves to seal victory?

Many boys return in 2009. Use your second chance well. To those who leave us, go well, come and see us next year.

Opponents	1st XV	2nd XV	Year 10	Year 9	Year E
Guildford	Won 38-10	Won 8-7	ivon 17-7	Won 36-15	Won 67-0
Aquinas	won	won	vVon	Won	₩ ₀ n
	42-12	37-5	12-8	29-7	19-7
Wesley	Won	Won	Wor	Wosi	Won
	26-5	10-5	19-5	40-7	46-7
Christ	i//66	Wen	Won	Wor1	Won
Church	34-12	35-0	57-0	43-5	46-7
Trinsey	Won 24-7	Wor 41-5	vVon 14-5	Woo 36-5	₩oa1 29-21
Scorch	twon 13-0	Lost 3-13	vVon 37-0	Won 24-14	Lost 5-27
Guildford	Won	Won	Lost	Wor1	Won
	40-10	15-0	10-27	33-12	61-0
Aquinas	Won	Won	Won	Won	Ween
	24-7	29-3	27-10	24-7	32-0
Wesley	Lost 10-12	Work 19-0	Drew 7-7	Word 56-0	Won 51-5
Christ	vvon	Won	Won	Won	Won
Church	34-3	24-7	22-5	53-0	49-6



2ND RUGBY

Back Row: T Lovelady, K Gilleran, T Brannan, C Smith, A Wood-Collier, E Mitchell,

E Langdon, A Todd, G Harwood-Nash

Middle Row: Mr M Cowely, K Bignoux, R Wills, D Ingram, J Merrey, W Breytenbach,

A Fourie, S Marnewick, G Moriarty, Mr R Tongue

Front Row: Y Huang, N Cordy-Hedge, D Vijayakumar, R Smith, N Virgo, A Ninkov,

E Cameron, S Sharma, J Cockcroft

What a rewarding and successful season we have had. Great friends, good company and some really outstanding Rugby played in the game's finest traditions.

Thirty boys played for the 2nd XV at sometime during the season. There were some that didn't get the game time that I would have liked to have given them, but they were always at training and when they had their chance they treasured the moment.

Jon Cockcroft had an outstanding season, receiving the Best and Fairest player award. Jon's capacity to make the break and give direction to his forwards was a feature in this team. The try that he and Shaun Marnewick engineered against Aquinas will long live with those who were fortunate enough to witness it. Niall Virgo led this side superbly, and received the Team Player award.

To the boys who toured New Zealand, thank you for the great memories. To everyone involved with Hale Rugby – thank you very much for a wonderful season.

Mr R Tongue



10A RUGBY

Back Row: T Lewis, M Stevens, M Heyns, J Ashley, A Lyche, K Bush, M Walker

Middle Row: C Hoon, C Blignaut, R Cain, A MacNiven, J Emery, L Jones,

P Anderson Loake, C Strickland, Mr J Dallman

Front Row: W Brown, B Doig, P Anderson, N Cook, B Enright, J Milligan, T Fowler,

T Thai
Absent: B Lindegaard

Hale settled into a pattern quite late in the season. We felt as though the early games were below our abilities, even though we had won every first round game. The major strength of the team was their ability to work with new skills and apply them to the game situation. Hale 10's completed the season in 1st place.

Highlights included:

- Victory over Scotch. The Hale boys saw Scotch as their Nemesis so this victory, on their soil, was sweet.
- Success from our multi phase move, Sonny Bill, which had eluded us over the season due to handling errors.
- A textbook 25m rolling maul at home immediately after the team had been told to correct their body height.
- A perfectly placed cross field kick to pick up outside backs running on to score, giving Hale an almighty psychological boost.
- Losing count after retaining possession from twelve controlled phases moving the ball move from one side of the pitch to the other, then finally crossing the line and being grounded under the posts.

Mr J Dallman



9A RUGBY

Absent:

Back Row: T Maddison, J Webster, R Tucker, M Harwood-Nash, I Tyson, J Willet Middle Row: R Ingram, J Van Helsdingen, R Ferritto, R Haylett-Petty, N Stanley,

N Chapman, H Giles

Front Row: B Sprlyan, L Hughes, L Burton(Captain), Mr A Woods, J Mcauliffe,

D Hermans, L O'Shea R Hindle, A Grant With a tour planned for 2008, the boys were already keen as letters went out at the end of 2007. The excitement was maintained right up until the last game.

The pressure was on for a team that was unbeaten as Year 8s. The first game was away against Guildford Grammar School. This game set the tone for the season, with Hale School lifting at the right time and putting points on the board when it counted.

The boys played entertaining rugby and were clearly the best team in the PSA, winning all ten games.

The Gold Coast tour was a highlight of the season. The boys played some hard games against tough opposition, learning valuable lessons both on and off the field. They were well-deserved winners of the Under 14 Division Encouragement Award, which is voted by the referees in recognition of the team that played their rugby in the best spirit.

This team can be proud of their performances, and it was good to see so many parents supporting the boys every week.

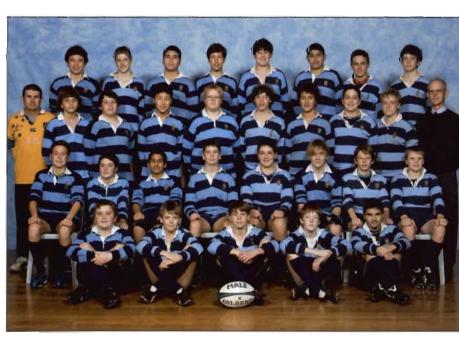
Mr A Woods

The 89'ers were formed at the beginning of the season from a group of boys who were not quite ready to become regular members of either the Year 8 or Year 9 A squads. Some 30 players attended the first training session and from that moment it became obvious that they were going to be a formidable side.

Thanks to Mr Young, the Sportsmaster, the boys had a regular fixture each week and the boys trained hard to be included in the side. The boys played with enormous enthusiasm and commitment, resulting in them being undefeated during the season. Admittedly, most fixtures were against Scotch (whom we played 6 times) or Aquinas. Nevertheless, the boys improved each week, and some excellent rugby was played. Perhaps the highlight of the season was the "Lightning Carnival" between Hale 1, Hale 2, Scotch and Aquinas, where Hale 1 played off against Hale 2 for " line honours".

Congratulations to Stephen Savage and Ben Tapley, who were voted the Best Team player and Fairest and Best player respectively.

Mr H Weston



8/9B RUGBY

Back Row: B Tapley, D Bishop, A Nalapraya, T Guaita, J Price, T Bhatia, S Savage,

L Vandenberghe

Second Row: Mr Lowden, J Whitby, S Turnbull, N Ghan, G Stickland, A Caley, A Flett,

A Pirone, E Schrum, Mr H Weston

Third Row: R Atkinson, I Damant, J Hanna, S Bester, J Pirone, N Kenner, C Peoples,

C McGlashan

Front Row: C Schumacher, A Jardine, M Weir, N Doig, T Haerewa

RUGBY



8A RUGBY

Back Row: J Delich, S Hodge, R Sciarrone, O Backhouse, T Enright, A Lawrenson Middle Row: Mr S Meade (Coach), H Hales, M Vernon, A Tsaknis, D Simmons, A Shah,

Front Row: A Bell, J Pervan, K Cameron (Captain), S Maingard, M Forjaz, R Pallas

This team had an outstanding season, finishing with 9 wins from 10 games: 405 points were scored, including 71 tries with 79 points scored against. The tight five, led by Charles Roberts and Oscar Backhouse, improved with every game. Andrew Lawrenson and Aadarsh Shah were strong up front; Harry Hales was without peer in enthusiasm, while Joseph Delich and Sam Hodge complemented Oscar's power in the lock positions. Ross Sciarrone, Alex Bell and Miguel Forjaz were enthusiastic backrowers and Seb Maingard adapted to the flanker's role and was an outstanding team player.

Evan Pirone proved to be tenacious at No 9 and the mid-field block of Kyle Cameron (Captain), Tom Enright and Alex Tsaknis were without peer in the PSA competition. Ryan Pallas proved to be an outstanding outside back and Joshua Pervan's 14 tries in the season were acknowledgement of his skills as a winger. Michael Vernon, Daniel Simmons and Trent Haewera shared time on the wings, and Craig Law was a marvellous attacker from fullback.

This squad will only get better and will ensure the fine reputation of Hale rugby is maintained in the years ahead.

Mr S Meade









1ST XI SOCCER

Back Row: M Ng, N Cross, N Stüben, R Harvey, J Lingard, H Ntoumenopoulos, Matthew Chapman Middle Row: Mr M Crawshaw, S Quenby, Y Nakajima, A Xydas, D Griffies, Mr B Despotovski (Coach) Front Row: P Vrankovich, M Pallotta, S Nair (Captain), D Lissiman, S Dopp, L Ntoumenopoulos, B Jones

The 2008 season kicked off in great style with a tour to the tropical climes of Singapore. The team faced an intensive 8-day trip which included games against three schools and the Singapore Soccer Academy. The tour also provided an opportunity for many of the first team regulars to bond with the new coach Bobby Despotovski ,and for the latter to anticipate the strengths and possible weaknesses of the squad for the 2008 PSA season.

The PSA competition began optimistically with a superb 5-2 defeat of Guildford at St Charles' Seminary. Robert Harvey began his 1st team career in lavish style, scoring a hat trick, whilst another newcomer to the team, Simon Dopp also got his name on the scoresheet.

PSA seasons are never straightforward and even for teams such as Hale, which are regarded as title contenders every season, the road to the Cup has many twists and turns. So it proved over the next three games, with Hale making difficult work of what, on paper, should have been relatively easy wins over Wesley and Aquinas, followed by the nadir of the season, a calamitous 4 minutes at Christ Church.

Perhaps all players and coaches can identify season defining games; in 2008, our season turned in that 4 minute period where Christ Church punished a lapse in concentration, used their momentum for their second and seized the initiative for their third. Three goals in 4 minutes and Hale were left stunned.

Facing Trinity the following week, a primed Hale team kept their defences up and were alert to the obvious danger from another title-contender. Hale played extremely well, quickly closing down opposition forays into the penalty area and creating a few inspired runs towards Trinity's goal. Although disappointed to go down 1-0 from a free kick with just two minutes to go, the team played like champions.

This positive attitude flowed through to the next game against Scotch, another title contender, and a 1-1 draw was a fair reflection of a difficult game. A second consecutive draw in the first game of Term 3 against Guildford was noteworthy given that prior to this season, Hale's last draw was five years ago. The game was another which Hale should have won and was again an

example of how one or two key playmakers in a relatively weak opposition can spook the team.

Straightforward wins against Aquinas and Wesley left Hale looking at the chance of reclaiming the Lawe – Davies Cup back from Trinity – a situation unimaginable just four weeks earlier. The maths was straightforward: if Hale could win or draw against their 2008 bogey team, Christ Church, then the title would be theirs, provided that Trinity lost or drew against Guildford.

A great game was in the making and it did not disappoint; superb performances from all in the team with two great penalties from Rob Harvey and a fitting, final goal from the captain, Sudharrshan created a euphoric victory which was not even diminished by news of the Trinity victory. Second place in 2008 is a fine result and allows us to look forward with anticipation to 2009.

Mr M Crawshaw

SOCCER



2ND XI SOCCER

Back Row: J Reed, K Bordbar, B Caley, Mr G Roberts, L Exel, L Le Cornu, R Warburton

Front Row: N Chew, E Li, P Burke, J Therry-Lim, K Shahril, M Giacci, J Wu

The soccer 2nd XI worked hard throughout the 2008 season to finish 2nd in their competition. The season started with a comfortable 8-0 victory at Guildford. This gave the team a significant confidence boost and allowed them to familiarise themselves with a new set of team mates.

After a tight 1-0 win over Aquinas and a 1-1 draw with Wesley, Hale then suffered their first loss in a frustrating encounter at Christ Church. The next game against Trinity was the biggest challenge of the season with Hale losing 2-0. The first term of competition was rounded off against Scotch, and a 2-0 win. Term 3 featured two wins against Guildford and Aquinas, before a 3-2 loss away to Wesley. The season ended with an exciting 3-2 victory over Christ Church. Hale's final record was 6 wins, 1 draw and 3 losses.

Congratulations to all the players who showed considerable enthusiasm and passion for the game, and well done to Marcus Pallotta and Lloyd Le Cornu on their awards of Player of the Season and Most Improved Player respectively.

Mr G Roberts



3RD XI SOCCER

Back Row: Dr P Dunham, M Adams, J Leonard, J Hart, C Wilson, Z Girando,

S Whitehead

Front Row: D Ivanov, N Gardiner, M Graff, M Mason, D Dawbin, R Stephenson, J Taylor

The 3rd XI enjoyed another very good season, scoring 55 goals and managing 6 wins, 2 draws and 2 losses to finish 2nd on their ladder.

Undoubtedly the highlight was the away match against Aquinas which Hale won 5-1. This match had everything - excitement, thrills, end to end play and two brilliant goals. The moment of high excitement came when Peter Campbell, who was on the ground, managed somehow to get to his feet and sprint across the width of the pitch to clear off the line and save what was a certain goal for Aquinas. The moments of excellence came from a perfect header by James Leonard and a moment of individual brilliance by Matthew Mason who singlehandedly beat the entire Aquinas defence to put the ball into the top right corner of the net.

Overall, the season was a positive one with the boys trying their hardest at all times. Robert Stephenson was voted Most Improved and the Player of the Season was David Dawbin. Special thanks to the parents who came to every match to support the team. Well done to all involved.

Mr P Dunham

SOCCER



10A SOCCER

Back Row: Mr R Brown, D Mitakos, D Marshall, S Sawyer, M Gorecki, N Vernon,

G Papathanassiou, P Mazzulla

Front Row: D Riddell, D Tan, N Stowe, M Kailis, M Kurniawan, B Hayward, S Kunej

Absent: D Patel, S Barnsley, L Glauch, T Bennett-Menezes

The 10A team had a terrific season, with 9 games played for 7 wins and 2 draws. The team scored 45 goals with only 7 goals scored against them. The low scores against us were due to a very strong back four, made up in various combinations by six good defenders, and reliable goal keeping. This defence was generally centred about Darren Tan, a very strong and talented player.

We will also remember Michael Kurniawan's slashing runs up field. Hale had reliable goal scorers in Geordie Papathanassiou who scored an incredible 20 goals in just 7 games played and Mike Gorecki, who may not have scored as many as Geordie, but the goals he did score were absolute crackers.

Several of these players seem ready to play in the 1st X1 next season, and the 2nd X1 will be strong with many good players vying for a place in the top team. Hopefully all players will continue to enjoy their soccer well into the future and play in more great teams like this one.

Mr R Brown



10B SOCCER

Back Row: A Mccorkill, H Rick, G Dunlap (Vice-Captain), A Wilkinson, C Williamson Middle Row: C Webster, C Adler, P Chilton, H Tzaikos, E Lamond, Mr A O'Garr

Front Row: A Vacca, P Alexiou, M Bevilacqua, A Dunbar (Captain),

D Valent (Goal Keeper), J Tan, D Van Der Post, A Watson

The boys in the 10B team achieved a very pleasing result this year, winning 6 out of 10 games, producing some excellent performances and finishing in third place. Overall, we scored 36 goals for the season, with just 29 goals being scored against us.

I was impressed with the way the members of this team always showed true sportsmanship. Whether the team was winning by a big margin or finding it tough in a hard contested match, they did not lose their resolve or resort to unfair or unruly play.

Thanks must go to the Captain, Alex Dunbar and Vice Captain, Geoffrey Dunlap, for the work they did in co-coaching this team with me. Your efforts were most appreciated by your team mates and myself. I would also like to make special mention of Harry Rick, who stepped in to lead the team so capably while both Alex and Geoffrey were away on camp.

Finally, thanks to all of the players for their hard work at training and especially at the games, I would like to wish you all every success in the future.

Mr A O'Garr

SOCCER



9A SOCCER

Back Row: L Lee, K Nair, G O'Neill, R Tonkin, C Morley, H Bradley Middle Row: H Shahril, I Lee, J Quenby, K Frearson, S Macdonald, L Lee Front Row: A Sandover, T Elliott, B Cheung, J Hills, J Gherbaz

The 9As finished two games clear of their nearest rivals after a long season featuring excellent team work. From having to complete Mr Moir's interval sessions, or running their own individualised warm up sessions, the ability of this team to work together was exceptional.

The first game against Guildford was played with eight players away on camp. A number of B's players stepped up and enabled us to scrape a draw. The remainder of the season consisted of some tight contests and some surprising results. We easily defeated Trinity, and had some tough contests against Christ Church and Scotch. The last game typified the "never say die" attitude, with the winning goal being scored in the final seconds of the match.

Three players stood out throughout the season because of their leadership and valuable contributions on the field. Hayden Bradley's contribution in defence, and Lester and Ivan Lee, were all outstanding. These three players made significant contributions, not to mention the rest of the team, who were an absolute pleasure to be involved with throughout the season.

Mr K Moir

The 2008 season started off on rather shaky ground, with many of the key players away on school camp. Regardless of this set back, the team set off for Guildford with a very optimistic approach. This positive thinking reaped a 4-0 win for Hale School and this set the pattern for the rest of the season.

On a wet and windy day at Aquinas we managed to win the hardest match of the season, with a 1-0 victory. It was a game where two Titans met and great sportsmanship prevailed. Overall it was a wonderful season, as the team trained hard and made great progress as the season progressed.

The team can be proud of their record, with 32 goals for Hale and only 3 goals scored against us. Special thanks should go to Ethan Reed for his solid leadership throughout the season, to our gymnastic goalie Kang Do, and to Nat County for holding the centre field together. Well done on coming top of our division.

Mr St J Kenny



9B SOCCER

Back Row: O Callisto, L Frewer, G Bannan, C Mckiever, D Liang, J Burton Middle Row: Mr S Kenny, R Yeoh, D Foster, J Havlat, Z Wang, D Price

Front Row: N Shave, N County, K Do, E Reed, A Khimasia

Absent: T Ruhal

SOCCER



9C SOCCER

Back Row: T Begley, S Fu Wen, S Neilson, M Bestry, N Sawyer, J Murray

Middle Row: A Mukhi, C Tyncherov, G Zhang, J Fischer, H Hinchcliff, A Ter Kuile,

I Woollard, Mr T Pearse

Front Row: Z Lakhani, B Fowler, J Margetts, E Mcinnes, A Tynas, A Johnson, J Lane

Absent: D Paterson, M Hughes

The 9Cs enjoyed a successful season this year, winning 7 of 10 rounds. Over the course of the season the team improved their overall command of the game, increasing their skills in maintaining possession.

The highlight of the season was a close 2 - 1 victory over Scotch - an exciting display from all members of the team. Adam Tynas enjoyed a particularly outstanding season as our top goal scorer and also achieved a thrilling hat-trick against Guildford.

Hale's defence rarely faltered. Our boys were always positive in their support of each other under pressure, with a consistently strong performance from Cameron Tyncherov. Evan McInnes had a successful season as he grew in confidence in his new position as the team's goalkeeper, and he made many important saves. All players improved in their performances and are deserving of recognition for their individual contributions.

Mr T Pearse



8A SOCCER

Back Row: J Kalamaras, Q Lee-Jones, T Rowlands, A Wilkins, B Davis Middle Row: J Hasel, J Armstrong, Y Kailis, N Stüben, C O'Connor, K Glauch Front Row: J Maher, J Brody, Mr P Sansalone, P Papathanassiou, L Prout It has been a good year for Year 8 Soccer. The 8A side tried very hard to find rhythm and understanding on the park, and found late in the season that it was important to communicate with their teammates.

There were times when everything they did worked, and they played to the best of their capabilities. Their finest game was their last encounter with Christ Church. Their hunger for the ball and pressure on the opposition showed the boys the type of game that they can play.

Consistent performers throughout the season included Lasse Stuben, our reliable and skilful central defender and Cian O'Connor, the left mid-fielder who played hard and never stopped running. Jake Brody, with his hard running in the mid-field, created many chances and goals, and the ever-reliable Tim Rowlands was a dependable defender who never let an opponent by without a challenge.

A big thank you to all the boys who played in the squad this year, and to the parents who frequently came to the games to encourage the boys.

Mr P Sansalone



8B SOCCER

Back Row: A Wang, C Meyer, T Lymburn, C Dawson, C Buitendag Middle Row: M Sie, S Bilessuris, J Clarke, C Parker, C Viska, T Hallam Front Row: A Kapoor, R Halai, Mr J Egan, E Graff, J Menchetti As the season unfolded, the enthusiasm for Soccer was clearly evident by all the boys, displaying raw talent and a real hunger for the ball. This made the selection process and player changes tough, as there were so many boys with natural ability.

The team finished their first game on a high, with a 6-0 win over Guildford. Two crushing losses to Aquinas and Trinity left the boys in a spin, but they pulled together to beat Wesley and Scotch, showing how determined the 8B's can be in the fight for goals.

After a loss to Christ Church and another glorious 10-0 win against Guildford, the boys were finally working together. The following week, the boys fought till the end against Aquinas, battling the horizontal wind and rain for a 1-0 victory.

With another win against Wesley, and the final game just around the corner, the boys this time showed Christ Church no mercy, cruising to 2-1 victory. The boys ended their season by displaying sheer strength, team work and skill to finish 2nd place overall.

Mr J Egan



8C SOCCER

Back Row: C Mckeon, C Gismondi, L Jones, C Harvey, D Bell, J Wells, J Tie, B Egan Middle Row: D Patel, M Anstie, J La, A Abu Shamleh, O Hermoso Clarke, B Olma,

L Lilford, Ms M Gilchrist

Front Row: W Wong, K Kelly, M Warton, J Wong, J Goh, C Lindquist, N Sarros

The 8C team ended the season with a winning ratio of 6 wins and 2 losses.

The boys worked well together, and I would like to thank each and every one of them. Our coaches, Year 11 students Keshan Vagjiani and Shyaim Khimasia, were outstanding, and were responsible for developing a tight and cohesive group.

The boys were outstanding and are to be commended on their discipline and good sportsmanship throughout the season.

Best players for the season included James Wong for his outstanding keeping. He had good back up with Callum Mckeon helping out as goalie and strong defence by Roshan Halai, Liam Jones, Brad Egan and Oscar Hermoso. Clarke also helped keep the goal scoring of the opposition to a minimum.

Brodie Ouma, Cameron Harvey, Michael Warton and Christian Parker were solid in attack and worked hard to get goals for the team. I would like to thank all boys for a fine season, and an extra thank you for the two coaches as they made my job much easier.

Ms M Gilchrist

OLD HALEIANS' ASSOCIATION



MR JOHN GARLAND, PRESIDENT OF THE OLD HALEIANS' ASSOCIATION'S SPEECH TO THE LEAVING CLASS OF 2008 AT VALEDICTORY EVENING:

My comments are directed specifically to those young men graduating here this evening, and may I say it is a privilege to be a part of this milestone event in your life at Hale

I represent the Old Haleians' Association, and on behalf of our 7,000 members, we welcome the class of 2008 to the Association.

If you are like me when I was your age, you probably hadn't given the Old Haleians' Association a great deal of thought, possibly just mild concern that you would end up looking like those men you saw at Old Boys' Day once you left school.

The Association was formed in 1909 and next year we will be celebrating our centenary, so you now have the honour of belonging to one of the oldest clubs or organisations in this State. Created by past students, the Association was formed with the key aims of enhancing the well being of Hale School and fostering interaction amongst former students.

You may not have recognised the significance that the Old Haleians have played in your days here, but our involvement with the School has been a part of your everyday life, in one form or another.

This magnificent War Memorial Hall, for example, was built as a result of fund raising by the Old Haleians during the 50s and 60s, as were the chapel, the swimming pool and many other buildings and art pieces that you have seen or used over the years.

One of the main functions for which you will come to know us, is helping to facilitate reunions and, through our website, provide a medium for keeping in touch with each other and the School.

I can confidently say 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.

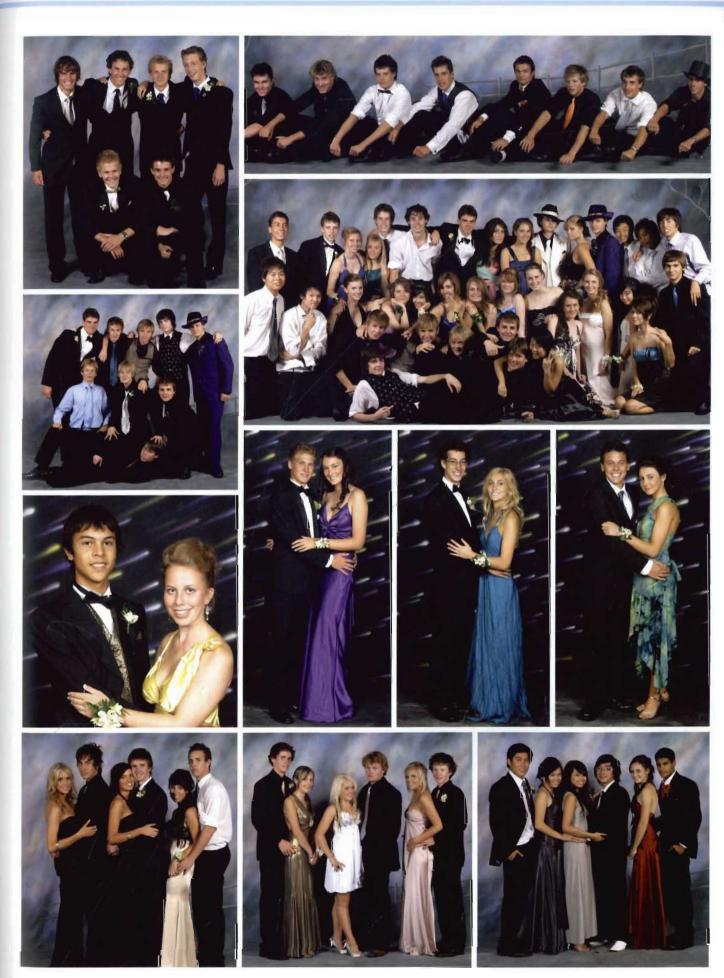
It's no secret that many Aquinians claim that they attended Hale School just so they could feel a little better about themselves. In closing, I would make the point that this Association - your Association - is made up of people from many walks of life. I am constantly amazed at the diversity of occupations Old Haleians have, 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 look forward to seeing you at some time in the future, whether it's 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 99 years old and he only started attending Old Boys' Day 5 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 an Old Haleian and, as a Life Member of that Association, we will always be here for you.

All the best for your coming exams and the future.

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Back Row: Daryl Mitchell, Blake Whitham, Matthew Plumb, Sam Clark, Cody Fulwood, Ryan O'Sullivan, Daniel Archondakis,

Lucien Fischer, Jordan Furner, Jeremy Hart, James Helliwell, Tom Bartlett, Rhodri Simmonds, Alex Carson, Myles Mead,

Rex Fleay, Scott Young, Stephen Sherring

Seventh Row: Andrew Todd, Mark Graus, Michael Heyns, Lee Ginbey, Luke McCracken, Robert Harvey, David Clarke, Sam Nicholson,

Callum Murdoch, Marcus Bin Omar, Michael Pollastri, Matthew Stevens, Niall Virgo, Andrew Ball, Fraser Beattie, Nicholas Tejchman, Thomas Culbert, Mark Janssen,

Joshua McGee

Sixth Row: William McGeehan, Byron Jameson, Nils Stüben, Joash Ng, Justin Gan, Yasuhito Nakajima, Elliot Langdon, Brock Wilson, Cameron Fitzgerald, Raphy Abadi Ghadim,

Matt Griffiths, Ramanan Parameswaran, Chris De Beer, Dean Gault, Josh Hall, Craig Stevens, Gautamaram Murugiah, Nathaniel Currie, Joshua Ho, Gareth Begg,

Alexander Roberts, Ben Mills, David Kiel, Mitchell Wansbrough

Fifth Row: David Griffies, David MacLeod, Lincoln Hands, Paul Broad, Luke Owen, Nelson Jeffrey, Tristan Ashford, Alexander Krzus, Sam Parker, Timothy Brannan, Michael Ridley, Thomas Harper, James Leonard, Zac Girando, David Dawbin, Geoffery Van Eden, Marcel Bridge, Harris Ntoumenopoulos, Nicholas Jones, Evan Mumme, Lloyd Roberts,

Bennett Lovelady, Trent Murray, Lincoln Meeking, Kavin Intaraprasert

Fourth Row: Geoffery Tan, Paul Nunn, Kurtis McCracken, Sam Shipway, Keifer Yu, Sean Leath, Callum Bowden, Nathaniel Cross, James Campbell, Tom Smith, Marcus Giacci, Liam Exel, Royce Dawson, Blair Hurley, Lee Fitzmaurice, Justin Lindgard,

Bryan Tan, Grant Moriarty, Aaron Young, Todd Lewis, Matthew Mason, Lloyd Le Cornu, Sam Dawson, David Marshall, Adam Olsen, Alexis Hall

Third Row: Dmitry Ivanov, Allan Hon, Mitchell Grant, Alexander Anstie, Chris Hardie, Harry Jockel, Chris McFarlane, Jarred Yap, Peter Campbell, Lindsay Ellis, Shaun Markovic, Andrew Johnstone, Rex Bracken, Melvin Poh, Thomas Zaunmayr,

Kim Chin, Denis Dwiputra, Monty Graham, Alex Vickery, Patrick Whitfield, Ben King, Tim Ho, Tom Jarratt, Evan Baars, John Hodge, Michael Liu, Aki Kobayashi

Second Row: Jarrad Nebel, Enura De Silva, Peter White, Vinh-Nghi Ngo, Akshay Malde, Matthew Ansell, Binu Jayawardena,

Sudharrshan Nair, Jack Taylor, Oliver Nivbrant, Lachlan D'Cruz, James Clarke, Jack Payne, Simon Quenby, Logan Schrum, Reece Sutherland, John Barnsley, James Berryman, Michael Pirone, Alexander Tate, Nguyen Nguyen, Marcus Pallotta, Amar Bhuva, Alex Tull, Jonathan Cockcroft, Nishant Anandan, James van Rooyen

Front Row: Timothy Mackie, James Dorrington, Aidan Price, Harrison Marsh, Kunal Grover, Amrit Kandola, Max Sadka, Simon Joseph, Jaxsun Plumley, Stephen Underwood,

Toby Dawson, Matt Camerer, Lee Chapman, Kyle Bailey, T.J. Hoon, Robert Feakes, Jeremy Wood, Cory Hurley, Davis Counsel, Damon Smith, Joshua Chong,

Nihar Jha, Deven Patel, Taylor Smith, Jamie Gray, Sid Jain, Peter Vrankovich.

Absent: Scott Davies, Kirk Gilleran, Jonathon Holborn, Thomas Lovelady, Christopher Wilson.



Raphy Abadi Ghadim

Parry 2004 - 2008 Yr 12 Discrete Mathematics Prize, Yr 11 Certificate, Parry House Football (Capt), Parry House Tennis (Capt), Parry House Band, 3rd XVIII Football, 10A Tennis





Riley 1998 - 2008 School Prefect, House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Rugby (Colours), Swimming (Symbols), Rugby (Symbols), Swimming (Vice Capt), Rugby (Capt), The Leeuwin Outdoor Education Prize, Water Polo (Symbols), 1st VII Water Polo (Vice Capt), Swimming Champion Boy, Rugby 1st XV Best Team Man, Nulsen Haven Youth Patron, Kayak



Nishant Anandan

Loton 2004 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Colours). Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Cricket Certificate of Service, 3rd XI Hockey, Soloist (Symbols), Music (Colours), Choir (Symbols), Concert Band (Symbols), Hockey Certificate of Service, Service Learning, Hale St Marys Cantate, Symphony Orchestra, Concert Band 1, Harvey Brass Cup Brass Quartet, Electric Vehicle Club, MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Tournament of the Minds,



Evan Baars

Tristan Ashford

St Georges 2001 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), AC Marshall Memorial French Prize, Yr 11 Certificate





Matthew Ansell

Havelock 2003 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols)



Kyle Bailey

Wilson 2005 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Swimming (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), 2nd V Basketball, 2nd XV Rugby, 2nd XVIII Football





Alexander Anstie

Buntine 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate



Andrew Ball

Parry 1997 - 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Biology Prize, Ensemble (Symbols), Music (Colours), The Jazz Prize, Concert Band (Symbols), Jazz (Symbols), Hale St Marys Concert Band 1, Saxophone Ensemble, Funk Band, Jazz Ensemble, Stage Band, Jazz Orchestra, Choir, 10B Rowing, Cross Country, French Club, Karate Club



Daniel Archondakis

Haynes 2004 - 2008 House Prefect. Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Volleyball (Symbols), 1st VI Volleyball, Sharemarket Game



John Barnsley

Havelock 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Rugby (Symbols), Curtin Accounting Experience - Pat Adison Award, High Distinction, Rugby 1st XV







Tom Bartlett

Loton 2004 - 2008 House (Vice Capt), School Prefect, House Prefect, Edward Burgoyne Leadership Prize, John Vetter Prize for Application (Yr 11), Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Biology Prize, Concert Band (Symbols), Service to the Library (Symbols), Rowing (Symbols), Cross Country (Symbols), Tournament of the Minds, WA Young Business Person of the Year, SmARTS, Academic Excellence Prize, Biology Olympiad, Rowing 1st VIII, Cross Country Top XV, Hale St Marys Concert Band 1, Service Learning, Sony Camp



Marcus Bin Omar

Wilson 2004 - 2008 School Prefect, House Prefect, The Sam Ellies Award (Contribution to Boarding), Yr 11 Certificate, Athletics (Symbols), Strings Ensemble, 1st V Basketball, 1st XV Rugby, 2nd XVIII Football



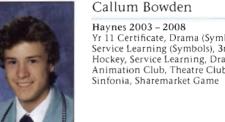


Fraser Beattie

Parry 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Hockey, 3rd VIII Tennis, Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster



Yr 11 Certificate, Drama (Symbols), Service Learning (Symbols), 3rd XI Hockey, Service Learning, Drama, Animation Club, Theatre Club, Hale St Marys





Gareth Begg

Riley 1996 - 2008 House Prefect, The WestScheme Prize for Excellence in VET, Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Management and Marketing Prize, Water Polo (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols), Football (Symbols), Football 1st XVIII, Water Polo 1st VII



Rex Bracken

St Georges 2003 – 2008 Rowing (Symbols), Senior Cross Country, 2nd VIII Rowing





James Berryman

Buntine 2003 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XVIII Football, 2nd VIII Rowing (Capt), Sharemarket Game, Geography Club, Service Learning



Timothy Brannan

Buntine 2001 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning, Sharemarket Game, 2nd XV Rugby, 2nd VIII Rowing





Amar Bhuva

Loton 2003 - 2008 Chemistry Distinction, Soccer 10A, Cricket 3rd XI, Service Learning, WA CO2 Dragster Design,





Marcel Bridge

Haynes 2003 - 2008 House Prefect, Sports (Capt) Cross Country, Dave Roberts Perpetual Trophy (Cross Country), Tennis Certificate of Service, Water Polo Certificate of Service, Cross Country (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Tennis 2nd VIII, Sharemarket Game, Cross Country Yr 12 Perpetual Trophy Open Champion





Paul Broad

Faulkner 2004 – 2008

House (Co-Vice Capt), House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
JW Holmes Trophy (Football)



Lee Chapman

Havelock 1997 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Badminton
(Symbols), Sharemarket Game,
Badminton 1st VI, Basketball 3rd V



Matt Camerer

Faulkner 2004 – 2008

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate,
Hockey (Symbols)





Kim Chin

Havelock 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, House (Co-Vice Capt),
Yr 12 Academic (Colours), Barlow
Ensemble Shield, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols),
Choir (Symbols), Orchestra (Symbols), Ensemble
(Symbols), Soloist (Symbols), Music (Colours),
Swimming (Symbols), MathsPlus, Fource
Quartet, Hale St Marys Cantate, Hale St Marys
Camerata, Hale Chamber Orchestra, Twelve
in a Bar, Hale St Marys Symphony Orchestra,
International Students Association



James Campbell

Tregonning 2006 – 2008

House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate,
Football Certificate of Service,
2nd XVIII Football, 3rd XI Cricket,
10A Rugby, Debating, Public Speaking,
Mock Trial, Cygnet Magazine,
Sharemarket Game, SmARTS, UNYA





Joshua Chong

Buntine 2003 – 2008

Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Mock Trial
(Symbols), Badminton (Symbols), Badminton
(Capt), 1st VIII Badminton, 3rd VIII Tennis
Chemistry Olympiad, Physics Olympiad,
Chess Club, Mock Trial, UNYA, MathsPlus,
MathsPrime



Peter Campbell

Buntine 2004 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning, 2nd VI Volleyball, 3rd XI Soccer





Samuel Clark
Wilson 2006 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate,
House (Vice Capt), 10B Tennis, 3rd
V Basketball, 2nd XVIII Football,
Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game





Alex Carson

Wilson 2004 - 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Football (Symbols),
1st XVIII Football, 2nd VIII Tennis,
Service Learning, WA CO2 Dragster
Design, Sharemarket Game





David Clarke

Parry 2001 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Service to the
Library (Symbols), Athletics
(Symbols), Parry House Senior Art
Team, Inter-School Fencing 2004-2008, Art
Extension, French Club, Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



James Clarke

Wilson 2006 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Football Certificate of Service, Academic (Symbols), Sailing, Athletics, 2nd XVIII Football, 1st VIII Rowing, Sharemarket Game



Nathaniel Currie

Havelock 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate





Jonathan Cockcroft

Parry 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Hale's Angels Cup (Rugby), Cricket Certificate of Service, Rugby Certificate of Service, 2nd XV Rugby (Vice Capt), Parry Walla Rugby (Capt), 2nd XI Cricket, Sharemarket Game, National Chemistry and National Geography Distinctions



Scott Davies

St Georges 2001 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Jazz (Symbols), Concert Band (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols), 3rd XVIII Football, Hale St Marys Concert Band 1, Hale Jazz Orchestra, Hale Saxophone Ensemble, Technicians Club



Davis Counsel

Faulkner 2006 - 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic Achievement (Symbols)



David Dawbin

Buntine 2001 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic Achievement (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Drama (Symbols), Tournament of the Minds, CSIRO Science Club, Geography Club, Chess Club, Service Learning, 3rd VII Tennis, 3rd XI Soccer, Sony Camp, Drama (Symbols), Theatre Club, Karate Club, International Students Association, WA CO2 Dragster Design, Sharemarket Game



Nathaniel Cross

Loton 2004 - 2008 Drama (Capt), Drama (Symbols), Choir (Symbols), Soccer (Symbols), 2nd XI Soccer (Capt), Service Learning, Sony Camp, Theatre Club, Hale Choir, Hale Cantate, Technicians Club, Climbing Club, Redfoot Youth Theatre, Hale Harmony, Soccer 1st XI, Water Polo 10B, Sharemarket Game, Tournament of the Minds, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Royce Dawson

Tregonning 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Jazz (Symbols),3rd XVIII Football, 3rd VIII Tennis, Hale St Marys Concert Band 3, Jazz Ensemble, Stage Band, MathsPlus, Service Learning





Thomas Culbert

Havnes 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Symbols), Service Learning, Sharemarket Game, 10A Rugby, 3rd VIII Rowing





Sam Dawson

Faulkner 2004 - 2008 House (Co-Vice Capt), House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate





Toby Dawson

Haynes 2002 – 2008
House (Capt), School Prefect,
House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Colours)
and (Symbols), Yr 11 Human Biology Prize,
Service Learning (Symbols), Cricket Certificate
of Service, Soccer Certificate of Service, Football
Certificate of Service, House Debating, House
Band, Uni SmARTS Program, MathsPlus,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Denis Dwiputra

Loton 2001 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), MathsPlus,
Sharemarket Game, Tennis 2nd VIII (Capt),
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Lachlan D'Cruz

Tregonning 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XVIII Football, 3rd V Basketball, 3rd Soccer XI, Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game



Lindsay Ellis

Loton 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Hale St
Marys Concert Band 3, Hale St Marys Concert
Band 4, Tennis 2nd VIII (Capt), Hockey 2nd XI,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Christopher de Beer

Havelock 1997 – 2008
House (Capt), School Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning
(Symbols), Volleyball (Symbols),
Cross Country (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Sharemarket Game, Swimming, Sony Camp,
SmARTS - 1st Place Presentation, UWA
Certificate of Communication/Innovation,
Certificate for Outstanding Group Contributor,
Biology Olympiad 2nd in State



Liam Exel

Havelock 2004 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Volleyball (Symbols)





Enura De Silva

Parry 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11
Academic (Colours) and (Symbols),
Choir (Symbols), Jazz (Symbols), Mock
Trial (Symbols), Cricket Certificate of Service,
Hockey Certificate of Service, Tournament of
The Minds (Capt), Parry House Baseball (Capt),
Mock Trial, Hale Jazz Ensemble, 4th XI Cricket,
3rd XI Hockey



Robert Feakes

Buntine 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Hockey (Symbols), Service Learning, Sony Camp, 1st XI Hockey, 10B Cricket





James Dorrington

Riley 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Yr 11 Senior Science Prize,
Yr 11 Art & Design Prize, Cordingly Cup
(Surfing), Best PSA Surfer, Football 2nd XVIII,
Interschool Swimming



Lucien Fischer

Parry 2005 – 2008
House Prefect, Music (Vice Capt),
Yr 11 Certificate, The Choir Prize,
The Orchestra Prize, Music (Colours),
Soloist (Symbols), Choir (Symbols), Orchestra
(Symbols), Ensemble (Symbols), Hale St Marys
Contate, Hale St Marys Camerata, Hale St Marys
Symphony Orchestra, Hale Chamber Orchestra,
12 in a Bar Barbershop Group, Hale Harmony,
3rd XI Hockey, 10B Cricket, Basketball 3rd V



Cameron Fitzgerald

Haynes 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, The Michael Beech
Physics Prize, Yr 11 Certificate
of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
Achievement (Colours), Yr 11 Academic
Achievement (Symbols), Mock Trial (Symbols),
Service to the Library (Symbols), Hockey
(Symbols), 1st XI Hockey, 3rd V Basketball,
10Cs Cricket, Mock Trial, Service Learning,
Library Assistant, House Debating, MathsPlus,
MathsPrime



Justin Gan

Havelock 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate
of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
Achievement (Symbols), Basketball
(Symbols), MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket
Game, Basketball 1st V



Lee Fitzmaurice

St Georges 2001 – 2008
House Prefect, The Concert Band Prize,
Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Choir (Symbols),
Concert Band (Symbols), Jazz (Symbols),
Ensemble (Symbols), Soloist (Symbols), Music
(Colours), Hale St Marys Cantate, Hale St Marys
Band 1, Symphony Orchestra, Senior Guitar
Ensemble, Jazz Orchestra, Hale Harmony,
Hale Barbershop Quartet, 10B Hockey, Service
Learning, Philosophy Club



Dean Gault

Haynes 2004 – 2008
Rowing Certificate of Service,
Cricket Certificate of Service, Football
Certificate of Service, 3rd XVIII
Football, 4th XI Cricket





Rex Fleay

Wilson 2004 – 2008 House (Vice Capt), Yr 11 Certificate, Football (Vice Capt), Filmer Trophy (Football), Football (Symbols), 2nd XI Cricket, 1st XVIII Football, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Marcus Giacci

Loton 1997 – 2008

House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, The
Leeuwin Outdoor Education Prize, Basketball
3rd V, Hockey 2nd VI, Soccer 3rd/2nd XI,
SmARTS – won prize for innovation and
communication, Karate Australian Open – 2nd
overall, Debating, House Band



Cody Fulwood

Wilson 2004 – 2008 House (Capt), House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Foundations of Mathematics Prize, 2nd XVIII Football, 3rd XI Cricket, Service Learning, Sharemarket Game, Hale Woodshow, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Kirk Gilleran

Buntine 2001 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Symbols), 2nd XV Rugby, 2nd VIII Rowing, Geography Club





Jordan Furner

St Georges 1998 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd VIII Tennis, 3rd V Basketball, 3rd XI Soccer, St Marys Concert Band 3, Sharemarket Game, Young Achievement Australia



Lee Ginbey

Parry 2004 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Cross Country (Symbols), Senior Cross Country, 3rd V Basketball, Art Extension





Zachary Girando

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate,
Public Speaking (Symbols), Drama
(Symbols), 3rd X1 Soccer, UNYA,
Public Speaking, Service Learning, Sony Camp,
Backgammon Club, Electric Vehicle Club



David Griffies

Wilson 2006 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Soccer, 2nd VIII Tennis, Technicians Club, Drama Club, Community Service, Photography Club, Sharemarket Game





Monty Graham

Wilson 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, 10C Cricket, 3rd VIII Tennis, 2nd XI Hockey, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Matthew Griffiths

Loton 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 12 Art & Design Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, Soccer 3rd XI,
Tennis 3rd VIII, Service Learning,
Art Extension, MathsPlus, Tournament of the
Minds, Circus Club



Mitchell Grant

Havelock 2004 - 2008



Kunal Grover

Haynes 2004 – 2008
Geoffrey Raphael Memorial Prize for Chess, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 History Prize,
Chess (Symbols), Chess (Vice Capt), 10B Tennis,
Mock Trial, Chess Club, MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game, Tournament of the Minds,
Young Achievement Australia,
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Mark Graus

St Georges 2001 – 2008
House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate,
Sports (Vice Capt) Basketball,
GN Samuel Trophy (Basketball),
Athletics (Symbols), Basketball (Symbols)
Basketball (Colours), 1st V Basketball (Vice
Capt), Service Learning, Art Extension ,Karate
Club, Sharemarket Game



Alexis Hall

Loton 2003 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Hale Lodge Geography Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Geography
Prize, Concert Band (Symbols), Hale St Marys
Concert Band 1, Woodwind Ensemble, Service
Learning, House Debating, Cricket 1st XI,
Football 2nd XVIII, MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Jamie Gray

Faulkner 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate



Josh Hall

Parry 2004 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Squash (Capt), Badminton 1st VI (Capt), 4th XVIII Football, 10A Cricket







Lincoln Hands

Wilson 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic Achievement
(Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols), Football (Symbols),
Academic Symbols, 1st XVIII Football, 10A
Tennis, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster
Design



James Helliwell

Riley 2001 – 2008
House Prefect, Cygnet Committee
Member (Symbols), Drama (Symbols),
Debating (Symbols), Cricket Certificate of
Service, Technicians Club (Vice Capt), Cricket
4th XI (Vice Capt), Debating, Public Speaking,
Service Learning, Sharemarket Game



Christopher Hardie

Tregonning 1996 – 2008 House Prefect, Drama (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), 2nd V Basketball, 3rd XVIII Football, Service Learning, Karate Club, Sharemarket Game



Michael Heyns

Parry 2005 – 2008
House Prefect, Cygnet Poetry
Award (Middle), Cygnet Prose
Award (Senior), Yr 11 Certificate
of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic Achievement
(Colours) and (Symbols), Orchestra (Symbols),
Service Learning (Symbols), Hockey Certificate
of Service, Hale St Marys Concertante, Hale St
Marys Camerata, Hale St Marys Orchestra, Hale
St Marys Symphony Orchestra, Hale Senior
String Ensemble, Service Learning, Hockey 2nd
XI, Climbing Club



Thomas Harper

St Georges 2001 – 2008
House Prefect, Cross Country (Vice
Capt), Service Learning (Symbols)
Alcorn Shield (Cross Country), Cross
Country (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols)
Cross Country (Vice Capt), Service Learning



Joshua Ho

Havelock 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Colours), Badminton (Capt)





Jeremy Hart

Riley 1999 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Soccer 3rd XI, Volleyball 2nd VI, Service Learning, Photography Club, Technicians Club



Yuan Qiang (Tim) Ho

St Georges 2001 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate,
Rugby (Symbols), Yr 11 Academic
Achievement (Symbols),
1st XV Rugby, 3rd V Basketball, Sharemarket
Game



Robert Harvey

Tregonning 1997 – 2008
House Prefect, Volleyball (Vice Capt),
Athletics (Capt), Yr 11 Certificate,
Soccer (Symbols), Volleyball
(Symbols), Cross Country (Symbols), Athletics
(Symbols), Athletics (Colours), Athletics
(Vice Capt), 1st VI Volleyball (Vice Capt),
Cross Country, 1st XI Soccer, Climbing Club,
Sharemarket Game



John Hodge

Loton 2004 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Service to the Library (Symbols), Service to the Library (Colours), Hockey 3rd XI, Basketball 10C, Computer Programmers Club, Philosophy Club





Jonathon Holborn

Buntine 2000 – 2008
House Prefect, Music (Capt), Harvey
Brass Cup, Drama Prize, Yr 12 Ancient
History Prize, Yr 12 Drama Studies
Prize, Addenbrooke English Literature Prize, Yr
11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
Achievement (Symbols), Yr 11 Drama Prize, Yr
11 Ancient History Prize, Yr 11 French Prize, Yr
10 Academic Achievement (Symbols), Orchestra
(Symbols), Music (Colours), Drama (Colours),
Jazz (Symbols), Ensemble (Symbols), Drama
(Symbols), Concert Band (Symbols), Drama
(Honours), Soloist (Symbols), Jazz Prize



Kavin Intaraprasert

St Georges 2005 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), 3rd XI Soccer, Service Learning, Sharemarket Game, Mock Trial





Allan Hon

Haynes 2004 – 2008
Barlow Ensemble Shield,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Orchestra (Symbols),
Ensemble (Symbols), Choir (Symbols), Soloist
(Symbols), 3rd XI Soccer, 3rd VIII Tennis,
Service Learning, Barbershop Group, Fource
Quartet, Choir, Hale St Marys Cantate, Hale
St Marys Camerata, Hale Chamber Orchestra,
String Ensemble, House Band, House Debating,
MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game,
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Dmitry Ivanov

Buntine 2000 – 2008
Harvey Brass Cup 2005,
Jazz (Symbols), Concert Band
(Symbols), Soloist (Symbols), Choir,
Hale St Marys Concert Band 1,
Symphony Orchestra, Hale Jazz Orchestra,
Hale Harmony, Hale Brass Cup (2005),
Sharemarket Game, 2nd VIII Tennis,
3rd XI Soccer, Service Learning, Photography
Club, Climbing Club



Tong Jing (TJ) Hoon

Buntine 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Colours) and (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols), Young Achievers Australia Commerce Programme, MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game, 2nd VII Water Polo



Sid Jain

Loton 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate,
Cricket Certificate of Service, Service
Learning, Debating, Football 3rd XVIII,
Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2
Dragster Design, Economic Student Forum Yr12



Blair Hurley

Loton 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Colours), Yr 12
Modelling with Mathematics Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, The Public
Speaking Prize, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Mock
Trial (Symbols), Debating (Symbols), Public
Speaking (Symbols), Computer Progammers
Club, Debating, UNYA, Hale Harmony, Hale St
Marys Concert Band 1, Animation Club, Hale
Philosophy Club



Byron Jameson

Loton 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect,
House (Capt), Yr 12 Academic
(Colours), Yr 12 Accounting Prize, Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
(Symbols), Hockey (Symbols), Yr 11 Accounting
Prize, Hockey (Capt), GG Glenister Trophy
(Hockey)



Cory Hurley

Faulkner 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Football (Symbols)





Mark Janssen

Havelock 2004 - 2008





Tom Jarratt

Haynes 2003 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate,
3rd VIII Rowing, House Band



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Andrew Johnstone
Riley 2004 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate



Binu Jayawardena

Havelock 2007 – 2008
Vice Capt of School, School Prefect,
House Prefect, Dux of School (Old
Haleians' Prize), Dr KG Tregonning
Prize, Cygnet Poetry Award (Senior), Gwynne
Harris Memorial Economics Prize, Service
Learning (Symbols), Drama (Symbols), Choir
(Symbols), Ensemble (Symbols), Debating
(Symbols), Cross Country (Symbols), Philosophy
Club, Badminton 1st VI, Basketball 2nd V, Hale
Harmony, Hale Stones Barbershop Ensemble
(Symbols), Physics Olympiad – Distinction,
Chemistry Olympiad (2nd in WA)



Nicholas Jones

Loton 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect, Old
Haleians' Trophy (Cricket), Cricket
1st XI (Vice Capt), Cross Country (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols), Cricket (Symbols), Climbing
Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster
Design, Athletics Interschool Team, Football 1st
XVII, Cross Country,
Service Learning



Nelson Jeffrey

Buntine 2003 – 2008 Art Club (Art Award 2003), Service Learning, 2nd VII Water Polo, 3rd XVIII Football



Simon Joseph

Buntine 2004 – 2008
House (Capt), School Prefect,
House Prefect, Dr John Boyd Craig
Scholarship, The Michael Beech
Physics Prize, Yr 12 Human Biology Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
(Colours) and (Symbols), Debating (Symbols),
Basketball (Symbols), Basketball (Colours),
Debating, SmARTS, Sony Camp, MathsPlus,
MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game, Tournament
of The Minds, 1st V Basketball



Nihar Jha

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
House Prefect,
The Brian Goldsmith Debating Prize,
The Hugh Guthrie History Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Colours) and (Symbols),
Yr 11 History Prize, Debating (Symbols), Chess
(Symbols), 3rd XI Cricket, 3rd XI Soccer, Chess
Club (Capt), Debating, Guitar Ensemble,
MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Service Learning



Amrit Kandola

Haynes 2001 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Economics Prize, MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Harry Jockel

Haynes 2004 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), JB Newbery Biology Prize, Yr 11 Certificate, Water Polo (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols), Hockey Certificate of Service, Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game, Swimming, Ist VII Water Polo, 2nd XI Hockey, House Choir



David Kiel

Parry 2001 – 2008 House (Vice Capt), House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), 2nd Vl Volleyball (Capt), Electric Vehicle



Ben King

Tregonning 2003 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 12 Japanese Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Japanese Prize,
Cross Country (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Surfing, Chess Club, Circus Club, Clowning
Club, Karate Club



Sean Leath

Tregonning 2000 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Soccer,
Service Learning, Technicians Club,
WA CO2 Dragster Design, Sharemarket Game





Hiroaki (Aki) Kobayashi

Riley 2007 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rugby 2nd XV, Football 4th XVIII



James Leonard

Loton 2007 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning (Symbols), Drama, Choir, 3rd VI Volleyball, 2nd XI Soccer





Alex Krzus

St Georges 2002 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect, House
(Capt), Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr
11 Certificate, 1st VII Water Polo (Capt),
Water Polo (Colours), Most Outstanding Player
(Water Polo), Water Polo (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols), Interschool Swimming



Todd Lewis

Riley 2006 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rugby (Symbols), Rugby (Colours), Cricket 1st XI, Rugby 1st XV, Circus Club, Clowning Club, WA CO2 Dragster Design, Sharemarket Game



Elliot Langdon

St Georges 2003 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XV Rugby, 10C Tennis,
Hale St Marys Concert Band 4,
Percussion Band, Service Learning,
Technicians Club, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Justin Lingard

Faulkner 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Debating (Symbols)





Lloyd Le Cornu

Buntine 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Max
Bonner Trophy (Tennis), Tennis
(Symbols), Soccer Certificate of Service,
House Prefect, Debating, Service Learning,
Technicians Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2
Dragster Design, 1st VIII Tennis (Sportsmanship
Award), 2nd XI Soccer (Capt)



Michael Liu

Havelock 2005 – 2008
Yr 12 Engineering Studies 3A/3B
Prize, Yr 12 Chemistry Prize,
Yr 12 The Ednie-Browne Calculus
Prize, Yr 12 Applicable Mathematics Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
(Colours) and (Symbols), Yr 11 Engineering
Studies 1A/1B Prize, Australian Mathematics
Competition (Yr 11) – Distinction, Australian
National Chemistry Quiz (Yr 11) – Distinction,
Chemistry National Qualifying Examination
(Yr 11) – Distinction



Bennett Lovelady

Riley 2003 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 12 Engineering Studies 3A/3B Prize, Yr 11 Certificate, MathsPlus



Shaun Markovic

Havelock 2003 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols)





Thomas Lovelady

Riley 2004 - 2008 Sailing (Capt), 2nd VIII Rowing, 2nd XV Rugby, Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Harrison Marsh

Riley 2004 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 10B Tennis, Service Learning





Timothy Mackie

Riley 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate





St Georges 2004 - 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Cygnet Art Award (Senior), Yr 11 Certificate, Volleyball (Symbols), 1st VI Volleyball, Most Promising Yr 10 Player (Volleyball), 2nd XVIII Football, Art Extension, Sharemarket Game





David MacLeod

Faulkner 2006 - 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate



Matthew Mason

Parry 1997 - 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Debating, Cygnet Magazine, Service Learning, 3rd XI Soccer, French Club, MathsPlus





Akshay Malde

St Georges 2005 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, House Cricket (Capt), House Squash (Capt), Interschool Swimming, Hale St Marys Concert Band 2, Stage Band, Sharemarket Game



Kurtis McCracken

Havelock 2001 - 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Football (Symbols)







Luke McCracken
Parry 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate



Lincoln Meeking
Wilson 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect, Athletics
(Vice Capt), Yr 11 Certificate of

(Vice Capt), Yr 11 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols),
Brandenburg Trophy (Football), Football
(Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Tennis (Symbols),
Debating, Public Speaking, Service Learning,
UNYA, Sony Camp, Athletics (Vice Capt),
Swimming, 1st VII Tennis, 1st XVIII Football, Art
Extension, Cross Country Winner, 1st XVIII Best
Team Man, Cygnet Committee Member (Symbols)



Chris McFarlane

Havelock 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11
Academic (Colours) and (Symbols),
Concert Band (Symbols), Tennis
(Symbols), Tennis 1st VIII, Hale St Marys
Concert Band 1, Stage Band, Australian
Science Olympiads (Yr 11) – High Distinction,
Runner-Up Hale School Open Singles Tennis
Championship



Ben Mills

Riley 2004 – 2008
House (Co-Vice Capt), School Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction,
Rugby (Symbols), Swimming (Symbols),
Interschool Swimming, Interschool Surfing, 1st
XV Rugby, Service Learning, UNYA, Percussion
Ensemble, Electric Vehicle Club, Sharemarket
Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Joshua McGee

Loton 2006 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Charles Veryard Trophy (Football), A & TJ Lange Trophy (Football), Football (Colours), Basketball (Symbols), Football (Symbols)



Daryl Mitchell

Riley 2006 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Cricket
(Capt), 1st XV Rugby (Vice Capt),
Bruce Ferguson Memorial Prize (Best All
Round Sportsman), Cricket (Symbols), Cricket
(Colours), Charles Veryard Trophy (Cricket),
Rugby (Symbols), Rugby (Colours),
Russell Davis Perpetual Trophy (Rugby),
John Vaux Memorial Trophy (Rugby),
Sharemarket Game



William McGeehan

Parry 2001 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate, Mock Trial
(Symbols), Public Speaking (Symbols),
Drama (Symbols), Service Learning
(Symbols), Rowing (Symbols), Cross Country
(Symbols), UNYA, Sony Camp, Hale St Marys
Orchestra, Interschool Athletics, 3rd VIII
Rowing, Cross Country Seniors, Sharemarket
Game, Tournament of the Minds



Grant Moriarty

Buntine 2006 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Rugby (Symbols), Sharemarket Game, Curtin Accounting Experience, 1st XV Rugby, 3rd XI Cricket





Faulkner 2006 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate



Evan Mumme

Haynes 2004 - 2008 3rd XVIII Football, 3rd VIII Rowing, House Band, Service Learning, Climbing Club, Karate Club, Photography Club, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design









Callum Murdoch

Havelock 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect, House (Co-Vice Capt), Athletics (Vice Capt), Devon Cup - Application to Sport, Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, The Irvine Trophy (Cricket), Old Haleians' Trophy (Cricket), Football (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Football (Colours), Cricket (Symbols), French Club, MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design, Cricket 1st XI, Football 1st XVIII, Athletics Interschool Team (Vice Capt), Irvine Trophy (Yr 10) Most Promising Yr 10 Cricketer, Old Haleians' Trophy (Yr 12), Lister Drake Scholar (Old Boys Scholarship), Devon Cup (Yr 12) Application to Sport



Jarrad Nebel

Haynes 2006 – 2008 Yr 12 Political & Legal Studies Prize, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Debating, Chess, Sharemarket Game, 3rd XI Soccer





Trent Murray

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate,
Football (Symbols), Athletics
(Symbols), Swimming (Symbols)
House Prefect, 1st XVIII Football, Athletics,
Swimming, 3rd XI Cricket, 10A Tennis,
Service Learning, Sharemarket Game,
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Wei Jie (Joash) Ng

Faulkner 2007 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, International Students Association President, Music - Choir (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Volleyball (Symbols)

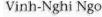




Gautamaram Murugiah

Haynes 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Haynes House Charity





Loton 2000 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XI Soccer, MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game, Western Australian CO2 Dragster Design





Sudharrshan Nair

Faulkner 2004 – 2008
House (Co-Vice Capt), House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate, Soccer (Capt),
Debating (Symbols), Service Learning
(Symbols), Public Speaking (Symbols), Roda
Trophy - Most Promising Yr 10 Soccer Player,
Volleyball (Symbols), Soccer (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols)



Nguyen Nguyen

St-Georges 2000 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Chess (Vice Capt), Member of Sports Council, Senior Cross Country, 10A Rugby, 3rd VIII Tennis





Yasuhito Nakajima

Tregonning 2000 – 2008
House Prefect, Athletics (Vice
Capt), Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate
of Distinction, Barclay & Sharland Trophy
(Athletics), HP Turnbull Trophy (Athletics),
CP & AE Williams Trophy (Athletics), Soccer
(Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), Athletics
(Colours), House Prefect, 1st XI Soccer, 10B
Basketball, Choir, Hale St Marys Orchestra 1



Samuel Nicholson

Havelock 2001 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Drama (Symbols)





Oliver Nivbrant

Buntine 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 12
English 3A/3B Prize, Yr 11 Certificate,
Yr 11 English Prize 2A/2B, Yr 10
Certificate of Distinction, 1st XI Soccer,
Service Learning, Circus Club, Clowning Club,
Backgammon Club, Climbing Club, Computer
Programmers Club, Karate Club,
Photography Club



Luke Owen

Wilson 2007 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Political &
Legal Studies Prize, Cygnet Committee Member
(Colours), Cygnet Prize, Guy Ward Memorial
Prize (Boarding House Leadership), Service
Learning (Symbols), Debating (Symbols), Mock
Trial (Symbols), Squash (Symbols), House Arts
(Capt), 3rd VIII Tennis, 1st Squash (Capt), Public
Speaking, Service Learning (Symbols), Sony
Camp, UNYA



Harris Ntoumenopoulos

Riley 1997 – 2008 House (Co-Vice Capt), School Prefect, Soccer (Symbols), 1st XI Soccer, Interschool Athletics, String Ensemble, Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster, Service Learning



Marcus Pallotta

Tregonning 1997 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Soccer, Cygnet Magazine, Service Learning





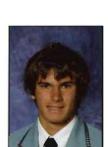
Paul Nunn

Wilson 2007 – 2008 Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Football (Symbols) 1st XVIII Football, 3rd XI Cricket



Ramanan Parameswaran

St Georges 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction, Mock Trial
(Symbols), Debating (Symbols),
2nd VI Volleyball (Vice Capt), Public Speaking,
Service Learning, MathsPlus, MathsPrime,
Sharemarket Game



Adam Olsen

Loton 2001 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Capt), Rowing Captain of Boats Trophy, Rowing (Symbols), 1st VIII Rowing



Sam Parker

St Georges 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate,
Rowing (Symbols),
2nd XVIII Football (Vice Capt),
2nd VIII Rowing, 1st XVIII Football,
Service Learning, Climbing Club, Sharemarket
Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Deven Patel

Buntine 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XI Soccer, 3rd XI Cricket, Sharemarket Game





Ryan O'Sullivan

St Georges 2004 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, SG Luck Trophy (Basketball), WJ Edgar Trophy (Basketball), Basketball (Symbols), Basketball (Colours), 1st V Basketball (Capt)







Jack Payne

Riley 2004 – 2008
House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction,
1st XI Cricket, Cricket (Symbols), 3rd XVIII
Football, Football Certificate of Service, Senior
Cross Country, Climbing Club,
MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game, WA
CO2 Dragster Design



Michael Pollastri

Tregonning 2005 – 2008
School Prefect, House (Capt), House
Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, 1st VII Water Polo,
Water Polo (Symbols), 1st XV Rugby, Rugby
(Colours), Rugby (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols), Sharemarket Game,
Young Achievers Australia



Michael Pirone

Haynes 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate, Service Learning,
House Band (Lead Singer), Climbing
Club, Karate Club, Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design,



Aidan Price

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
Career and Enterprise Prize,
Yr 12 English 2A/2B Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Athletics (Symbols),
Service Learning, WA CO2 Dragster Design,
Sharemarket Game, Athletics, 2nd XVIII
Football, Interschool Surfing, Simon Hunn
Surfing Cup



Matthew Plumb

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic
(Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, 2nd VIII Rowing, Rowing
(Symbols), Cross Country (Symbols), Clowning
Club, WA CO2 Dragster Design, Karate Club,
Moseley Group



Simon Quenby

Havelock 2004 – 2008
House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Soccer (Symbols),
Cricket 1st XI, Soccer 1st XI, Athletics
Interschool Team, Hale St Marys Sinfonia,
MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game,
WA CO2 Dragster Design – Best Dragster 2004



Jaxsun Plumley

Buntine 2004 – 2008
House Prefect, Art Prize, Yr 11
Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Yr 10 Art Prize, Service
Learning (Symbols), 3rd XI Hockey, Cygnet
Committee, Service Learning, Vietnam Tour,
Sony Camp, Art Extension, Climbing Club,
Photography Club



Michael Ridley

Havelock 2005 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 12 Applied Information
Technology 3A/38 Prize, Hale Art
Committee Yr 12 Prize,
The Art Committee Yr 12 Scholarship,
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Art Prize, Yr 11 Applied
Information Technology Prize, Basketball 4th V,
Soccer 3rd XI, Volleyball 3rd VI



Kah Ming (Melvin) Poh

Faulkner 2006 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Debating (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, International Students Association Secretary





Alexander Roberts

Faulkner 2003 – 2008 House Prefect, Athletics (Symbols)





Lloyd Roberts

Parry 2003 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate
of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic
(Symbols), Swimming (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols), 2nd XVIII Football,
3rd VIII Tennis, Interschool Athletics Team,
Interschool Swimming Team



Rhodri Simmonds

Tregonning 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House (Vice Capt),
Yr 12 Academic (Colours), Yr 11
Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11
Academic (Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Volleyball (Honours), Volleyball
(Colours), Cross Country (Symbols), Athletics
(Symbols), Volleyball (Symbols), House Prefect,
Service Learning, 1st VI Volleyball (Capt), Cross
Country, Athletics, 10A Rugby, MathsPlus,
Climbing Club



Max Sadka

Buntine 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic Achievement (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, 3rd XI Cricket, WA CO2 Dragster Design



Damon Smith

Faulkner 2005 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Hockey (Symbols)





Logan Schrum

Wilson 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Swimming
(Symbols), 4th V Basketball,
4th XVIII Football, WA CO2 Dragster Design,
Sharemarket Game, Climbing Club



Taylor Smith

Wilson 2004 – 2008
Capt of School, School Prefect,
Aubrey Hardwicke Prize, Headmaster's
Prize for Character and Leadership, Yr
12 Academic (Colours), Yr 12 Physical Education
Studies Prize, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr
11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Physical Education
Studies Prize, Service Learning (Symbols),
Claris D'Alton Trophy (Swimming), Football
(Capt), Football (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols), MD Hodsdon Trophy
(Tennis), Arnold Hillbrick Trophy (Tennis),
Tennis (Symbols), Music (Symbols), Percussion,
MathsPlus, Nulsen Haven Youth Patron



Stephen Sherring

Parry 2004 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 12
Small Business Management Prize,
1st XVIII Football, Dr DK Tregonning
Cup (Football), Football (Symbols), Football
(Colours), House Football and Cricket (Capt),
10A Cricket, MathsPlus, Service Learning,
Sharemarket Game, WA CO2 Dragster Design,
Curtin Accounting 100 Distinction



Tom Smith

Parry 1997 – 2008
House (Capt), House Prefect, The
Art Committee Yr 12 Scholarship,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Yr 11 Applied Technology Prize, Yr
10 Certificate of Distinction, Ian Biddle Trophy
(Hockey), Hockey (Symbols), 1st XI Hockey, 2nd
V Basketball, Hale St Marys Concert Band 3,
Service Learning



Sam Shipway

St Georges 2003 – 2008 Athletics (Symbols), Athletics (Vice Capt), 2nd XVIII Football, Hale St Marys Concert Band 4,Climbing Club, Karate Club, Sharemarket Game



Craig Stevens

Tregonning 2005 – 2008
Yr 12 Discrete Mathematics Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, Old Haleians' Hockey
Club Trophy, Hockey (Symbols), 2nd VI
Volleyball, 1st XI Hockey (Top Goal Scorer),
Sharemarket Game,
Curtin Accounting Experience





Matthew Stevens Havelock 1998 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate

Sharemarket Game



Alex Tate

Buntine 1997 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate,
2nd XV Rugby, 3rd XI Soccer,
Service Learning, Art Extension,
Climbing Club, Sharemarket Game



Nils Stüben

Riley 2005 – 2008

Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction,
1st XI Soccer (Vice Capt), Soccer (Symbols),
1st VIII Tennis, Tennis (Symbols),
Interschool Golf Team (Capt),



Jack Taylor

Riley 2006 – 2008
The Leon Pericles Art Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, 2nd XV Rugby, Soccer
3rd XI (Vice Capt), Interschool Swimming, Art
Extension, French Club, Photography Club,
Sharemarket Game



Reece Sutherland

Wilson 2004 – 2008

House (Vice Capt),
Yr 11 Certificate, 1st XI Hockey,
2nd VIII Tennis, 4th XI Cricket,
10B Football, WA CO2 Dragster Design,
Sharemarket Game, Service Learning



Nicholas Tejchman

Parry 2004 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Symbols),
Parry Theatre Sports (Capt), Parry
Football (Capt), 3rd XVIII Football,
3rd VIII Rowing, Sharemarket Game





Bryan Tan

Havelock 2004 – 2008
House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Colours),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Badminton
(Symbols), Music - Choir (Symbols), Swimming
(Symbols), House Prefect Certificate,
Hockey (Symbols), House Prefect, MathsPrime,
MathsPlus, Swimming Interschool Team,
Choir, Hale St Marys Cantate



Andrew Todd

Parry 2003 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate, Old Haleians' Cup
(Swimming), Swimming (Symbols),
Athletics (Symbols), Water Polo
(Colours), Water Polo (Symbols), Interschool
Athletics Team, Interschool Swimming Team,
1st VII Waterpolo, 1st XV Rugby, Hale St Marys
Concert Band 3, MathsPlus, Sharemarket Game,
WA C02 Dragster Design

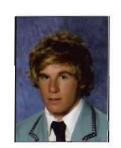


Geoffery Tan

Parry 2004 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 10 Service Learning,
1st Badminton (Vice Capt),
3rd VIII Tennis





Alex Tull

Loton 2001 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of
Distinction, 3rd XI Soccer,
3rd XI Cricket, Hale St Marys Concert Band 3,
Debating, Service Learning, Sharemarket Game,
WA CO2 Dragster Design



Stephen Underwood

St Georges 2001 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate



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Faulkner 2006 – 2008 School Prefect, House Prefect, House (Capt), Yr 11 Certificate, Soccer - Most Improved Player, Soccer (Symbols)

Peter Vrankovich





Geoffrey Van Eden

Tregonning 1997 – 2008 Drama (Symbols),Technicians Club, Hale St Marys Sinfonia, Service Learning



Mitchell Wansbrough

Loton 2004 – 2008
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11
Academic (Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate
of Distinction, Water Polo (Symbols),
Swimming (Symbols), Swimming,
1st VI Water Polo, 2nd XVIII Football,
MathsPlus, MathsPrime, Sharemarket Game





James van Rooyen

Riley 2004 – 2008 House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate, Public Speaking (Symbols), Service Learning (Symbols), Cygnet Committee, Service Learning, Public Speaking, Nulsen Haven, Sharemarket Game



Peter White

Haynes 2003 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate





Alex Vickery

Riley 2004 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect,
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11
Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate of Distinction,
Music (Vice Capt), Orchestra Prize, Garland
Music Prize, Hale String Shield 2005, Barlow
Ensemble Shield, Music (Honours), Music
(Colours), Soloist (Symbols), Choir (Symbols),
Orchestra (Symbols), Ensemble (Symbols),
Fource Quartet, Hale St Marys Cantate and
Camerata, Symphony Orchestra, Twelve in a
Bar, Hale Chamber Orchestra, Cross Country
(Symbols), Swimming (Symbols),
Service Learning



Patrick Whitfield

Haynes 2000 – 2008 School Prefect, House Prefect, Yr 12 Academic (Symbols), Yr 11 Certificate, Swimming (Symbols), Swimming (Capt), 3rd XI Soccer, Music - Concert Band (Symbols), Hale St Marys Concert Band 1





Riley 2003 – 2008
School Prefect, House Prefect,
House (Capt), Debating (Capt),
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Yr 10 Certificate
of Distinction, Music - Orchestra (Symbols),
Debating (Symbols), Public Speaking (Symbols),
Claris D'Alton Trophy (Swimming), Swimming
(Symbols), 2nd XV Rugby (Capt), Rugby
Certificate of Service, Symphony Orchestra,
Hale St Marys Camerata, Public Speaking,
Service Learning, UNYA



Blake Whitham

Buntine 2005 – 2008 Yr 11 Certificate, Rugby (Symbols), 1st XV Rugby, 3rd V Basketball, Service Learning





Brock Wilson

Haynes 2002 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate,
Volleyball (Symbols), 1st VI Volleyball,
3rd XVIII Football (Capt), Football
Certificate of Service, Sharemarket Game



Scott Young

Tregonning 2003 – 2008
House Prefect, Yr 12 Applied
Technology Prize, Yr 11 Certificate, 1st
XI Cricket, Cricket (Symbols), Randall
Trophy (Cricket), The AH Christian Trophy
(Cricket), Derek Chadwick Cricketer of the Year,
10A Football, Swimming (Symbols), Service
Learning, Sharemarket Game, State Wood Show



Christopher Wilson

Haynes 2003 – 2008

House Prefect, Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction, Yr 11 Academic (Symbols), Athletics (Symbols), 3rd XI Soccer, Drama (Symbols)





Keifer Yu

Wilson 2003 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 12 Senior Science Prize,
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 11 Mathematics
in Practice Prize, Football (Symbols), 1st XVIII
Football (Leadership Group), 2nd V Basketball,
Service Learning, WA CO2 Dragster Design,
Sharemarket Club, Indigenous Youth Leadership
Tour of Australia



Jeremy Wood

Faulkner 2004 – 2008

House (Co-Vice Capt), House Prefect,
Yr 11 Certificate of Distinction,
Yr 11 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 English 1C/1D Prize,
Cricket (Symbols)





Thomas Zaunmayr

Tregonning 2002 – 2008

Yr 11 Certificate, Rowing (Symbols),
1st VIII Rowing, 10C Soccer,
Service Learning, WA CO2 Dragster
Design, Sharemarket Game



Jared Yapp

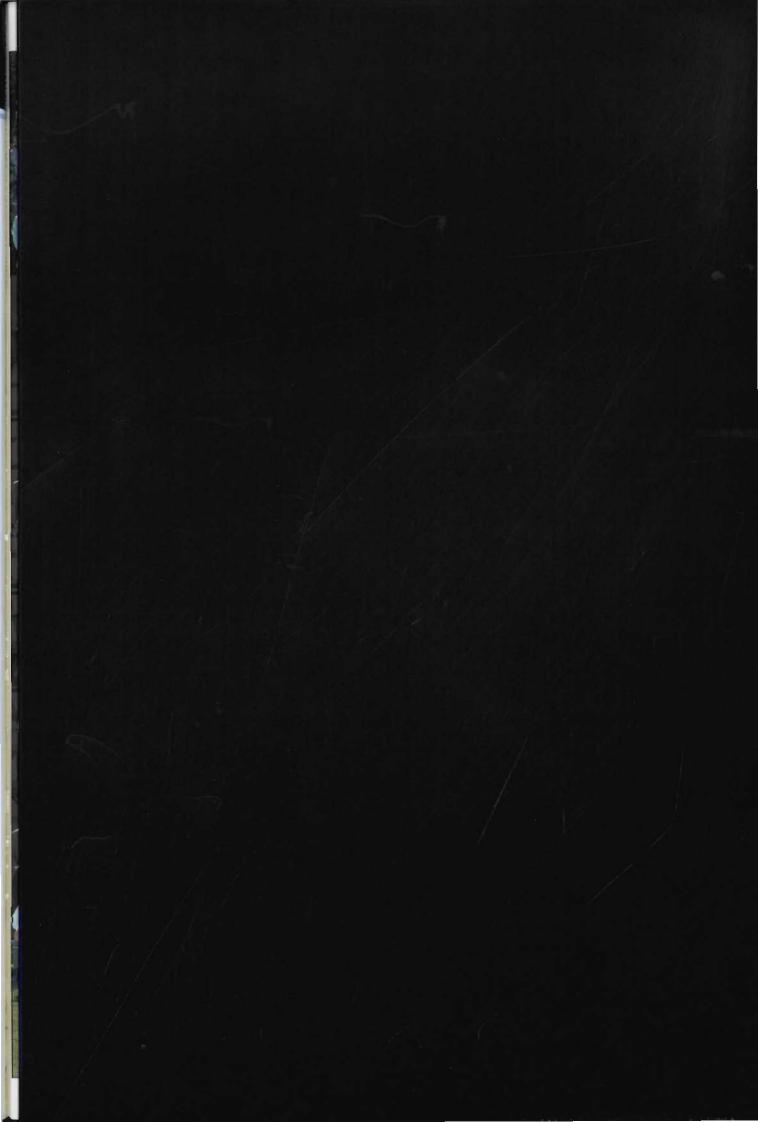
Riley 1997 – 2008
Gladstones' Piano Cup,
Yr 11 Certificate, Music - Soloist
(Symbols), Music (Colours), Orchestra (Symbols),
Ensemble (Symbols), Choir (Symbols), Service
to the Library (Symbols), Twelve in a Bar, Choir,
Cantata, Camerata, Concertante, Sinfonia,
Symphony Orchestra, Hale Chamber Orchestra,
Barber Shop Group, Debating, Service Learning

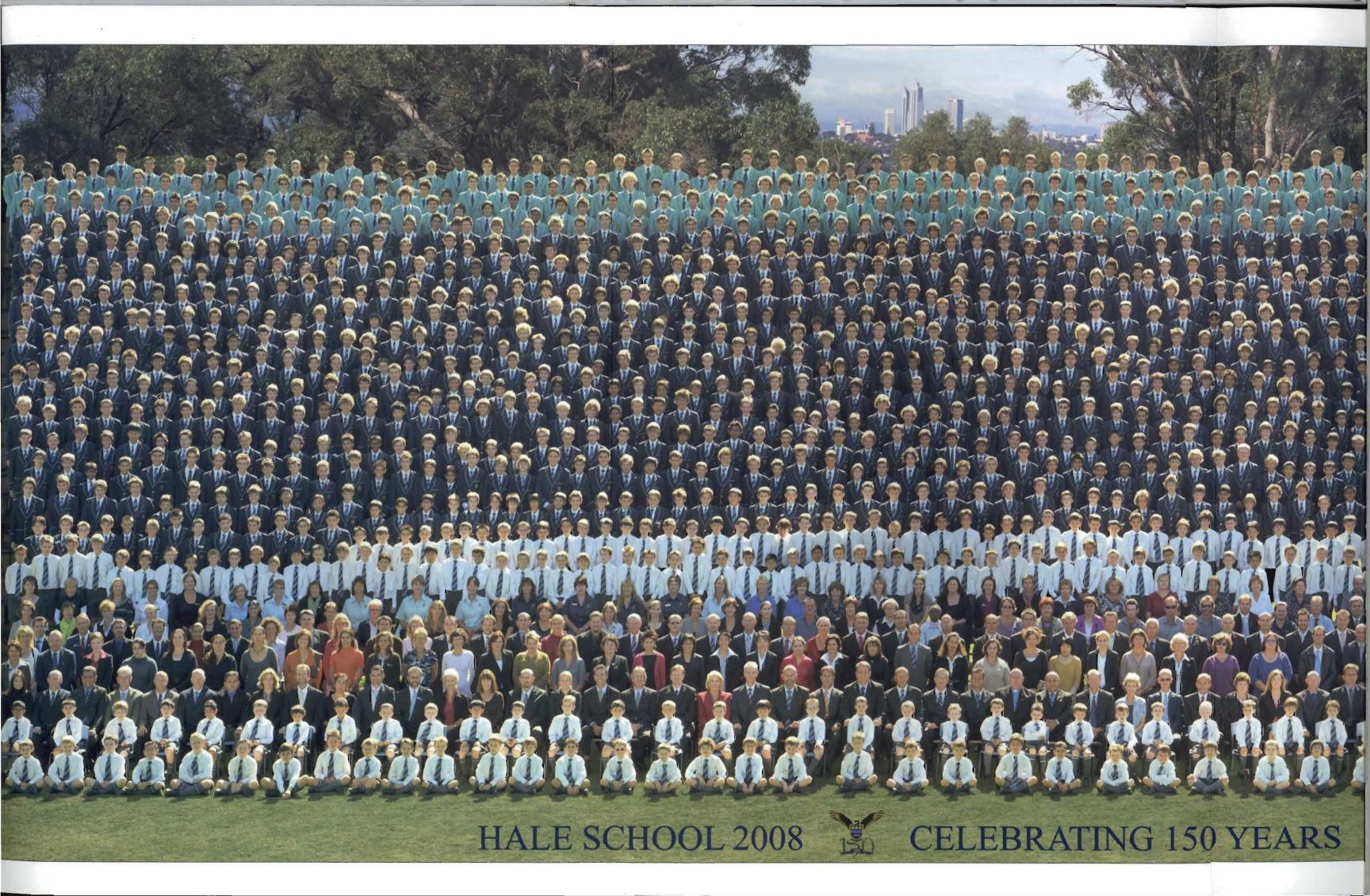


Aaron Young

Haynes 1997 – 2008
Yr 12 Academic (Symbols),
Yr 11 Certificate, Yr 10 Certificate
of Distinction, Debating (Symbols),
3rd XI Hockey, Service Learning, Mock Trial,
Public Speaking, Sharemarket Game











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